ORDINANCE NO. 890
AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE AUTHORIZING AN
AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT BETWEEN ITS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF
THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE AND THE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE
CALIFORNIA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside does ordain as follows:

Section 1. That an amendment to the contract between the Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside and the Board of Administration, California Public Employees' Retirement System, is hereby authorized, a copy of said amendment being attached hereto, marked Exhibit, and by such reference made a part hereof as though herein set out in full.

Section 2. The Chairman of the Board of Supervisors is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to execute said amendment for and on behalf of said County.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after the date of its adoption, and prior to the expiration of fifteen (15) days from the passage thereof shall be published at least once in the Press-Enterprise, a newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in the County of Riverside, and thenceforth and thereafter the same shall be in full force and effect.


(FOLLOWING IS SAID "EXHIBIT" OF AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT)
AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT

Between the
Board of Administration
California Public Employees' Retirement System
and the
Board Supervisors
County of Riverside


Pursuant to Government Code sections 20460.1, 20469.1, subdivision (b), and 71624, this contract is hereby amended to add the Trial Court of Riverside County, hereinafter referred to as Trial Court, as a contracting party. Trial Court shall participate in the Public Employees' Retirement System from and after the implementation date of the Trial Court Employment Protection and Governance Act pursuant to the terms and conditions of this contract, making its employees members of said System subject to all conditions of this contract, making its employees members of said System subject to all provisions of the Public Employees' Retirement Law except such as apply only on election of a contracting agency and are not provided for in this contract and to all amendments to said Law hereafter enacted except those, which by express provisions thereof, apply only on the election of a contracting agency."
A. Paragraphs 1 through 13 are hereby stricken from said contract as executed effective May 20, 2008, and hereby replaced by the following paragraphs numbered 1 through 14 inclusive:

1. All words and terms used herein which are defined in the Public Employees' Retirement Law shall have the meaning as defined therein unless otherwise specifically provided. "Normal retirement age" shall mean age 60 for local miscellaneous members and age 50 for local safety members.

2. Public Agency shall participate in the Public Employees' Retirement System from and after April 1, 1945 making its employees as hereinafter provided, members of said System subject to all provisions of the Public Employees’ Retirement Law except such as apply only on election of a contracting agency and are not provided for herein and to all amendments to said Law hereafter enacted except those, which by express provisions thereof, apply only on the election of a contracting agency.

3. Public Agency agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) and its trustees, agents and employees, the CalPERS Board of Administration, and the California Public Employees' Retirement Fund from any claims, demands, actions, losses, liabilities, damages, judgments, expenses and costs, including but not limited to interest, penalties and attorneys' fees that may arise as a result of any of the following:

   (a) Public Agency's election to provide retirement benefits, provisions or formulas under this Contract that are different than the retirement benefits, provisions or formulas provided under the Public Agency's prior non-CalPERS retirement program.

   (b) Public Agency's election to amend this Contract to provide retirement benefits, provisions or formulas that are different than existing retirement benefits, provisions or formulas.

   (c) Public Agency's agreement with a third party other than CalPERS to provide retirement benefits, provisions, or formulas that are different than the retirement benefits, provisions or formulas provided under this Contract and provided for under the California Public Employees’ Retirement Law.
(d) Public Agency's election to file for bankruptcy under Chapter 9 (commencing with section 901) of Title 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code and/or Public Agency's election to reject this Contract with the CalPERS Board of Administration pursuant to section 365, of Title 11, of the United States Bankruptcy Code or any similar provision of law.

(e) Public Agency's election to assign this Contract without the prior written consent of the CalPERS' Board of Administration.

(f) The termination of this Contract either voluntarily by request of Public Agency or involuntarily pursuant to the Public Employees' Retirement Law.

(g) Changes sponsored by Public Agency in existing retirement benefits, provisions or formulas made as a result of amendments, additions or deletions to California statute or to the California Constitution.

4. Employees of Public Agency in the following classes shall become members of said Retirement System except such in each such class as are excluded by law or this agreement:

a. Local Fire Fighters (herein referred to as local safety members);

b. County Peace Officers (included as local safety members);

c. Employees other than local safety members (herein referred to as local miscellaneous members).

5. In addition to the classes of employees excluded from membership by said Retirement Law, the following classes of employees shall not become members of said Retirement System:

a. CROSSING GUARDS HIRED ON OR AFTER JULY 23, 1981;

b. SERVICE AIDE I, II, AND III HIRED ON OR AFTER JULY 23, 1981;

c. REGISTERED NURSE I AND III – PAID ON A PER DIEM BASIS;

d. LICENSED VOCATIONAL NURSE II – PAID ON A PER DIEM BASIS, HIRED ON OR AFTER JULY 23, 1981;

e. PSYCHIATRIST I AND II – PAID ON A PER DIEM BASIS, HIRED ON OR AFTER NOVEMBER 26, 1982;

f. PHYSICIAN – PAID ON A PER DIEM BASIS, HIRED ON OR AFTER NOVEMBER 26, 1982;

g. DENTIST – PAID ON A PER DIEM BASIS, HIRED ON OR AFTER NOVEMBER 26, 1982;
h. PROGRAM ASSISTANTS HIRED ON OR AFTER SEPTEMBER 1, 1984;

i. RESIDENT PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS HIRED ON OR AFTER NOVEMBER 21, 1985;

j. REGISTERED NURSE II – PAID ON A PER DIEM BASIS, HIRED ON OR AFTER MARCH 13, 1986;

k. ALL MEDICAL OR DENTAL PERSONNEL, PAID ON A PER DIEM BASIS HIRED ON OR AFTER JUNE 6, 1986.

l. PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT FELLOWSHIP HIRED ON OR AFTER JULY 6, 2007; AND

m. SERVICE AIDE I, SERVICE AIDE II, PROGRAM ASSISTANT AND SUPERVISORS PROGRAM ASSISTANT IN THE OLDER AMERICAN COMMUNITY SERVICE EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM HIRED ON OR AFTER MAY 20, 2008.

6. The percentage of final compensation to be provided for each year of credited prior and current service as a local miscellaneous member in employment before and not on or after July 11, 2002 shall be determined in accordance with Section 21354 of said Retirement Law subject to the reduction provided therein for Federal Social Security (2% at age 55 Modified and Full).

7. The percentage of final compensation to be provided for each year of credited prior and current service as a local miscellaneous member in employment on or after July 11, 2002 shall be determined in accordance with Section 21354.3 of said Retirement Law subject to the reduction provided therein for Federal Social Security (3% at age 60 Modified and Full).

8. The percentage of final compensation to be provided for each year of credited prior and current service as a local safety member shall be determined in accordance with Section 21362.2 of said Retirement Law (3% at age 50 Full).

9. Public Agency elected and elects to be subject to the following optional provisions:

a. Section 20436 ("County Peace Officer" shall include employees of a sheriff's office who were employed to perform identification or communication duties on August 4, 1972 and who elected to be local safety members).

b. Section 20437 ("County Peace Officer" shall include constables, deputy constables, marshals and deputy marshals as described in Government Code Section 20437).
c. Section 21222.1 (One-Time 5% Increase - 1970). Legislation repealed said Section effective January 1, 1980.

d. Section 21222.2 (One-Time 5% Increase - 1971). Legislation repealed said Section effective January 1, 1980.

e. Sections 21624 and 21626 (Post-Retirement Survivor Allowance).

f. Section 20042 (One-Year Final Compensation) for local miscellaneous members and county peace officers only.

g. Section 21325 (One-Time 3% to 15% Increase for or on behalf of those county peace officers and local miscellaneous members Who Retired or Died Prior to January 1, 1974). Legislation repealed said Section effective January 1, 2002.

h. Section 21326 (One-Time 1% to 7% Increase for or on behalf of those county peace officers and local miscellaneous members Who Retired or Died Prior to July 1, 1974). Legislation repealed said Section effective January 1, 2002.

i. Section 20439 ("County Peace Officer" shall include county jail, detention or correctional facility employees as described in Government Code Section 20439).

j. Section 20438 ("County Peace Officer" shall include probation officers, deputy and assistant probation officers, juvenile hall employees, and persons employed as peace officers pursuant to Section 830.5 of the Penal Code as described in Government Code Section 20438).

k. Section 20440 ("County Peace Officer" shall include bailiffs as described in Government Code Section 20440).

l. Section 21548 (Pre-Retirement Option 2W Death Benefit) for local safety members only.

m. Section 21024 (Military Service Credit as Public Service).

n. Section 20692 (Employer Paid Member Contributions Converted to Payrate During the Final Compensation Period) for local miscellaneous members and local safety members in the following group:

Law Enforcement Management Unit, Miscellaneous Law Enforcement Management Unit, Safety.
o. Section 20903 (Two Years Additional Service Credit).

p. Section 21023.5 (Public Service Credit for Peace Corps, AmeriCorps VISTA, or AmeriCorps Service).

q. Section 21574.5 (Indexed Level of 1959 Survivor Benefits).

10. Public Agency, in accordance with Government Code Section 20790, ceased to be an "employer" for purposes of Section 20834 effective on April 7, 1977. Accumulated contributions of Public Agency shall be fixed and determined as provided in Government Code Section 20834, and accumulated contributions thereafter shall be held by the Board as provided in Government Code Section 20834.

11. Public Agency shall contribute to said Retirement System the contributions determined by actuarial valuations of prior and future service liability with respect to local miscellaneous members and local safety members of said Retirement System.

12. Public Agency shall also contribute to said Retirement System as follows:
   a. Contributions required per covered member on account of the 1959 Survivor Benefits provided under Section 21574.5 of said Retirement Law. (Subject to annual change.) In addition, all assets and liabilities of Public Agency and its employees shall be pooled in a single account, based on term insurance rates, for survivors of all local miscellaneous members and local safety members.
   b. A reasonable amount, as fixed by the Board, payable in one installment within 60 days of the date of the contract to cover the costs of administering said System as it affects the employees of Public Agency, not including the costs of special valuations or of the periodic investigation and valuations required by law.
   c. A reasonable amount, as fixed by the Board, payable in one installment as the occasions arise, to cover the costs of special valuations on account of employees of Public Agency, and costs of the periodic investigation and valuations required by law.

13. Contributions required of Public Agency and its employees shall be subject to adjustment by Board on account of amendments to the Public Employees' Retirement Law, and on account of the experience under the Retirement System as determined by the periodic investigation and valuation required by said Retirement Law.
14. Contributions required of Public Agency and its employees shall be paid by Public Agency to the Retirement System within fifteen days after the end of the period to which said contributions refer or as may be prescribed by Board regulation. If more or less than the correct amount of contributions is paid for any period, proper adjustment shall be made in connection with subsequent remittances. Adjustments on account of errors in contributions required of any employee may be made by direct payments between the employee and the Board.

B. This amendment shall be effective on the _____ day of _____

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION
PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM
BY
LORI MCGARTLAND, CHIEF EMPLOYER SERVICES DIVISION
PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
BY
PRESIDING OFFICER

Witness Date

Attest:

Clerk