

Pension E-News



October 2018

2018 Board of Trustee Elections

CTPF will hold elections for:

- Two (2) Teacher Trustees to serve three-year terms ending November 2021 (voting November 1-7, 2018)
- One (1) Teacher Trustee to fill a vacancy for a one-year term ending November 2019 (voting November 1-7, 2018)
- One (1) Pensioner Trustee to fill a vacancy for a term ending November 2019 (voting October 19 - November 7, 2018)



Pensioner Trustee Election & Candidate Information

CTPF mailed ballots by first-class mail to all eligible pensioners on October 19, 2018, and online voting is now open.

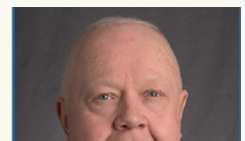
Pensioners have the option of voting with a traditional paper ballot or using a secure electronic ballot. Voting instructions are included with ballots.

Voting closes on November 7, 2018, at 5:00 p.m. (CT). All paper ballots must be received by November 7, 2018, at 5:00 p.m. (CT), in order to be counted in the election total.

Pensioner Trustee Candidates

Four certified candidates for one position.

(candidates are listed in random order)





Trina Smith-Hollingsworth



Lois Nelson



Kathleen Cleary Powers



Robert F. "Bob" Bures

Find candidate biographies and additional information on the Election Central page at www.ctpf.org/election-central

Teacher Trustee Election & Candidate Information

Teachers will vote online. You must secure your voting slip and instructions from your school Pension Representative prior to voting. Your Pension Representative will hand out voting materials in schools on November 1, 2018.

Teachers who are not assigned a school (citywide/substitutes) will receive voting instructions at their homes via US Mail. Ballots will be mailed on October 29, 2018, to addresses on file with CTPF.

If you do not receive a ballot but think you are eligible to vote, you may contact Election Services Corporation at 1.866.720.4357. Online voting will be available through 5:00 p.m. (CT) on November 7, 2018.

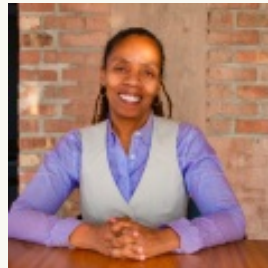
TEACHER TRUSTEE 3-YEAR CANDIDATES

Three certified candidates for two positions.

(candidates are listed in random order)



James Cavallero



Gervaise Clay



June M. Andalcio

TEACHER TRUSTEE 1-YEAR CANDIDATES

Two certified candidates for one position.

(candidates are listed in random order)



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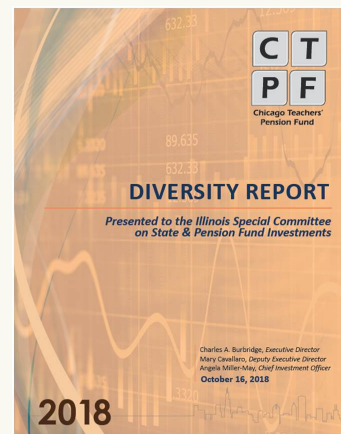
CTPF Remains Leader Among Pension Funds in Minority, Women and Disabled-Owned Business Enterprise Efforts

CTPF presents its MWDBE investments to State Legislators at an Illinois Senate Committee hearing

The Chicago Teachers' Pension Fund (CTPF) announced that it invested \$4.5 billion, more than 41.9 percent of total fund assets, with Minority, Women and Disabled-Owned Business Enterprise (MWDBE) firms in fiscal year 2018. This represents a 9.11% increase over 2017 investments. The Fund's work was highlighted during October 16, 2018, testimony presented to state legislators at an Illinois Senate Committee hearing on Pensions and Investments held in Chicago.

"Our total fund MWDBE assets have increased 525% since we first started tracking this data in the early 1990s. CTPF has consistently been a leader among pension and retirement systems throughout the United States, ensuring that MWDBE firms have access to the many opportunities to manage CTPF assets," said Jay C. Rehak, President of the Board of Trustees. "Our current allocations more than double the Fund's target and we pride ourselves on exceeding these measures and taking affirmative steps for our investment managers' participation."

Read the complete report at www.ctpf.org/financial-investment-reports



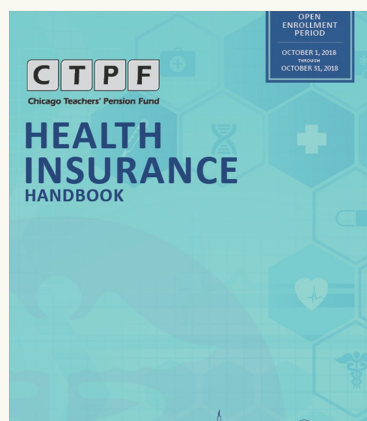
CTPF Retirees: 2019 Health Insurance Open Enrollment Ends TODAY

Open Enrollment for 2019 CTPF health insurance plans ends today, Wednesday, October 31, 2018. All Open Enrollment materials must be postmarked by October 31.

Open Enrollment Resources:

CTPF offers members a variety of resources to help you make informed choices about your 2019 Health Insurance.

[Visit the Open Enrollment Central page for 2019 information.](#)



2019 Health Insurance Handbook

The [2019 CTPF Health Insurance Handbook](#) offers an overview of plans and costs. All members should receive their Handbook in the mail by October 1, 2018.

The Handbook includes a summary of 2019 changes, updates, and costs for Medicare and Non-Medicare Plans, and an enrollment form.

Plan Changes & Updates

[Click here](#) for a summary of changes for Medicare and Non-Medicare plans that become effective in 2019. You can also view this on *page 5* of the *2019 CTPF Health Insurance Handbook*.

Open Enrollment Webinars

Open Enrollment webinars offer an overview of CTPF's 2019 health plan choices, changes and costs, and include a question and answer session following the presentations. [Find webinars on the Open Enrollment Central page.](#)

CTPF Deputy Executive Director Speaks at RTAC Luncheon

Thank you to the Retired Teachers Association of Chicago for inviting CTPF to address members during its 92nd Annual Fall Luncheon on October 19, 2018, at the Hilton Chicago. CTPF Deputy Executive Director Mary Cavallaro offered an overview of CTPF funding, health insurance, and the upcoming 2018 CTPF Board of Trustees Elections.



CTPF Honors Board of Trustees President and Vice-President

During the October 18, 2018, CTPF Board of Trustees meeting, the Trustees acknowledged and expressed appreciation for the work of Jay C. Rehak, CTPF Board President and Lois W. Ashford, CTPF Board Vice-President, who have each been elected to three terms and served nine years on the Board.

Trustees Rehak and Ashford will retire from the CTPF Board of Trustees in November, and their positions will be filled along with a one-year position created by the retirement of Trustee Bernice Eshoo. CTPF thanks Trustees Rehak and Ashford for their dedicated service and commitment to serving the needs of our members.



CTPF Features

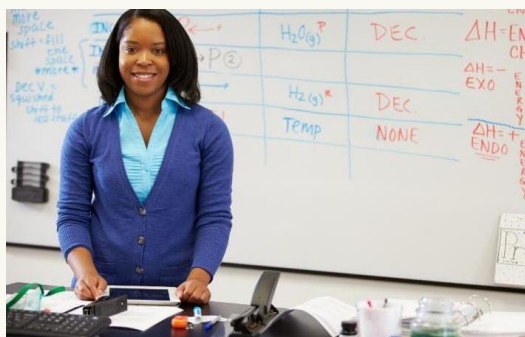
Retired Members: Are You Redefining Retirement?



What are you doing to stay active, creative, engaged, and involved in your retirement?

Email your story about how your retirement is unique to socialmedia@ctpf.org and we may contact you for a Redefining Retirement feature.

Active Members: Does Your School Shine?



What is your school doing to be creative, innovative, and to make a difference for students and faculty?

Email your story about how your school stands out to socialmedia@ctpf.org and we may contact you for a School Spotlight feature.

Pension Payment Schedule

The schedule for mailing checks and direct deposit dates through February is listed below. [Click here](#) for the full schedule.

Month	Check Mailing Date	Direct Deposit Date
November 2018	October 30, 2018	November 1, 2018
December 2018	November 29, 2018	December 3, 2018
January 2019	December 28, 2018	January 2, 2019
February 2019	January 30, 2019	February 1, 2019



Board of Trustees and Investment Committee meetings are held in the CTPF office at 9:30 a.m. and are open to the public. Confirm meeting times/dates at www.ctpf.org.

OCTOBER	31 - 2019 Open Enrollment Ends
NOVEMBER	1 - Teacher Trustee voting opens and Pensioner voting continues 7 - Board of Trustees voting closes 5:00 p.m. 8 - Technology Committee Meeting 9:30 a.m. 8 - Finance and Audit Committee Meeting 2:00 p.m. 12 - Veterans Day Office closed 13 - CTPF Board of Trustees meeting 9:30 a.m. 22-23 - Thanksgiving Holiday Office closed
DECEMBER	6 - Finance & Audit Committee Meeting 5:00 p.m. 18 - Board of Trustees meeting 9:30 a.m. 25 - Christmas Office closed

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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Jerry Travlos

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