

## Investments and Pensions Oversight Committee

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# **PERA Fund Performance**

- As of April 30, 2017, the PERA Fund was \$14.9 billion
- Fiscal YTD, the Fund returned 9.24% (net of fees)
- Fiscal YTD, the Fund paid \$924 million in pension benefits
- As of April 30, 2017 The PERA Smart Save Deferred Compensation Plan (457b) fund balance was \$558 million with 20,334 participants

As of 04/30/2017	Fiscal YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Since Inception 6/30/1985
PERA Total Fund Returns (Net of Fees)*	9.24%	9.88%	5.00%	7.70%	3.99%	9.04%
Policy Benchmark*	9.71%	11.82%	5.68%	7.62%	4.91%	9.00%
Tracking Error**	-0.47%	-1.94%	-0.68%	0.08%	-0.92%	0.04%

\* Annualized returns

\*\*Discrepancy based upon new Strategic Asset Allocation, which was adopted in April of 2016. May take up to 18-24 months to implement.



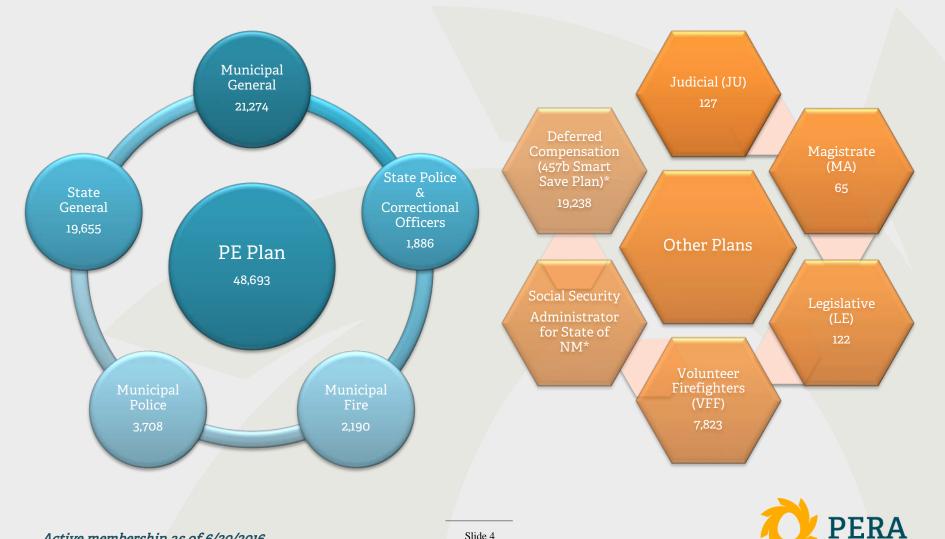
## **Asset Allocation Implementation Update**

Asset Category -Purpose	Asset Classes	Current*	Target	Legacy
<b>Global Equity</b> - Economic Growth	Global Public Equity Global Low Volatility Equity Hedged Equity Private Equity	47.7%	43.5%	54.3%
<b>Risk Reduction/ Mitigation</b> - Safety and Liquidity	Core Fixed Income Global Core Fixed Income Long Duration Core Fixed Income Cash / STO	25.1%	21.5%	26.1%
<b>Credit Oriented</b> - Hybrid Exposure to Growth & Income	Liquid Credit Strategies Emerging Market Debt Illiquid Credit Strategies	12.8%	15.0%	6.3%
<b>Real Assets</b> - Inflation Protection	Liquid Real Estate Illiquid Real Estate Liquid Real Assets Illiquid Real Assets Market Neutral Hedge Funds	14.3%	20.0%	13.3%

- The current strategic asset allocation (SAA) was approved by the PERA Board in April 2016
- The SAA simplified asset categories based on their respective roles in a broader portfolio
  - Global Equity reduced from 54.3% to 43.5%
  - Risk Reduction/Mitigation reduced from 26.1% to 21.5%
  - Credit Oriented Fixed Income increased from 6.3% to 15%
  - Real Assets increased from 13.3% to 20%
- The transition began in July 2016 and is 85% complete, with the equity and fixed income asset categories on target and within approved ranges
- The Real Asset allocation is anticipated to be on target by September 2017

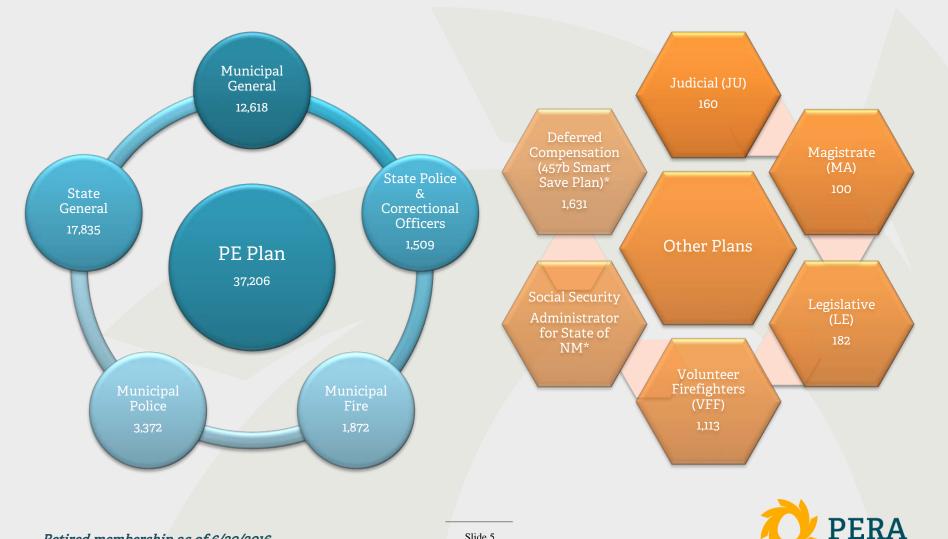


### PERA – Who We Serve **Active Membership**



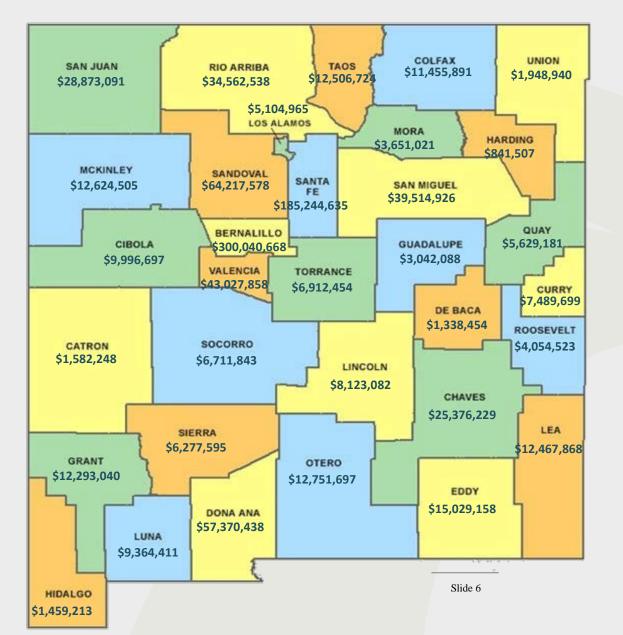
Active membership as of 6/30/2016 \* Social Security Administrator status ends 6/30/2017 Slide 4

### PERA – Who We Serve **Retired Membership**



Retired membership as of 6/30/2016 \* Social Security Administrator status ends 6/30/2017 Slide 5

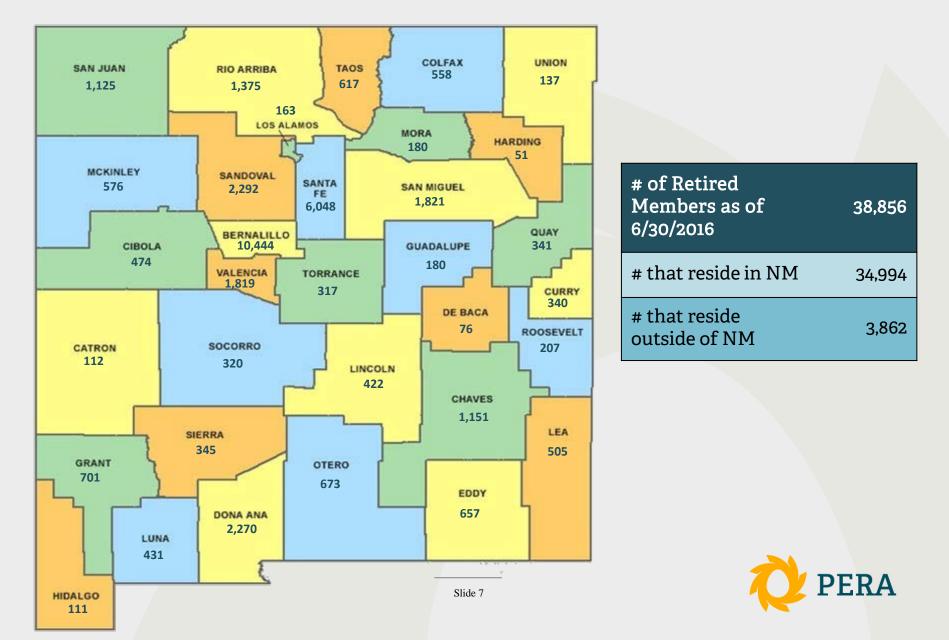
### **Benefit Payments Fiscal Year 2016**



- Fiscal Year 2016 benefit payments totaled
  \$1,034,659,654
- *\$951,300,842* in benefit payments were paid to retired members that reside in NM
- *\$83,358,812* in benefit payments were paid to retired members that reside outside of NM
- **\$44,998,075** in refunded member contributions were paid out in FY16
- **\$1,079,657,729** in total payments were made by PERA in FY16



### Number of Benefit Payments Fiscal Year 2016



# PERA at A Glance – FY16

		ge Annual ion - FY16	Average Age at Retirement - FY16		ige Annual ion - Total	Average Age at Retirement - Total
PERA Total	\$	29,700	58.55	\$	24,936	55.90
State General	\$	28,812	59.85	\$	23,580	57.39
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State Police/Corrections	\$	31,380	51.54	\$	27,864	51.16
Municipal General	\$	25,104	60.85	\$	22,656	57.78
Municipal Police	\$	44,028	49.11	\$	33,900	47.62
Municipal Fire	\$	46,944	49.11	\$	34,536	47.84
Judicial	\$	74,100	65.58	\$	63,348	61.82
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Magistrates	\$	13,380	63.08	\$	34,704	61.43
Legislative	\$	17,160	60.67	\$	7,356	64.58
Volunteer Firefighters	\$	1,896	62.33	\$	1,560	60.90



## **PERA Initiatives**

#### • Retirement Information Online (RIO) Strategic Enhancement Project

- Data Remediation & Governance
- Business Process Improvements and Enhancements to RIO pension application
- Multi-year project with targeted completion date June 2018

#### • PERA Board's Long-term Pension Solvency Education & Planning

- Actuarial Deconstruction of PERA's Unfunded Actuarial Liability
- Actuarial Modeling of Cost of PERA's Benefit Components
- Examine Solvency Measures for Future Retirement Sustainability

#### Research & Polling

- Member survey to be conducted in the fall
- Objective of continually improving service to our members

