

# News Release



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## **Board of Trustees Election Slated—Candidates Sought**

DENVER—In May 2010, Colorado PERA will hold an election for seats on the Board of Trustees for the following positions:

- One Local Government position
- One School position
- One State position in higher education

Candidacy packets will be available January 4, 2010, and may be obtained by writing to:

Colorado PERA  
Internal Audit Division  
1301 Pennsylvania Street  
Denver, CO 80203-5011

To be placed on the ballot, a candidate must fulfill the requirements explained in the candidacy packet. Requests for candidacy packets should include the name, Social Security number, PERA Division of membership, mailing address, daytime telephone number, and signature of the candidate. Members from the State Division who are interested in being a candidate should also indicate whether they are a member of the PERA Defined Benefit Plan or the PERA Defined Contribution Plan.

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The Board of Trustees meets at least five times per year and is responsible for adopting the rules and policies for the administration of PERA. Elected Board members serve without pay, but are reimbursed for necessary expenses.

PERA members from the Local Government, School, and State Divisions will be sent ballots in early May. Returned ballots must be postmarked by May 31, 2010.

PERA will be holding elections for the seats currently held by Mark Anderson from the Local Government Division, Scott Murphy from the School Division, and Carolyn Jonas-Morrison from the State Division (Higher Education), whose terms expire June 30, 2010. Each seat is for a four-year term.

Colorado PERA provides retirement and other benefits to 440,000 current and former employees of over 400 government and public entities in the state of Colorado. Colorado PERA is the 23rd largest public pension plan in the U.S. with assets of \$32.7 billion.

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