#### 2020 LEOFF 2 Actuarial Valuation Results



#### **Presentation to:**

#### LEOFF Plan 2 Retirement Board

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## **Today's Presentation**

- Background on new off-cycle valuation methods
- Key 2020 Actuarial Valuation Report results
- Informational No Board action needed today



#### **ACTUARIAL VALUATION REPORT**

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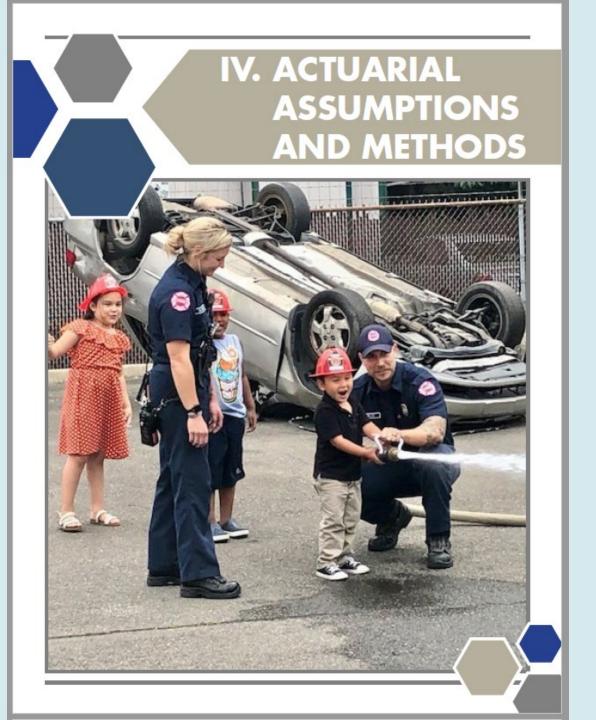






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## 2020 Off-Cycle Valuation

- Under the current contribution rate-setting cycle, even-numbered valuation years (e.g., 2020) are "off-cycle", or non-rate setting
- "Off-cycle" valuations provide an informational-only update on funding progress and plan developments



## **New Off-Cycle Valuation Methods**

- OSA developed a simplified methods for off-cycle valuations based on the purpose of the report
- How does this impact the 2020 valuation report?
  - Still providing updates on key valuation measures
    - Funded status, liability changes, plan assets
  - Report does not include contribution rates
  - Certain data details are not available

#### **Overview of Methods**

- Estimated 2020 data and assets by projecting 2019 data file forward one year
  - Relied on assumptions for changes in the data
  - Adjusted assumptions for actual 2020 salary/membership growth and investment return in projection
  - Compared projection data with actual data to ensure reasonable results
- Testing on prior valuation results using this methodology provided materially identical results



### A Couple Important Notes on the 2020 Valuation Results

- The 2020 valuation measures the system at June 30, 2020
- The results from the valuation do not include
  - 2021 Investment Return
  - Economic Assumptions Recommendation

## **Changes in Market Value of Assets**

LEOFF 2			
(Dollars in Millions)	2019	2020*	
<b>Beginning Market Value</b>	\$12,985	\$13,916	
Contributions	393	385	
Disbursements	(316)	(363)	
Investments	1,154, 8.89%	634, 4.55%	
OSA Adjustments**	(300)	0	
<b>Ending Market Value</b>	\$13,916	\$14,573	

Totals may not agree due to rounding.

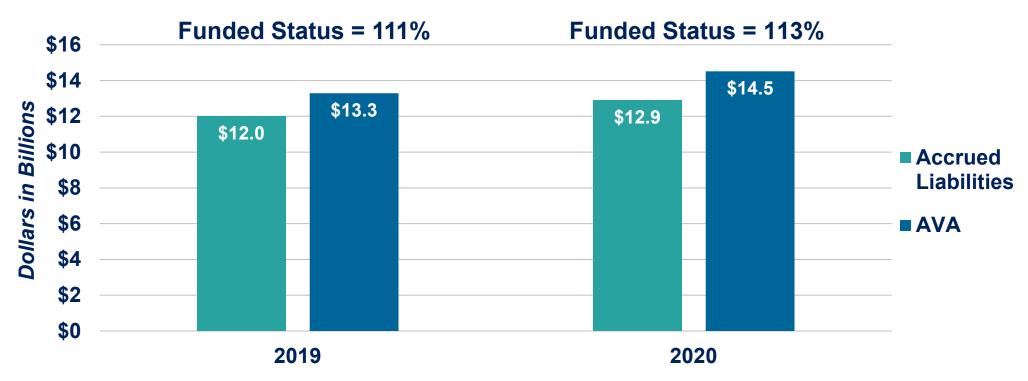
<sup>\*</sup>Estimated figures based on 2020 Actuarial Valuation Report methods.

<sup>\*\*</sup>OSA adjusted the market value of assets to reflect transfer of \$300 million on July 1, 2019, to the Benefit Improvement Account (BIA).

# Calculating 2020 AVA

Calculation of Actuarial Value of Assets			
(Dollars in Millions)			
Estimated 2020 Market Value (A)	\$14,573		
Deferred Investment Gain/(Loss)			
Plan Year Ending 6/30/2020	(\$265)		
Plan Year Ending 6/30/2019	\$0		
Plan Year Ending 6/30/2018	\$0		
Plan Year Ending 6/30/2017	\$291		
Plan Year Ending 6/30/2016	(\$83)		
Plan Year Ending 6/30/2015	\$0		
Plan Year Ending 6/30/2014	\$110		
Total Deferred Investment Gain/(Loss) (B)	\$53		
Estimated 2020 Actuarial Value (A) - (B)	\$14,520		

## **Funded Status Change from Last Valuation**



- Funded Status = \$ Actuarial Value of Assets \$ Accrued Liabilities
- If the funded status exceeds 100%, the plan has more than \$1 of assets for every \$1 of accrued benefits

### **Summary of 2020 Actuarial Valuation**

- The plan is considered healthy
  - Prior deferred assets offset lower than expected return
  - Funded status exceeds 100%
- 2021 on-cycle valuation will include strong 2021 asset returns and any changes to economic assumptions
  - OSA will present contribution rates June 2022

# Questions? Please Contact: The Office of the State Actuary leg.wa.gov/OSA; state.actuary@leg.wa.gov 360-786-6140, PO Box 40914, Olympia, WA 98504 Mitch DeCamp

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#### **Disclosure**

■ This presentation is based on the <u>2020 LEOFF 2 Actuarial Valuation Report</u>. Please see the report for a full disclosure of assumptions, methods, and data used to produce the results contained in this presentation.