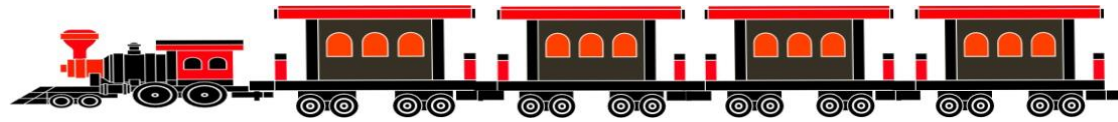




SHELBY COUNTY GOVERNMENT RETIREE CONNECTION



SHELBY COUNTY RETIREMENT SYSTEM

160 N. Main 7th Floor • Memphis, TN 38103

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Cost of Living Adjustment

We are pleased to announce the following cost of living adjustment (COLA) for certain retirees. The cost of living increase is included on your **January 31, 2023** pension deposit. Increases are as follows:

Plan A and C Members will receive a 4% COLA

- ❖ Retirees age 65 or older as of 12/31/2022
- ❖ Disabled Retiree
- ❖ Dependent Children
- ❖ Spouses age 65 or older or receiving 2-year temporary benefit

Plan B Members will receive a 1% COLA

- ❖ Retirees & Spouses age 65 or older as of 12/31/2022. The original Retiree must have 25 years of service to qualify for this COLA.
- ❖ Disabled Children
- ❖ Retired before 1/1/2018
- ❖ Pension less than \$3000.00 per month

Plan D Members will receive a 2% COLA

- ❖ Retirees & Spouses age 67 or older as of 12/31/2022
- ❖ Dependent Children
- ❖ Surviving Spouse

2023 RETIREMENT PAYROLL January 31, 2023

**2023 SHELBY COUNTY
GOVERNMENT HOLIDAYS**
January 02, 2023 New Year's Day
January 16, 2023 MLK Birthday



From

Shelby County Government

And

Shelby County Government Retirement Office

Remember your December pension benefit was paid early; you will not receive a payment at the end of the month.

SCORE NEWS

Shelby County Organization of
Retired Employees

The next **SCORE Board** meeting will be held on **Monday, January 9, 2023** at 10:00 A.M., and the **SCORE** meeting will be held the **same day**, at 11:00 A.M., at the Board of Education Building, 160 S. Hollywood, Barnes Auditorium. All retirees are welcome.



RETIREMENT BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, January 10, 2023
10:00 A.M., 160 N. Main, Memphis, TN 38103
5th Floor Conference Room #1

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE

In order to improve overall office management and efficiency, effective **April 1, 2023**, Shelby County Retirement Office will no longer issue monthly payroll direct deposit advices. Your last direct deposit advice will be issued on **March 31, 2023**.

Monthly direct deposit advices and the Retiree Newsletter will be available on the Web Member Services site –

[https:// memberservices.shelbycountyttn.gov](https://memberservices.shelbycountyttn.gov)
and may also be accessed with your mobile device. In addition, retirees may contact their financial institution regarding the net amount of their monthly pension benefit.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO FOLLOW IN SPECIAL MAILINGS

The Retirement Office must be notified in writing of all address, telephone number, and direct deposit changes by mail at **Shelby County Government, 160 North Main Street 7th Floor, Memphis, TN 38103** or by email at retirement.office@shelbycountyttn.gov

NAME _____

NEW ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

SIGNATURE: _____



2023 FEDERAL TAX WITHHOLDING CHANGES

The IRS released a revised Form W-4P (Withholding Certificate for Periodic Pension or Annuity Payments) that includes substantial changes to the federal tax withholding elections.

These changes are effective January 1, 2023. Shelby County retirees and beneficiaries who already receive ongoing payments and who do not wish to make changes to their federal tax withholding elections are not required to file a new form.

Our system has been updated to convert your 2022 withholding elections to the new 2023 calculation method. However, if you wish to make changes to your withholding status, on or after January 1, 2023, you will be required to use the new 2023 W-4P form. To obtain the new 2023 W-4P form, visit www.irs.gov or you may contact our office.

PLEASE BE ADVISED: Shelby County Retirement System staff members are not tax advisors and cannot advise or assist you with completion of the new 2023 W-4P form. For assistance, please contact your tax professional or the IRS for guidance.

Health Care Provider Contact Information

Aetna (Post-65 Retirees)

1-877-281-0529

Cigna Medical (Pre-65 Retirees & Active Employees)

1-800-558-7453

Cigna Dental

1-800-244-6224

Davis Vision

1-877-923-2847

Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. (MetLife)

1-800-638-6420

Social Security/Medicare

1-800-772-1213

Please Keep These Numbers in a Convenient Place

FLU SHOT – POST 65 RETIREES AETNA HEALTHCARE COVERAGE ONLY

Here's how Aetna Medicare Advantage members can get a flu shot at no extra cost:

- Visit one of the network flu shot providers.
- You can find them at AetnaRetireePlans.com
- Follow the provider search instructions. When you're asked what you want to search for, enter flu shot. **Note: If you use an out-of-network flu shot provider, you may have to pay some of the cost.**

PRE 65 RETIREES CIGNA HEALTHCARE COVERAGE ONLY

Shelby County Government Employee Care Clinic (ECC)

Avoid The Flu!

Get the flu shot here

All employees and pre-65 retirees are encouraged to get their flu shot. The ECC will offer the flu shot during regular clinic hours by appointment. Walk-ins are also welcome.

Monday, October 3rd 2022 – Monday, February 28th 2023

1215 Poplar Avenue, Memphis, TN 38104

HOURS: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday: 8am – 4pm, Wednesday 9am – 6pm and Friday 8am – 12pm

For more info or to schedule an appointment call: **901-472-4190**

ECC services available to employees and pre-65 retirees with medical coverage through Shelby County Government



PAUL BAGGETT	CONVENTION	11/17/2022
JANICE BAGWELL	CHANCERY COURT	11/17/2022
LIZABETH BARNER	CIRCUIT COURT	11/29/2022
WILLIAM HAYNES	ATTORNEY GENERAL	11/05/2022
HARVEY HOLMES	JAIL ADMIN.	11/26/2022
MALCOLM HOOD	SHERIFF'S OFFICE	11/25/2022
MYRA HUTCHENS	SHERIFF'S OFFICE	11/29/2022
RICHARD RITTER	ASSESSOR'S OFFICE	12/05/2022
DONALD SCOTT	SHERIFF'S OFFICE	11/24/2022



**Happy Birthday to all Retirees
for the Month of December 2022**