



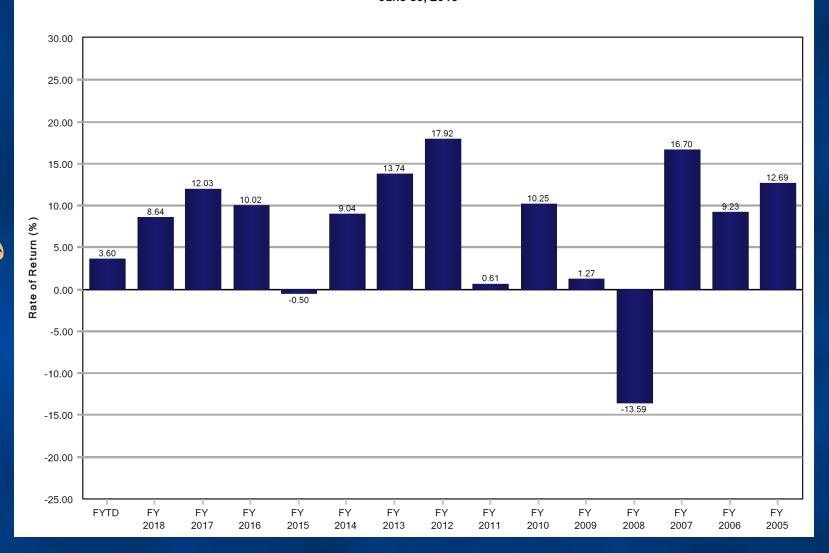
### Defined Benefit Pension Plan





The **Total Assets** owned by the Plan. The Plan is 97.5% funded with total assets of \$153.7 Million.

#### Amalgamated Transit Union Local 1596 Pension Fund Fiscal Year Rates of Return June 30, 2019





The **Funded Ratio** notes the percentage of the Plan liabilities covered by the Plan assets. The **Funded Ratio** remains consistently near 100%.



# Pension Benefit



#### Eligibility for Retirement

- Normal retirement
  - Age 62 with any amount of benefit credits
  - Age 58 with 20 years of vesting service
- Early retirement
  - Age 55 with 10 years of vesting service and 10 benefit credits
  - For members with 20 years of vesting service, benefit reduced 5/9% for each month retirement precedes age 58
  - For members with less than 20 years of vesting service, benefit reduced 5/9% for each month retirement precedes age 62
- Vested deferred benefit payable at normal retirement date based on vesting percentage



#### Benefit Formula

• Pension Formula:

(Average of Highest 5 Years of Salary) x (Benefit Credits) x 2.13%

- Maximum benefit cannot exceed 100% of final average salary
- Benefit always paid for life of member
- Optional forms of benefit available to provide survivor income to spouse or beneficiary



### Enhanced Benefit

- Increase multiplier by 0.25% or 0.5%
- Member contributions additional 2.5% or 5.0% of payroll (7.82% or 10.32% Recommended as of October 1, 2019)
- Enrollment effective on October 1 each year
- Cannot change or revoke election for Enhanced Benefit



#### DROP Plan

- Participant must be eligible for retirement
- Retirement benefit paid into account while participant continues to work
- Maximum participation for five years, up to 10 years from Retirement Date
- Member receives quarterly statements



## Share Accounts



#### Share Accounts

- Member contributions 3% or 6% of payroll
  - Member contributions immediately vested
  - Contributions invested with plan assets
  - Interest credited at net investment return for plan
- Quarterly statements
- Enrollment effective on October 1 each year
- Member can increase or decrease contribution each year



#### Share Account Performance

Year ending	Investment	Year ending	Investment
Sep. 30	Return*	Sep. 30	Return*
2009	1.27%	2014	9.04%
2010	10.25%	2015	-0.50%
2011	0.61%	2016	10.02%
2012	17.92%	2017	11.60%
2013	13.74%	2018	8.60%

\* The Pension Plan invests assets for the long-term to obtain the greatest return with the least risk. Actual returns vary from year to year, and past performance does not guarantee future results.



#### Share Account Withdrawals

- Distribution Options
  - Lump Sum Distribution
  - Partial Distribution
  - Systematic Withdrawals
  - NO Distributions until pension starts
- 10% IRS Penalty + Income Tax for Early Distributions
- Rollovers to Deferred Comp or IRA Accounts