

MEETING TO DISCUSS PENSION REFORM AND HEALTH CARE

SERS held an advocacy group meeting to begin discussions on ways to improve pension funding and stabilize the health care fund.

With SERS' Funding Policy limiting the amount of employer contributions available for health care funding until pension funding attained certain levels, Board and staff enlisted the assistance of member and retiree advocacy groups to review possible solutions and generate additional ideas.

The Board asked that a follow-up meeting be scheduled for Friday, March 18 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the O'Keefe Conference Room at SERS' headquarters building.

March Meeting Dates the March Board meeting will take place Thursday, March 17 at 8:30 a.m. On Friday, March 18, at 9:30 a.m., the Board will hold a special meeting that will include a roundtable discussion on pension reform with its advocacy groups. The agenda of activities for both days will be posted to the "Board Meeting Dates, Agendas, Board Highlights" section of the SERS website at www.ohsers.org/board-of-trustees-3 a week before the meetings.

RETIREE INFORMATIONAL SERIES

This informational series is designed specifically for retirees.



The meetings will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., in the **O'Keefe Center of SERS headquarters, 300 E. Broad St., 43215, in Columbus.** Topics will include Social Security issues, fraud prevention, and basics about Medicare. Presentations will feature experts from Social Security, Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program (OSHIIP), and SERS. We will end with a question and answer session. Refreshments will be served. Although the series is free of charge, space is limited, so be sure to register in advance.

Retiree Informational Series

Friday, March 18, 2016, 1:00 p.m.

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