

# News Release



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## Colorado PERA Announces Board Election Results

DENVER—Colorado PERA members re-elected Amy L. Nichols to a School Division seat and elected Richard A. Delk to a State Division seat on the 15-member Board of Trustees. Both will serve four-year terms.

In the School Division election, a total of 14,168 votes were cast. Nichols received 10,620 or 75 percent of the votes cast. In the State Division election, Delk received 50 percent, or 2,735, of the 5,516 votes cast.

Nichols has been a Board member since 2000 and is a math teacher in the Aurora Public Schools.

Delk is an accountant in the budget office of the Colorado State Patrol. He takes over the seat formerly held by Tamela Long, a business officer for the Colorado State Patrol.

By state law, the management of the Public Employees' Retirement Association is vested in the Board of Trustees while the General Assembly sets contribution rates and benefit levels. The Board is composed of 15 Trustees, including three Governor-appointed Trustees and the State Treasurer who serves as a voting ex-officio member of the Board.

Colorado PERA provides retirement and other benefits to 415,000 current and former employees of over 400 government and public entities in the state of Colorado. Colorado PERA is the 25th largest public pension plan in the U.S. with assets of \$39.8 billion.

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