

2010 Colorado PERA Calendar of Events for DPS Retirees

December 2009

- 24-25** Christmas holiday, PERA offices closed
- 29** Year-end EFT statements mailed to benefit recipients
- Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited; 2010 PERACare premiums (if applicable) will be deducted for January coverage (benefit amounts may change)

January 2010

- 1** New Year's Day, PERA Offices closed
- 15** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address, tax withholding, or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for January payroll
- Spring *School Attendance Certification* forms due to PERA in order to continue survivor benefits
- Board of Trustees' meeting
- 18** Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, PERA Offices closed
- 29** DPS retirees hired on or before June 30, 2005, who usually receive their full annual increase in January will receive an increase of .5417 percent (2/12ths of 3.25 percent) to align the DPSRS annual increase date with the PERA annual increase payable in March
- Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited; 2010 federal and state withholding tables will be in effect (benefit amounts may change)

February 2010

- 15** Presidents' Day, PERA Offices closed
- 16** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for February payroll
- 26** Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited

March 2010

- 15** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for March payroll
- 19** Board of Trustees' meeting
- 31** Annual increase paid to benefit recipients (subject to legislative adjustment in early 2010)
- Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited (benefit amounts may change)

April 2010

- 15** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for April payroll
- 30** Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited

May 2010

- 17** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for May payroll
- Summer *School Attendance Certification* forms mailed from PERA; must return within 30 days of ending date of term to be eligible for summer benefits
- 28** Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited
- 31** Memorial Day, PERA Offices closed

June 2010

- 15** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for June payroll
- Summer *School Attendance Certification* forms due to PERA in order to continue survivor benefits
- 18** Board of Trustees' meeting
- 30** Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited

July 2010

- 5** Independence Day (observed), PERA Offices closed
- 15** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for July payroll

Fall *School Attendance Certification* forms mailed from PERA
- 30** Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited

August 2010

- 16** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for August payroll
- 31** Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited

Fall *School Attendance Certification* forms due to PERA to continue survivor benefits

September 2010

- 6** Labor Day, PERA Offices closed
- 7-24** PERACare open enrollment materials mailed to all current PERACare enrollees
- 15** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for September payroll
- 15-17** Board of Trustees' Planning Session
- 30** Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited

October 2010

- Oct 1-November 15** PERACare open enrollment; meetings held at various locations across Colorado throughout the month of October
- 15** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for October payroll
- 29** Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited

November 2010

- 1-15** PERACare open enrollment continues; enrollments and changes due to PERA by November 15
- 15** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for November payroll
- 19** Board of Trustees' meeting
- 25-26** Thanksgiving Holiday, PERA Offices closed
- 30** Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited

December 2010

- 15** Last day for PERA to receive signed requests for any address or EFT changes to ensure the change will be made for December payroll

Spring *School Attendance Certification* forms mailed from PERA
- 24** Christmas Holiday, PERA Offices closed
- 30** Year-end EFT statements mailed to PERA benefit recipients who use PERA's EFT (direct deposit) program; keep this statement for 2010 health care premiums that are used for filing tax returns

Benefit checks mailed and direct deposit accounts credited; 2011 PERACare and Medicare Part B premiums (if applicable) will be deducted from December benefit (benefit amounts may change)
- 31** New Year's Eve, PERA Offices closed

