CHAPTER 422A

RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES, MINNEAPOLIS

422A.101 Preparation of financial requirements of fund; employer contributions.

422A.101 PREPARATION OF FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS OF FUND; EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS.

[For text of subds 1 and 1a, see M.S. 1984]

- Subd. 2. Contributions by or for city-owned public utilities, improvements, or municipal activities. Contributions by or for any city-owned public utility, improvement project and other municipal activities supported in whole or in part by revenues other than real estate taxes, any public corporation, any employing unit of metropolitan government, special school district No. 1 or Hennepin county, on account of any employee covered by the fund shall be calculated as follows:
- (a) a regular employer contribution of an amount equal to the percentage rounded to the nearest two decimal places of the salaries and wages of all employees of the employing unit covered by the retirement fund which equals the difference between the level normal cost plus administrative cost reported in the annual actuarial valuation and the employee contributions provided for in section 422A.10;
- (b) an additional employer contribution of an amount equal to the percent specified in section 353.27, subdivision 3a, clause (a), multiplied by the salaries and wages of all employees of the employing unit covered by the retirement fund;
- (c) a proportional share of an additional employer amortization contribution of an amount equal to \$3,900,000 annually until the year 2017 based upon the share of the fund's unfunded liability attributed to the employer as disclosed in the annual actuarial valuation.

The city council or any board or commission may, by proper action, provide for the inclusion of the cost of the retirement contributions for employees of any city-owned public utility or for persons employed in any improvement project or other municipal activity supported in whole or in part by revenues other than taxes who are covered by the retirement fund in the cost of operating the utility, improvement project or municipal activity. The cost of retirement contributions for these employees shall be determined by the retirement board and the respective governing bodies having jurisdiction over the financing of these operating costs.

The cost of the employer contributions on behalf of employees of special school district No. 1 who are covered by the retirement fund shall be the obligation of the school district. The retirement board shall prepare an itemized statement of the financial requirements of the fund payable by the school district, which shall be submitted prior to September 15. Contributions by the school district shall be made at times designated by the retirement board. The school district may levy for its contribution to the retirement fund only to the extent permitted pursuant to section 275.125, subdivision 6a.

The cost of the employer contributions on behalf of elective officers or other employees of Hennepin county who are covered by the retirement fund pursuant to section 422A.09, subdivision 3, clause (2), 422A.22, subdivision 2, or 488A.115, or Laws 1973, chapter 380, section 3, Laws 1975, chapter 402, section 2, or any other applicable law shall be the obligation of Hennepin county. The retirement board shall prepare an itemized statement of the financial requirements of the fund payable

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by Hennepin county, which shall be submitted prior to September 15. Contributions by Hennepin county shall be made at times designated by the retirement board. Hennepin county may levy for its contribution to the retirement fund.

- Subd. 2a. Contributions by metropolitan airport commission and metropolitan waste control commission. The metropolitan airport commission and the waste control commission shall pay to the Minneapolis employees retirement fund annually in installments as specified in subdivision 3 the share of the additional support rate required for full amortization of the unfunded liabilities by the year 2017 that is attributable to airport commission or waste control commission employees who are members of the fund. The amount of the payment is determined by the most recent actuarial valuation, as calculated by the actuary for the legislative commission on pensions and retirement.
- Subd. 3. State contributions. The state shall pay to the Minneapolis employees retirement fund annually an amount equal to the financial requirements of the Minneapolis employees retirement fund reported by the actuary in the actuarial valuation of the fund prepared pursuant to section 356.215 for the most recent year but based on a target date for full amortization of the unfunded liabilities by the year 2017 less the amount of employee contributions required pursuant to section 422A.10, and the amount of employer contributions required pursuant to subdivisions 1a, 2, and 2a. Payments shall be made in four equal installments on March 15, July 15, September 15, and November 15 annually.

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