

PROPOSAL FOR RETIREMENT SYSTEM LEGISLATION
(for the 2013 Legislative Session)

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1. Which retirement systems would be covered by the legislation?
Municipal Police Officers Retirement System
2. What is the problem or issue?
The definition of the word "Compensation" in 19-9-104 (1)(a), (b) and (i)
3. What do you want the legislation to do?
Change the definition of compensation to include all compensation. Delete (1) (b) (i).
4. If possible, please list the Montana Code Annotated (MCA) sections to be amended.
19-9-104
5. If the proposed change requires additional funding, what funding sources do you propose (i.e., an increase in employer contributions, employee contributions, both, other?)

We do not believe it will require additional percentage increases for the employer, employee, for the state. All 3 will pay current percentages on the additional income.

6. Has similar legislation been requested in the past, been considered in another state, or provided as a model act? If so, please provide a citation, reference, or point of contact.

With the exception of FURS, all other Montana Plans have all compensation included in their retirement. Similar legislation was requested in the past, but I am not aware of the legislative session.

7. If you are holdover senator or unopposed legislative candidate, would you like to make this a formal bill draft request for the 2013 Legislative Session?

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