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## 2017 Advisory Committee Election Information

April 2017

***Election time is here again! The Advisory Committee Election will be held this spring, and following is some information about this election.***

The Denver Employees Retirement Plan is governed by a Retirement Board appointed by the Mayor. In addition, four non-voting Advisory Committee members serve staggered three-year terms. Three members are elected by the Plan membership, while one Committee member is appointed by the Career Service Board.

The Advisory Committee represents the membership at monthly Board meetings by asking questions of, and offering suggestions to, the Board. Advisory Committee members must attend Retirement Board meetings, generally half-day sessions held in the Plan's office on the third Friday of each month. The Committee is advisory only and its members do not have a vote regarding the operation of the Plan.

The Advisory Committee election is held on an annual basis. The committee must be made up of at least one elected vested employee member (a current City or DHHA employee who has five years or more of credited service) and one elected retired member.

**The candidates for 2017 may be either vested current City or DHHA employees, or retired Plan members.**

All current employees and retired members may vote for the Advisory Committee nominees. A list of candidates and an election ballot will be sent to each current employee and retired member in May 2017. The elected member will be announced at the annual meeting to be held Friday, June 16, 2017.

**To be an eligible candidate for the 2017 election:**

- 1. You must be a vested current City or covered DHHA employee member, or a retired member, of the Plan.**
- 2. You must complete a candidate registration form, which may be obtained from the Plan.**
- 3. The registration form must be returned to the Retirement Plan by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 21, 2017.**

***If you would like to run for the Advisory Committee, contact the Plan via email at [mbrsvs@derp.org](mailto:mbrsvs@derp.org) or by phone at (303) 839-5419, and a registration form will be sent to you.***

The current Advisory Committee is comprised of the following individuals:

- **Robert Press**, a retired member whose term will expire in June 2017.
- **Heather Britton**, a member of the staff of the Office of Human Resources, appointed by the Career Service Board, to a term that will expire in June 2017.
- **Mike Aleksick**, a current employee whose term will expire in June 2018.
- **Erma D. Zamora**, a retired member whose term will expire in June 2019.

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