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

# CLOSED MEETING Thursday, February 13, 2025 10:00 am

## ATTENDANCE

Board of Trustees Maggie Peterson, President Rich Hickel, Vice President Dave Galt, Member Terry Halpin, Member (via video conference) Doug Kary, Member Jason Strouf, Member Sonja Woods, Member

MPERA Staff William Holahan, Executive Director Hollie Resler, Deputy Director and Fiscal Services Bureau Chief Nick Domitrovich, Chief Legal Counsel Jade Herrera, Benefits Specialist Supervisor Kelly Winterburn-Cox, Network Administrator Cynthia Piearson, Executive Assistant

*Public* PERS Member P.D. SRS Member K.H. and Attorneys

## ACTIONS

## I. Consent Agenda

• Vice President Rich Hickel moved to approve the consent agenda, as presented. Member Doug Kary seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

## **II. Contested Cases**

- Informal Reconsideration: Member Doug Kary moved that the Board uphold staff recommendation to reaffirm the reduction of PERS member P.D.'s retirement benefit for 2024, as presented. Vice President Rich Hickel seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.
- Informal Consideration: Member Jason Strouf moved to approve the disability claim of SRS member K.H., as presented. Member Sonja Woods seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.
- The MPERA legal staff had no additional updates on contested cases.