



SUGGESTED FORM OF RESOLUTION TO ADOPT IMRF EARLY RETIREMENT INCENTIVE

IMRF Form 6.77 (3/02)

See note on back regarding ERI Cost Estimates

PLEASE ENTER Employer IMRF I.D. Number

RESOLUTION

Number _____

WHEREAS, Section 7-141.1 of the Illinois Pension Code provides that a participating employer may elect to adopt an early retirement incentive program offered by the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund by adopting a resolution or ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the goal of adopting an early retirement program is to realize a substantial savings in personnel costs by offering early retirement incentives to employees who have accumulated many years of service credit; and

WHEREAS, IMRF has prepared an actuarial estimate of the cost of an early retirement incentive program for _____; and

WHEREAS, the _____ EMPLOYER NAME has reviewed the cost estimate and determined that the adoption of an early retirement incentive is in the best interests of the _____ BOARD, COUNCIL, ETC. EMPLOYER NAME; therefore be it

RESOLVED by the _____ BOARD, COUNCIL, ETC. EMPLOYER NAME of the _____ EMPLOYER NAME that:

(1) The _____ EMPLOYER NAME does hereby adopt the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund early retirement incentive program as provided in Section 7-141.1 of the Illinois Pension Code. The early retirement incentive program shall take effect on _____ DATE.

(2) In order to help achieve a true cost savings, an employee who retires under the early retirement incentive program shall lose those incentives if he or she later accepts employment with any IMRF employer in any position.

(3) In order to utilize an early retirement incentive as a budgeting tool, the _____ EMPLOYER NAME will use its best efforts either to limit the number of retiring employees replaced or to limit the salaries paid to the replacement employees.

(4) The effective date of each employee's retirement under this early retirement incentive program shall be set by _____ EMPLOYER NAME and shall be no earlier than the effective date of the program and no later than one year after that effective date; except that the employee may require that the retirement date set by the employer be no later than the June 30 next occurring after the effective date of the program and no earlier than the date upon which the employee qualifies for retirement.

(5) To be eligible for the early retirement incentive under this Section, the employee must have attained age 50 and have at least 20 years of creditable service by his or her retirement date.

(6) The _____ CLERK OR SECRETARY shall promptly file a certified copy of this resolution (ordinance) with the Board of Trustees of the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund.

CERTIFICATION

I, _____ NAME the _____ CLERK OR SECRETARY of the _____ EMPLOYER NAME of the County of _____ COUNTY, State of Illinois, do hereby certify that I am the keeper of the books and records of the _____ EMPLOYER NAME and that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution (ordinance) _____ ORDINANCE adopted by the _____ BOARD, COUNCIL, ETC. at a meeting duly convened and held on the _____ day of _____, 19, _____.

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CLERK OR SECRETARY OF THE BOARD