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Auditor General DeFoor Releases Audits of Municipal Pension Plans in 21 Counties

HARRISBURG – Auditor General Timothy L. DeFoor today announced the release of audits of 45 municipal and police pension plans in Armstrong, Beaver, Berks, Blair, Butler, Bradford, Cambria, Chester, Clearfield, Dauphin, Erie, Greene, Lackawanna, Lehigh, Luzerne, Mercer, Northampton, Northumberland, Schuylkill, Warren and Westmoreland counties.

“Our audits make sure your local taxes are used correctly to fund pension plans for municipal workers like police and firefighters,” Auditor General DeFoor said. “We make sure municipal and police pension plans follow the law, contracts, administrative procedures, local ordinances and policies.”

State aid for municipal pension plans is generated by a 2 percent tax on fire and casualty insurance policies sold in Pennsylvania by out-of-state companies. In 2022, the Department of the Auditor General distributed a total of \$329 million in aid to 1,453 municipalities and regional departments to support pension plans covering police officers, paid firefighters and non-uniformed employees.

The department is required by law to audit municipal pension plans and volunteer fire relief associations that receive state aid from the department; liquid fuels tax usage by municipalities; various county offices and numerous other state government entities.

Explanations of findings are found in the full audit reports linked below or available online at www.PaAuditor.gov/audit-reports.

Armstrong County

[Crescent Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Crescent Township Police Pension Plan](#)

[Valley Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

Beaver County

[White Township Police Pension Plan](#)

Berks County

[Cumru Township Non-Uniformed Defined Contribution Pension Plan](#)

[Cumru Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Cumru Township Police Pension Plan](#)

Blair County

[Duncanville Borough Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Duncanville Borough Police Pension Plan](#)

Butler County

[Donegal Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

Bradford County

[North Towanda Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

Cambria County

[West Hills Regional Police Pension Plan](#)

[Westmont Borough Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

Chester County

[Sadsbury Township Police Pension Plan](#)

[Upper Oxford Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

Clearfield County

[Girard Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

Dauphin County

[Royalton Borough Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[West Hanover Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

Erie County

[Amity Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Montgomery Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

Greene County

[Center Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Franklin Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Richhill Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

Lackawanna County

[Taylor Borough Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Taylor Borough Police Pension Plan](#)

Lehigh County

[Slatington Borough Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

Luzerne County

[Kingston Township Non-Uniformed Employees Pension Plan](#)

[Kingston Township Police Pension Plan](#)

[West Hazelton Borough Firemen's Pension Plan](#)

[West Hazelton Borough Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[West Hazelton Borough Police Pension Plan](#)

Mercer County

[South Pymatuning Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[South Pymatuning Township Police Pension Plan](#)

Northampton County

[Lower Saucon Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Lower Saucon Township Police Pension Plan](#)

Northumberland County

[Mount Carmel Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

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Schuylkill County

[Palo Alto Borough Police Pension Plan](#)

[Post Carbon Borough Police Pension Plan](#)

Warren County

[Pittsfield Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Sheffield Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Sheffield Township Police Pension Plan](#)

Westmoreland County

[Ligonier Valley Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

[Ligonier Valley Police Pension Plan](#)

[South Huntingdon Township Non-Uniformed Pension Plan](#)

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