



EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

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Riverdale, MD – December 19, 2023 – The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission Employees' Retirement System is excited to announce the launch of its newly designed website, <https://www.ers.mncppc.org> on **December 22, 2023**. The website features a fresh look, user-friendly navigation, and informative content to help Members and Beneficiaries understand the Employees' Retirement System Pension Plan (the Plan).

Key features of the new website include:

- Increased website performance due to improved functionality and web content management.
- Improved user experience (both desktop and mobile) with faster page loading and presentation.
- Ability to capture site analytics, drive better SEO (Search Engine Optimization) results, and site recognition from search engine sites like Google.
- More accessible, user friendly for people with all abilities and ADA compliance.
- Easier navigation through better organization of information and layout.
- Use of current website trends and features.
- Better site reporting tools with easy-to-understand reports (Coming in 2024).

We are thrilled to unveil our new website to the public and provide an enhanced online experience for our valued Members and Beneficiaries. The site's improved navigation reflects our dedication to informing and serving our Members.

Visitors are encouraged to explore the website and bookmark to your favorites. For media inquiries, contact Administrative Specialist, Alicia C. Stanford, at 301-454-1448 or alicia.stanford@mncppc.org

The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission (Commission) Employees' Retirement System covers employees of the Commission, a body corporate of the State of Maryland, established by the Maryland General Assembly in 1927. The Commission is the bi-county agency empowered to acquire, develop, and administer a regional system of parks in the defined Metropolitan District, and to prepare and administer a general plan for the physical development of a defined Regional District for Montgomery and Prince George's Counties. The Commission established a single employer defined benefit pension plan effective July 1, 1972, in accordance with the Trust Agreement between the Commission and the ERS Board of Trustees.

The Mission of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission Employees' Retirement System is to prudently manage, protect, diversify, and administer the funds for the sole benefit of the Members and Beneficiaries to ensure sufficient assets are available to pay the promised benefits.