

BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PROGRAM

April 1, 2017 Interim Actuarial Valuation

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Certification

We have performed an actuarial valuation of the Bloomfield Township Other Post-Employment Benefits Program as of April 1, 2017. The results of this valuation, along with supporting data, are set forth in the following report.

The ultimate cost of an OPEB plan is the total amount needed to provide benefits for plan members and beneficiaries and to pay the expenses of administering the plan. OPEB costs are met by contributions and by investment return on any plan assets. The principal purpose of this report is to set forth an actuarial determination of plan liabilities. In addition, this report provides:

- Information needed to meet disclosure requirements
- Review of plan experience since the last valuation to ascertain whether the assumptions and methods employed for valuation purposes are reflective of actual events and remain appropriate for prospective application.
- Assessment of the relative funded position of the plan, i.e., through a comparison of plan assets and projected plan liabilities.
- Comments on any other matters which may be of assistance in the operation of the plan.

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In preparing this report, we relied on employee census data, claims and premium information as of the valuation date, furnished by the Township. We performed a limited review of the information used directly in our analysis for reasonableness and consistency and have found them to be reasonably consistent and comparable with data used for other purposes. If the information is inaccurate or incomplete, the results of our analysis may likewise be inaccurate or incomplete and our calculations may need to be revised. If there are material defects in the data, it is possible that they would be uncovered by a detailed, systematic review and comparison of the data to search for data values that are questionable or for relationships that are materially inconsistent. Such a review was beyond the scope of our assignment.

Certification

In our opinion, each assumption used is individually reasonable (taking into account the experience of the plan and reasonable expectations) and, in combination, offer our best estimate of anticipated experience under the plan. On the basis of the foregoing, we hereby certify that to the best of our knowledge and belief, this report is complete and accurate and has been prepared in accordance with generally recognized and accepted actuarial principles and practices which are consistent with the principles prescribed by the Actuarial Standards Board and the Code of Professional Conduct and Qualification Standards for Public Statements of Actuarial Opinion of the American Academy of Actuaries.

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The undersigned are members of the American Academy of Actuaries and meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.

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Discussion of Experience

This interim valuation reflects the following changes relative to the July 1, 2016 valuation:

Demographic Changes from 2016 to 2017

None. We understand that a group of pre-65 retirees has moved from their legacy PPO plans to the active HRA plan. However, we do not believe this update will have a significant impact to the valuation and therefore have not reflected this update. All census and premium information is the same as the information used for the July 1, 2016 valuation.

Assumption and Method Changes

We changed the actuarial cost method from Projected Unit Credit to Entry Age Normal. The Entry Age Normal cost method will be required starting in FY 2018 for financial reporting purposes per GASB 75; making this change provides the Township with a single set of results for all plan liability reporting purposes.

This change increased the Accrued Liability by about \$2,548,000.

Other Changes

The valuation date was updated to April 1, 2017 to coincide with the fiscal year and allow for a single annual asset reconciliation once GASB 74 becomes effective.

For this valuation, results were determined as of July 1, 2016 (the census date), and rolled forward to the measurement date of April 1, 2017. We assumed benefit payments equal to 75% of the amount expected to be paid from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017, were paid and 75% of the expected annual service accruals were added to the liability using standard roll forward procedures.

The Valuation Process

The process of determining the liability for OPEB benefits is based on many assumptions about future events. The key actuarial assumptions are:

Turnover and retirement rates: How likely is it that an employee will qualify for post-employment benefits and when will they start?

Medical inflation and claims costs assumptions: When an employee starts receiving post-employment benefits many years from now, how much will be paid each year for the benefits and how rapidly will the costs grow?

Mortality assumption: How long is a retiree likely to receive the benefits?

Discount rate assumption: What is the present value of those future benefit payments in terms of today's dollars?

Since the liability is being recognized over the employee's whole career with the Township, the present value is divided into three pieces: the part that is attributed to past years (the "Accrued Liability" or "Past Service Liability"), the part that is being earned this year (the "Normal Cost"), and the part that will be earned in future years (the "Future Service Liability").

Once the Accrued Liability and the Normal Cost have been calculated, the next step is to determine an annual contribution. This consists of two pieces:

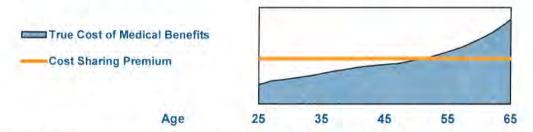
- Normal Cost because the benefits earned each year should be paid for each year
- Past Service Cost a catch-up payment to fund the Accrued Liability over time.

The final step is to keep track going forward of how much of the contribution is actually paid. There is no requirement to actually fund these benefits, but the cumulative deficiency must be disclosed on the Township's financial statements. In addition, the Discount Rate used to calculate the liabilities must reflect the expected investment income of whatever funds are set aside to prefund the benefits; if there is no prefunding then the Discount Rate will be much lower and the liabilities significantly higher than if the benefits are prefunded.

Implicit Rate Subsidies

As part of the Other Post-Employment Benefits Program, there are situations where the cost is borne partly or entirely by retirees. In most cases, the premium that is used to split the cost is lower than the true cost of providing the medical benefits, for two reasons:

The cost sharing premium is usually a fixed amount such as a COBRA premium that does not take into account the age of the retiree and his/her dependents. Since medical costs generally increase with age, the cost sharing premium is often lower than the true cost of the medical benefits:



The cost sharing premium is usually a blended rate that takes into account the cost of medical benefits for active employees as well as retirees. Medical costs are generally higher for retirees than for active employees of the same age. This means that, again, the cost sharing premium is often lower than the true cost of the medical benefits.

Because of these two factors, a retiree who is paying 100% of the cost sharing premium is most likely not paying 100% of the true cost of the medical benefits. This situation is known as an "implicit rate subsidy". GASB 43 and 45 require the plan sponsor to measure the liability for this subsidy; that is, the difference between the true cost of the medical benefits and the cost sharing premiums paid by the retiree. To do this, our valuation consists of several steps:

First, we calculate the liability for the true cost of medical benefits expected to be received by retirees and their dependents. This liability is based on factors developed by Milliman's health actuaries that reflect how the cost of medical benefits varies by age and gender, as well as the other assumptions discussed on the prior page. We term this amount the "gross liability".

Next, we calculate the liability for the future premiums expected to be paid by the retiree for their own and their dependents' coverage. This liability is based on the current premium rates without adjustment for age or gender. It also is based on the terms of the retiree medical program – different retirees pay different percentages based on their union, date of retirement, age at retirement, and other factors. We term this amount the "offset liability".

Finally, the net liability for the Township is calculated as the difference between the gross liability and the offset liability.

Summary of Assets

This valuation reflects assets that are managed through irrevocable OPEB trusts. While other assets may be used to meet future OPEB liabilities, only those funds that are contributed to an appropriate trust may be reflected in the determination of the Actuarially Determined Contribution.

	Town	Water and Sewer	Cable Studio	Building Inspection Fund	Total
Market Value of Assets as of July 1, 2016	\$3,263,286	\$3,075,911	\$0	\$0	\$6,339,197
Market Value of Assets as of April 1, 2017*	4,394,101	3,390,848	1,300,000	1,800,000	10,884,949

^{*}The Market Value of Assets for April 1, 2017 includes accrued contributions of \$1,800,000 for the Cable Fund, \$1,300,000 for the Building Inspection Fund, and \$1,000,000 for the Town Fund.

Assets in the Town OPEB Trust are allocated to the Fire, Police, and Town groups based on their respective Accrued Liability (see following page).

As of April 1, 2017, there is no irrevocable OPEB trust for the Library.

The funding policies for the Town OPEB Trust and the Water and Sewer OPEB Trust are not identical. It is our understanding that the Water and Sewer OPEB Trust is intended to be an enterprise fund which will receive additional contributions annually. The Town OPEB Trust, Cable Studio Trust, and Building Inspection Fund, conversely, may not receive additional funds annually. We have accordingly assumed a 4.50% discount rate for the Water and Sewer group and a 4.00% discount rate for all other groups to reflect this funding strategy.

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Summary of Liabilities

We have calculated the Accrued Liability separately for seven groups of Township employees, who are eligible for different OPEB benefits. In all cases, the Accrued Liability only reflects benefits that are paid for by the Township, taking into account any implicit rate subsidies.

	Fire	Delias	1.96		Water and		Building Inspection	
	Fire	Police	Library	Town	Sewer	Cable Studio	Fund	Total
Total Accrued Liability	\$53,439,192	\$56,468,906	\$5,926,395	\$42,665,895	\$10,038,039	\$1,788,185	\$2,430,815	\$172,757,427

The following presents information regarding how sensitive the Accrued Liability is to changes in either the discount rate or the trend rate:

Discount Rate Sensitivity	1% Decrease	Baseline	1% Increase
No. To a control of the control of t	3.00%	4.00%	5.00%
Accrued Liability	206,394,155	172,757,427	146,653,085
Trend Rate Sensitivity	1% Decrease	Baseline	1% Increase
Accrued Liability	144,639,351	172,757,427	209,773,826

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Actuarially Determined Contribution

The Actuarially Determined Contribution (ADC) for the OPEB program consists of two pieces: a Normal Cost (the cost of benefits earned each year should be accrued in that year) plus a Past Service Cost (a catch-up accrual to amortize the Unfunded Accrued Liability).

The amortization period is 25 years starting for FYE 2009. The amortization method produces annual payments that will increase by 4.00% annually. The ADC is assumed to be paid at the beginning of the Fiscal Year. On this basis, the ADC is determined as follows:

					Water and		Building Inspection	
	Fire	Police	Library	Town	Sewer	Cable Studio	Fund	Total
Accrued Liability	\$53,439,192	\$56,468,906	\$5,926,395	\$42,665,895	\$10,038,039	\$1,788,185	\$2,430,815	\$172,757,427
Assets	1,539,038	1,626,293	0	1,228,770	3,390,848	1,300,000	1,800,000	10,884,949
Unfunded Accrued Liability	51,900,154	54,842,613	5,926,395	41,437,125	6,647,191	488,185	630,815	161,872,478
Amortization Period	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Amortization Growth Rate	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%
Past Service Cost	3,460,010	3,656,174	395,093	2,762,475	458,178	32,546	42,054	10,806,530
Total Normal Cost	1,186,583	1,478,914	217,195	1,020,441	181,476	43,284	77,710	4,205,603
Expenses	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,200,000
Net Normal Cost	1,186,583	1,478,914	217,195	1,020,441	181,476	43,284	77,710	4,205,603
Interest	185,864	205,404	24,492	151,317	28,784	3,033	4,791	603,685
ADC for FY 2019	4,832,457	5,340,492	636,780	3,934,233	668,438	78,863	124,555	15,615,818
Expected Benefit Payouts	1,779,141	1,337,317	179,825	1,424,472	423,573	13,112	74,173	5,231,613
Net Budget Impact	3,053,316	4,003,175	456,955	2,509,761	244,865	65,751	50,382	10,384,205

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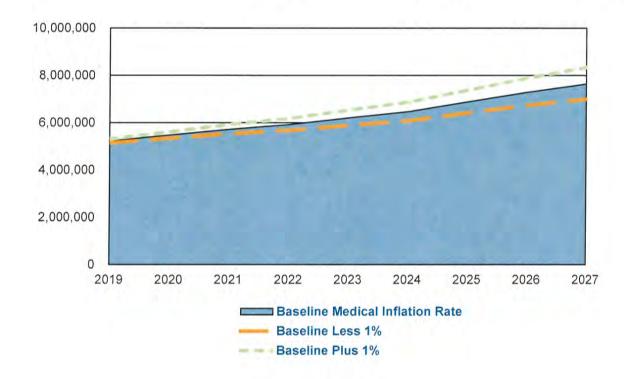
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Projected Payouts

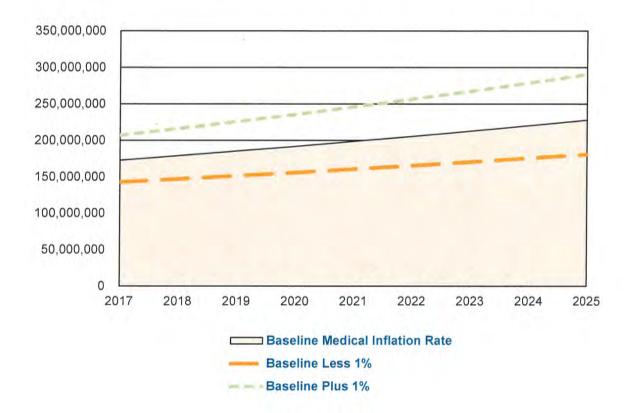
The table and graph below show the expected annual payments for OPEB benefits for future years.

		Baseline	
	Baseline	Medical	Baseline
Fiscal Year	Less 1%	Inflation	Plus 1%
2019	\$5,149,249	\$5,231,612	\$5,314,645
2020	5,346,958	5,481,593	5,618,558
2021	5,537,064	5,727,977	5,924,005
2022	5,678,255	5,926,774	6,184,347
2023	5,892,689	6,206,243	6,534,300
2024	6,089,974	6,471,580	6,874,609
2025	6,419,696	6,883,854	7,378,740
2026	6,739,464	7,291,819	7,886,313
2027	7,002,218	7,644,373	8,342,073



Projected Liabilities

The graph below shows how the Township's accrued liability for OPEB benefits is expected to grow.



Summary of Census Data

The following were included in our analysis based on information provided as of July 1, 2016 by the Township.

Building

					Makerial	-		
	Fire	Police	Library	Town	Sewer	Studio		Total
Number of members								
Active	47	56	48	65	11	67	S	206
Retired members	53	54	13	53	16	, -	4	194
Spouses of retirees	22	45	7	36	16	0	6	163
Deferred members	2	2	0	2	0			7
Total	159	157	38	156	43	2	12	920
Average age								
Active	44.5	42.3	52.4	48.9	39.0	51.7	53.0	46.0
Retired members	0.79	67.4	75.3	69.6	71.3	71.0	79.0	69 1
Deferred members	45.5	45.5	N/A	41.0	N/A	34.0	N/A	42.6
Average retirement age								
Active	56.2	53.5	61.5	59.0	56.0	9.09	62.7	57.1
Retired members	55.6	53.2	60.5	56.9	55.8	54.0	62.8	55.8
Expected lifetime								
Active [to retirement]	11.7	11.3	9.1	10.2	17.0	9.0	9.7	11.1
Retired [lifetime]	19.6	19.1	15.3	18.4	16.7	17.8	11.5	18.4

Where complete census data was not available, we have made assumptions which we believe to be reasonable.

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Current Premiums

We received the following information from the Township regarding the current premiums for health benefits provided to retirees:

2016 - 2017 Mon	thly Premiums		Employee	Spouse
	PPO with Vision	Pre 65	\$1,164.27	\$2,478.47
		Post 65	733.62	807.85
	PPO without Vision	Pre 65	1,159.77	2,468.38
		Post 65	729.53	798.69
	HRA with Vision	Pre 65	471.80	964.52
		Post 65	388.76	782.97
	HRA without Vision	Pre 65	464.09	952.28
		Post 65	381.05	770.73
	Dental		35.69	59.30

Expected Healthcare Costs

Milliman's Health Cost Guidelines were used to develop the expected true cost of health care benefits by age. Representative health care costs (per person per month) are shown below.

	Library H	RA Plan	All Others	HRA Plan
Age	Employee	Spouse	Employee	Spouse*
40	\$579	\$533	\$579	\$777
45	637	599	637	844
50	714	701	714	946
55	845	824	845	1,069
60	1,048	986	1,048	1,231
65	297	298	297	298
70	342	342	342	342
75	386	384	386	384
80	419	416	419	416

	PPO Plan		
Age	Employee	Spouse*	
40	\$878	\$970	
45	977	1,070	
50	1,107	1,221	
55	1,327	1,401	
60	1,663	1,641	
65	596	599	
70	688	688	
75	777	771	
80	845	834	

It is assumed that there is no implicit rate subsidy associated with dental benefits. Unadjusted age premium rates were used to value these benefits.

^{*} Child dependent claim costs are included with pre-65 spouse claim costs.

Glossary

Actuarial Cost Method - This is a procedure for determining the Actuarial Present Value of Benefits and allocating it to time periods to produce the Actuarial Accrued Liability and the Normal Cost. The statement assumes a closed group of employees and other participants unless otherwise stated; that is, no new entrants are assumed. Six methods are permitted – Unit Credit, Entry Age Normal, Attained Age, Aggregate, Frozen Entry Age, and Frozen Attained Age. Entry Age Normal is required under GASB 74.

Accrued Liability - This is the portion of the Actuarial Present Value of Benefits attributable to periods prior to the valuation date by the Actuarial Cost Method (i.e., that portion not provided by future Normal Costs).

Actuarial Assumptions - With any valuation of future benefits, assumptions of anticipated future events are required. If actual events differ from the assumptions made, the actual cost of the plan will vary as well. Some examples of key assumptions include the discount rate, medical cost inflation, and rates of mortality, turnover and retirement.

Actuarial Present Value of Benefits - This is the value, as of the applicable date, of future payments for benefits and expenses under the Plan, where each payment is: a) Multiplied by the probability of the event occurring on which the payment is conditioned, such as the probability of survival, death, disability, termination of employment, etc.; and b) Discounted at the assumed discount rate.

Actuarial Value of Assets - This is the value of cash, investments and other property belonging to the Plan, as used by the actuary for the purpose of an Actuarial Valuation.

Amortization Payment - This is the amount of the contribution required to pay interest on and to amortize over a given period the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability or the Unfunded Frozen Actuarial Accrued Liability. A closed amortization period is a specific number of years counted from one date and reducing to zero with the passage of time; an open amortization period is one that begins again or is recalculated at each actuarial valuation date.

Actuarially Determined Contribution ("ADC") - This is the employer's periodic contribution to a defined benefit OPEB plan, calculated in accordance with actuarial standards of practice.

Attribution Period - The period of an employee's service to which the expected postretirement benefit obligation for that employee is assigned. The beginning of the attribution period is the employee's date of hire and costs are spread across all employment.

Benefit Payments - The monetary or in-kind benefits or benefit coverage to which participants may be entitled under a post employment benefit plan, including health care benefits and life insurance not provided through a pension plan.

Glossary

Discount Rate - GASB 74 requires that the interest rate used to discount future benefit payments back to the present day be based on the expected rate of return on any investments set aside to pay for these benefits. If no funds are set aside for this purpose, the discount rate is based on a municipal bond index at the measurement date.

Funding Excess - This is the excess of the Actuarial Value of Assets over the Actuarial Accrued Liability.

Implicit Rate Subsidy - This is the excess of the expected health care cost per retired member over the gross premium charged for that coverage. In most cases, the gross premium charged to a retiree is less than the expected health care cost, since the premium is a blended average rate that does not fully reflect the above-average, increasing costs by age that apply during retirement.

Normal Cost - This is the portion of the Actuarial Present Value of Benefits allocated to a valuation year by the Actuarial Cost Method.

Other Post-employment Benefits ("OPEB") - This refers to post-employment benefits other than pension benefits, including healthcare benefits regardless of the type of plan that provides them, and all other post-employment benefits provided separately from a pension plan, excluding benefits defined as termination benefits or offers.

Past Service Cost - This is a catch-up payment to fund the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability over time (generally 10 to 30 years). Also known as the Amortization Payment.

Return on Plan Assets - This is the actual investment return on plan assets during the fiscal year.

Substantive Plan - The terms of the postretirement benefit plan as understood by an employer that provides postretirement benefits and the employees who render services in exchange for those benefits. The substantive plan is the basis for the accounting for the plan.

Trend Rate - This is the rate at which health costs are assumed to increase over time.

Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability - This is the excess of the Actuarial Accrued Liability over the Actuarial Value of Assets.

Actuarial Method

The actuarial funding method used is the Entry Age Normal Cost Method. Recommended annual contributions consist of two pieces: Normal Cost plus a payment towards the Unfunded Accrued Liability.

The **Normal Cost** is determined by calculating the present value of future benefits for present active Members. This cost is then spread as a level percentage of earnings from entry age to termination as an Active Member. If Normal Costs had been paid at this level for all prior years, a fund would have accumulated. Because this fund represents the portion of benefits that would have been funded to date, it is termed the Accrued Liability. In fact, it is calculated by adding the present value of benefits for Retired Members and Terminated Vested Members to the present value of benefits for Active Members and subtracting the present value of future Normal Cost contributions.

The Unfunded Accrued Liability is the Accrued Liability less the value of any plan assets.

Actuarial Assumptions

Each of the assumptions used in this valuation was set based on industry standard published tables and data, the particular characteristics of the plan, relevant information from the plan sponsor or other sources about future expectations, and our professional judgement regarding future plan experience. We believe the assumptions are reasonable for the contingencies they are measuring, and are not anticipated to produce significant cumulative actuarial gains or losses over the measurement period.

Discount Rate Water and Sewer: 4.50%

All Others: 4.00%

Inflation Rate 2.70%

Medical Inflation Rate 7.10% - 4.60% over 68 years

Dental Inflation Rate 3.00%

Amortization Growth Rate 4.00%

Mortality RP-2000 Mortality Table with generational projection per Scale BB. This

assumption includes a margin for mortality improvement beyond the valuation

date.

Turnover 50% of Prudential Scale ½ A

Age	Male	Female
20	2.500%	3.750%
25	2.500%	3.750%
30	1.875%	2.500%
35	1.250%	1.875%
40	0.750%	1.250%
45	0.375%	0.625%
0 & Over	0.000%	0.000%

Disability Table C-4 of TSA Volume XXXIX, 100% of the 6-month rates:

Age	Male	Female
20	0.080%	0.100%
30	0.099%	0.140%
40	0.176%	0.276%
50	0.540%	0.622%
60	1.477%	1.179%

All disabilities are assumed to be Service-Connected.

The turnover and disability assumptions are based on the January 1, 2015 Actuarial Valuation Report of the Township of Bloomfield Retirement Income Plan.

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Actuarial Assumptions

Retirement

Fire:

For members hired after March 31, 1999 who retire with less than 25 Years of Service:

Age	Rate
52-64	5%
65	100%

Otherwise:

Age	Rate
52	20%
53-54	10%
55-56	30%
57-64	50%
65	100%

Police:

For members hired after March 31, 1999 who retire with less than 25 Years of Service:

Age	Rate
50-62	5%
63	100%

Otherwise:

Age	Rate
50-51	35%
52-54	10%
55-56	30%
57-62	50%
63	100%

Library: 25% at age 55 with 25 years of service; at all other ages (with at least 15 years of service):

Age	Rate
55-59	15%
60-61	25%
62	30%
63-64	15%
65-69	50%
70	100%

Actuarial Assumptions

Retirement

Others: 25% at the earlier of age 52 with 25 years of service or 30 years of service; at all other ages (with at least 15 years of service):

Age		Rate
< 53		5%
54		7%
55		10%
56-59	9	15%
60-61	1	25%
62		30%
63-64	1	15%
65-69	9	50%
70		100%

Future Retiree Coverage All active and former vested members are assumed to elect coverage at retirement.

Future Dependent Coverage

Current active members are assumed to elect dependent coverage at retirement as follows. All female spouses are assumed to be 3 years younger than males.

	Male	Female
Fire	95%	95%
Police	90%	90%
Town	80%	50%

Future Post-65 Coverage All current actives and pre-65 retirees are assumed to continue coverage at age

Valuation of Dental Benefits

It is assumed that there is no implicit rate subsidy associated with these benefits.

Valuation of Benefits for Children

Benefits attributed to children have been excluded from this valuation for Library, as they were determined to be de minimis.

This summary is intended only to describe our understanding of the essential features of the benefits that will be provided to future retirees based on copies of bargaining agreements, applicable personnel rules and the benefits being currently provided to retired members. All eligibility requirements and benefit amounts shall be determined in strict accordance with the relevant plan documents. To the extent that this summary does not accurately reflect the plan provisions, then the results of this valuation may not be accurate.

Eligibility

Fire

Members who retire from active service at age 52 or older, can elect to continue medical and dental coverage for self and spouse.

Members who terminate before age 52 with 15 or more years of service are eligible for post-retirement medical and dental benefits upon the attainment of age 52.

Normal Retirement for pension purposes is age 52 with 8 years of service.

Effective with hire date after May 1, 2011, employees shall have their retiree healthcare provided through a Retirement Health Savings Plan.

Police / Police Command

Hire date prior to April 1, 1999:

Members who retire from active service on or after Normal Retirement, can elect to continue medical and dental coverage for self and spouse.

Members who terminate before Normal Retirement with 25 or more years of service are eligible for post-retirement medical and dental benefits upon the attainment of Normal Retirement Date (age 50).

Members who terminate before Normal Retirement with between 15 and 25 years of service are eligible for post-retirement medical and dental benefits upon the attainment of age 52.

Effective for retirement from active service on or after June 7, 2006, eligibility for retiree health insurance is the earlier of age 50 with 25 years of service, or age 52 with 10 years of service, as long as the member has satisfied the minimum requirements to retire as defined in the Township defined benefit pension plan.

Eligibility

Police / Police Command

Hire date after March 31, 1999:

Members who retire from active service at age 50 or older and with 25 or more years of service, can elect to continue medical and dental coverage for self and spouse.

Members who terminate before age 50, but who have 25 years of service, are eligible for post-retirement medical and dental benefits upon the attainment of age 50.

Members who terminate with between 15 and 25 years of service are eligible for post-retirement medical and dental benefits upon the attainment of age 52.

Effective with hire date after May 1, 2011, employees shall have their retiree healthcare provided through a Retirement Health Savings Plan.

Town

Hire date prior to April 1, 1999:

Members who retire from active service at age 55 or older, can elect to continue medical and dental coverage for self and spouse, as long as the member has satisfied the minimum requirements to retire as defined in the Township defined benefit pension plan.

Members who retire from active service at age 52 with 15 years of service, or 30 years of service regardless of age, can elect to continue medical and dental coverage for self and spouse.

Members who terminate before normal retirement with 15 or more years of service, are eligible for post-retirement medical and dental benefits upon the attainment of normal retirement date.

Normal Retirement for Library is age 55 with 8 years of service.

Normal Retirement for Town Others is the earlier of age 52 with 8 years of service, or completion of 30 years of service regardless of age.

Eligibility

Town

Hire date after March 31, 1999:

Members who retire on or after normal retirement with 15 or more years of service, can elect to continue medical and dental coverage for self and spouse.

Members who terminate before normal retirement with 15 or more years of service are eligible for post-retirement medical and dental benefits upon the attainment of normal retirement date.

Effective with hire date after May 1, 2011, employees shall have their retiree healthcare provided through a Retirement Health Savings Plan.

Cost Sharing

Fire

Hire date prior to April 1, 1999:

An employee who retires from active service at age 52 or older who has satisfied the minimum requirements to retire as defined in the Township pension plan qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at no cost.

An employee who terminates prior to Normal Retirement Date with 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at Normal Retirement at no cost.

An employee who terminates prior to Normal Retirement Date and has between 15 and 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at Normal Retirement. Retiree's contributions are based on the following schedule:

	Retiree's %
Years of Service	of Premium
Less than 15	No Coverage
15	40%
16	36%
17	32%
18	28%
19	24%
20	20%
21	16%
22	12%
23	8%
24	4%
25	0%

Cost Sharing

Fire

Hire date after March 31, 1999:

An employee who retires on or after Normal Retirement with 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at no cost.

An employee who terminates prior to Normal Retirement with 25 years of Service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at Normal Retirement at no cost.

An employee who retires on or after Normal Retirement or terminates prior to Normal Retirement and has between 15 and 25 Years of Service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at Normal Retirement. Retiree's contributions are based on the following schedule:

	Retiree's %
Years of Service	of Premium
Less than 15	No Coverage
15	40%
16	36%
17	32%
18	28%
19	24%
20	20%
21	16%
22	12%
23	8%
24	4%
25	0%

Cost Sharing

Police / Police Command

Hire date prior to April 1, 1999:

An employee who retires from active service on or after Normal Retirement and who has satisfied the minimum requirements to retire as defined in the Township pension plan qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at no cost.

An employee who terminates prior to Normal Retirement Date with 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at Normal Retirement (age 50) at no cost.

An employee who terminates prior to Normal Retirement Date and has between 15 and 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at age 52. Retiree's contributions are based on the following schedule:

	Retiree's %
Years of Service	of Premium
Less than 15	No Coverage
15	40%
16	36%
17	32%
18	28%
19	24%
20	20%
21	16%
22	12%
23	8%
24	4%
25	0%

Retiree's contributions for employees who retire on or after July 1, 2009 are the greater of:

- \$100 per year for single (\$200 per year for family), or
- The above schedule

Cost Sharing

Police / Police Command

Hire date after March 31, 1999:

An employee who retires directly from the Township at age 50 or older with 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at no cost.

An employee who terminates prior to age 50 with 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at age 50 at no cost.

An employee who retires at age 52 or terminates prior to age 52, and who has between 15 and 25 years of service, qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at age 52. Retiree's contributions are based on the following schedule:

	Retiree's %
Years of Service	of Premium
Less than 15	No Coverage
15	40%
16	36%
17	32%
18	28%
19	24%
20	20%
21	16%
22	12%
23	8%
24	4%
25	0%

Retiree's contributions for employees who retire on or after July 1, 2009 are the greater of:

- \$100 per year for single (\$200 per year for family), or
- The above schedule

Cost Sharing

Town

Hire date prior to April 1, 1999:

An employee who retires from active service at the earlier of age 55 or 30 years of service regardless of age, and who has satisfied the minimum requirements to retire as defined in the Township pension plan, qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at no cost.

An employee who retires from active service between age 52 and 55 with 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at no cost.

An employee who retires between age 52 and 55 and has between 15 and 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance. Retiree's contributions are based on the following schedule (contribution will stop when retiree reaches age 55):

	Retiree's %
Years of Service	of Premium
Less than 15	No Coverage
15	40%
16	36%
17	32%
18	28%
19	24%
20	20%
21	16%
22	12%
23	8%
24	4%
25	0%

Cost Sharing

Town

Hire date prior to April 1, 1999:

An employee who terminates prior to Normal Retirement Date with 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at Normal Retirement at no cost.

An employee who terminates prior to Normal Retirement Date and has between 15 and 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at Normal Retirement. Retiree's contributions are based on the following schedule:

	Retiree's %
Years of Service	of Premium
Less than 15	No Coverage
15	40%
16	36%
17	32%
18	28%
19	24%
20	20%
21	16%
22	12%
23	8%
24	4%
25	0%

Cost Sharing

Town

Hire date after March 31, 1999:

An employee who retires from active service on or after Normal Retirement with 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at no cost.

An employee who terminates prior to Normal Retirement with 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at Normal Retirement at no cost

An employee who retires on or after Normal Retirement, or terminates prior to Normal Retirement, and has between 15 and 25 years of service qualifies for post-retirement health insurance at Normal Retirement. Retiree's contributions are based on the following schedule:

	Retiree's %
Years of Service	of Premium
Less than 15	No Coverage
15	40%
16	36%
17	32%
18	28%
19	24%
20	20%
21	16%
22	12%
23	8%
24	4%
25	0%

Disability Fire

An employee who is eligible for early retirement and suffers a service-connected disability shall receive the same post-retirement health and dental insurance benefits that are available to an employee who retires on or after their Normal Retirement Date. An employee who is not eligible for early retirement and suffers a service-connected disability shall receive post-retirement health and dental insurance benefits for 54 months only.

Police / Police Command

An employee who suffers a service-connected disability shall receive postretirement health benefits for 54 months only. An employee who suffers a non service-connected disability shall receive post-retirement health benefits for 30 months only.

Life Insurance Fire / Police: \$6,000

Police Command: \$8,000

Town: \$8,000