

**PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT BOARD**  
**100 North Park Avenue, Room 201**  
**Helena MT 59601**

**CLOSED MEETING**  
**Thursday, October 7, 2021**  
**11:30 am**

**ATTENDANCE**

*Board of Trustees*

Sheena Wilson, President  
Maggie Peterson, Vice President  
Robyn Driscoll, Member  
Rich Hickel, Member  
Jason Strouf, Member  
Sonja Woods, Member

*MPERA Staff*

Dore Schwinden, Executive Director  
William Holahan, Deputy Director / Information Technology Bureau Chief  
Nick Domitrovich, Chief Legal Counsel  
Hollie Resler, Fiscal Services Bureau Chief  
Patricia Davis, Member Services Bureau Chief  
James Malizia, Attorney  
Cynthia Pearson, Executive Assistant

*Public*

Randy Skelton, Wendy Wilson, Corvallis Rural Fire District (*via video conference*)

**ACTIONS**

**I. Consent Agenda**

- Member Sonja Woods moved to approve the consent agenda, as presented. President Sheena Wilson seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**II. Contested Cases**

- Member Robyn Driscoll moved to deny the request of the Corvallis Rural Fire District to give its volunteer firefighters credited service for FY2010 under the Volunteer Firefighters' Compensation Act (VFCA). Member Rich Hickel seconded the motion, which passed 5-1 (Member Jason Strouf was opposed).
- The MPERA legal staff had no additional updates on contested cases.