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Path to Long-Term Sustainability

S.F. 2499/H.F. 2953



Financial Status of TRA

Fiscal Year 2009	July 1, 2009 Actuarial Value (5 yr smoothing of investment losses)	July 1, 2009 Market Value (no smoothing of investment losses)
Funding Ratio (Assets as % of Liabilities)	77 %	60 %
Current Contributions	11.69 % of pay	11.69 % of pay
Contributions Needed	16.81 % of pay	22.76 % of pay
Contribution Deficiency	(5.12) % of pay	(11.07) % of pay

* Source: Mercer Consulting, FY 09 valuation – EE rate = 5.5%; ER rate = 5.5%



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Path to TRA Long-Term Sustainability

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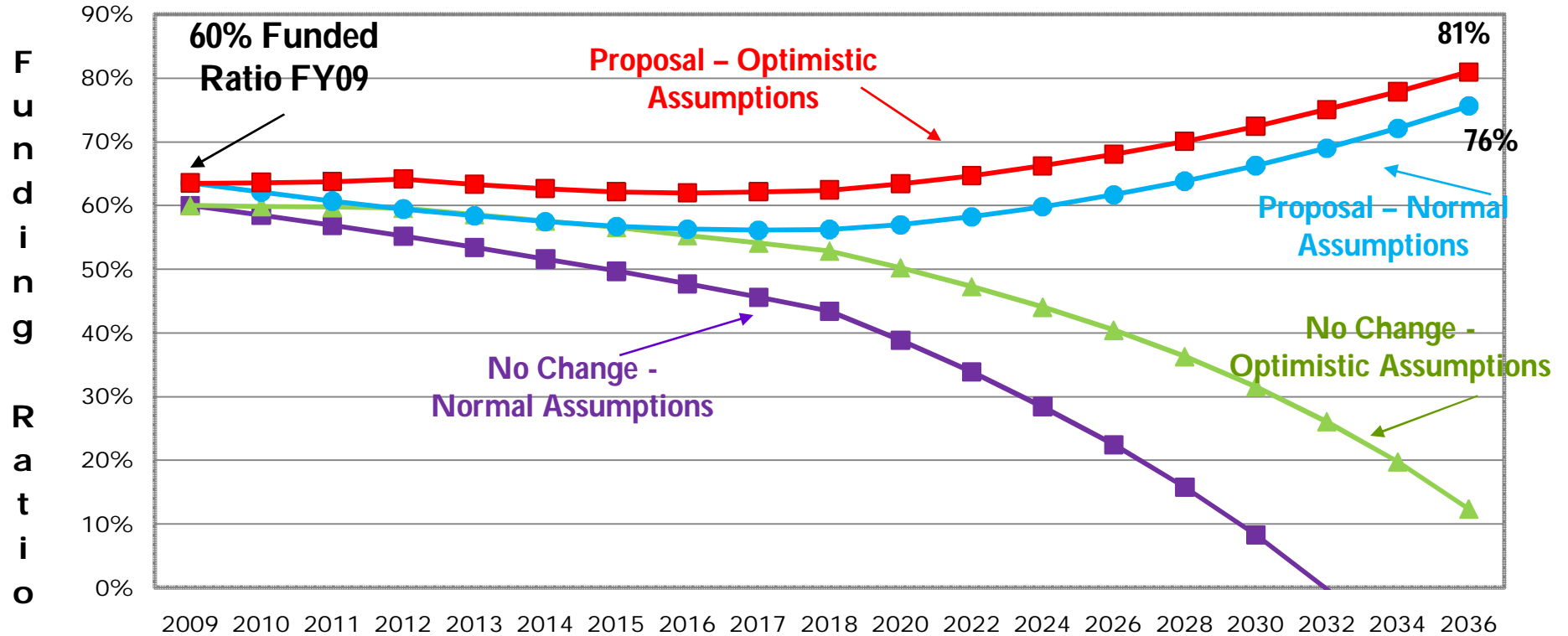
Proposals	Savings/revenue estimate
Suspend annual increase for two years (2011-12)	1.0 %
Modify annual increase: 2 percent in 2012 and future years until fund stabilized	1.6 %
Increase contributions: 2% employers, phased in 0.5%/yr, 2011-2014	2.0 %
Increase contributions: 2% employees; phased in 0.5%/yr, 2011-2014	2.0 %
Reduce deferred interest rate to 2%, refund rate to 4% and ELSA rate to 0%	0.4 %
Expected revenue/savings from proposals	7.0 %
Actuarial value contribution deficiency	(5.12 %)
Resulting actuarial value contribution sufficiency after proposals	1.88 %
Market value contribution deficiency	(11.07 %)
Remaining market value contribution deficiency after proposals	(4.07 %)



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Each of first 10 years is presented, every other year after

- **Purple:** Current Contributions (11.69%), no changes in contributions/benefits, 8.5% return in all years
- ▲ **Green:** Current Contributions (11.69%), no changes in contributions/benefits, 11% return for 3 yrs; 9.5% thereafter
- **Blue:** Higher Contributions (15.69%), 2 year COLA suspension with 2% thereafter, reset amortization period in 2016, 8.5% return in all yrs
- **Red:** Higher Contributions (15.69%), 2 year COLA suspension with 2% thereafter, reset amortization period in 2016, 11% return for 3 yrs; 8.5% thereafter

* Source: Mercer Consulting actuarial projections, 12/16/09, 1/22/10



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Financial Status of MSRS General Plan

Fiscal Year 2009	July 1, 2009 Actuarial Value 30 Year Amortization (5 yr smoothing of investment losses)	July 1, 2009 Market Value 30 Year Amortization (no smoothing of investment losses)
Funding Ratio (Assets as % of Liabilities)	85.9 %	65.61%
Current Contributions	10 % of pay	10 % of pay
Contributions Needed**	11.5 % of pay	16.25 % of pay
Contribution Deficiency**	(1.5) % of pay	(6.25) % of pay

•Source: Mercer Consulting, FY 09 annual actuarial valuation – EE rate = 5%; ER rate = 5% (eff. 07/01/10)

** 2010 Legislation to propose 30 year amortization; amounts estimated using FY09 valuation results



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Path to Sustainability- MSRS General Plan

Proposals – SF2573/HF2952 Assumes 30 year amortization	Savings/Revenue Estimates Immediate Savings	Savings/Revenue Estimates Future Savings w/ cumulative totals
Modify annual increase: 2.0 percent for future yrs. *	0.9%	
Initial post-retirement increase delay of six months	0.1%	
Reduce future deferred interest to 2% & decrease refund interest to 4%	0.5%	
Cost Change/adoption of assumption changes	0.9%	
Eliminate interest on re-employed annuitant accounts	--	
Increase vesting from 3 years to 5 years		0.3%
Recognition of post-1989 hires		0.8%
Expected savings/revenue from proposals	2.40%	3.50%
Actuarial value contribution deficiency	(1.5)%	(1.5)%
Resulting actuarial value contribution sufficiency after proposals	0.90%	2.0%
Projected market value contribution deficiency	(6.25)%	(6.25)%
Remaining market value contribution deficiency after proposals	(3.85)%	(2.75)%

* Until 90% funded (Market Value)

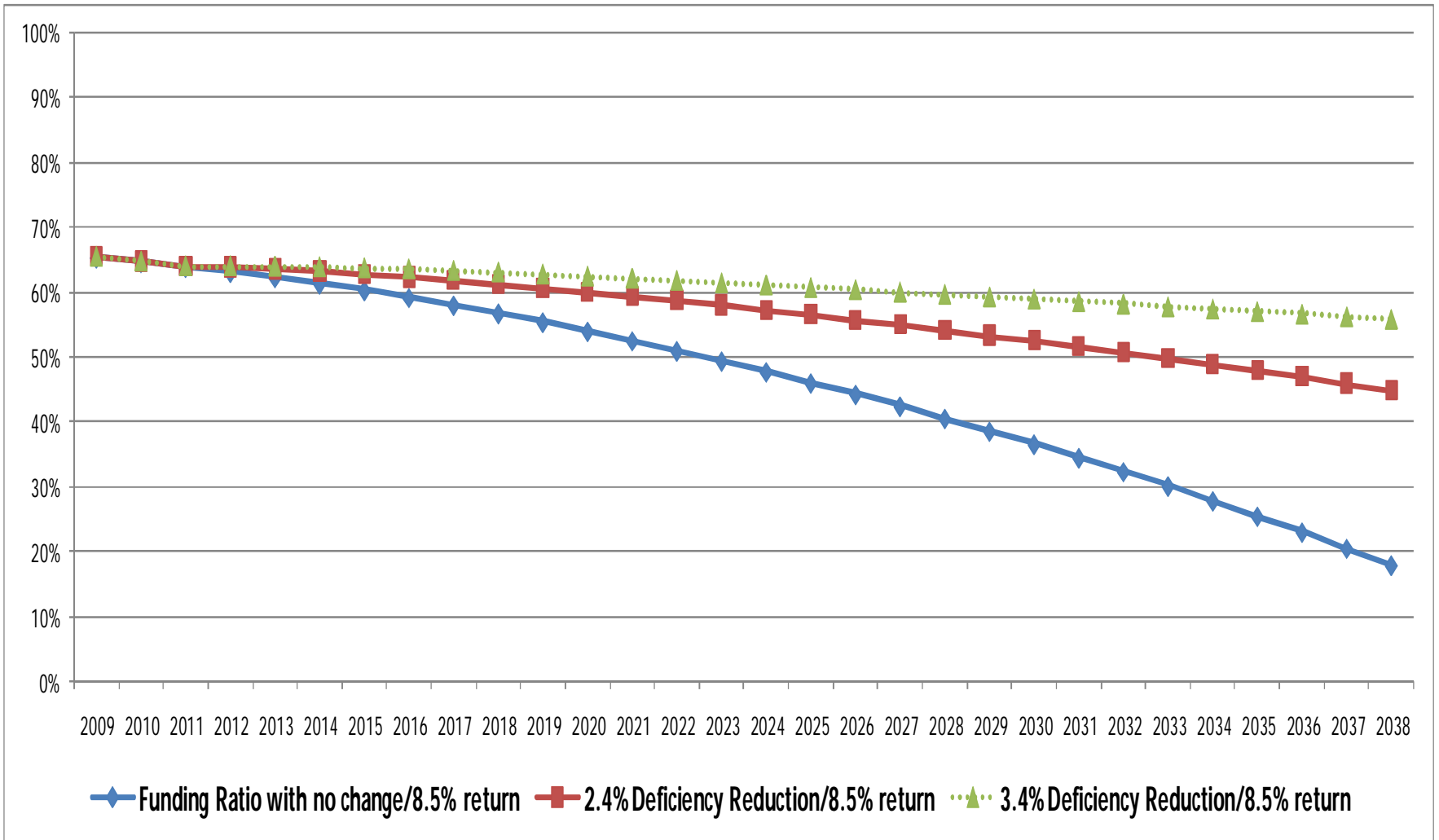
Source: Mercer Consulting Services



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Path to MSRS General Plan long-term sustainability





Financial Status of MSRS Correctional Fund

Fiscal Year 2009	July 1, 2009 Actuarial Value (5 yr smoothing of investment losses)	July 1, 2009 Market Value (no smoothing of investment losses)
Funding Ratio (Assets as % of Liabilities)	71.88 %	55.62 %
Current Contributions	20.70 % of pay	20.70 % of pay
Contributions Needed	24.85 % of pay	28.57 % of pay
Contribution Deficiency	(4.15) % of pay	(7.87) % of pay

* Source: Mercer Consulting, FY 09 annual actuarial valuation – EE rate = 8.60%; ER rate = 12.10% eff. 7/1/2010



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Path to Sustainability – MSRS Correctional

Proposals – SF2573/HF2952	Savings/Revenue Estimates Immediate Savings	Savings/Revenue Estimates Future Savings w/ Cumulative Totals
Modify annual increase: 2.0 percent for future yrs. *	1.7%	
Initial post-retirement increase delay of six months	0.1%	
Reduce future deferred interest to 2% & decrease refund interest to 4%	0.3%	
Eliminate interest on re-employed annuitant accounts	--	
Increase the early retirement penalty from 2.4% to 5% for new hires and retirements after July 1, 2015	0.3%	
Increase vesting from 3 years to 10 years		1.0%
Lower retirement formula to 2.2% per year		2.0%
Expected savings/revenue from proposals	2.4%	5.4%
Actuarial value contribution deficiency	(4.15)%	(4.15)%
Resulting actuarial value contribution sufficiency after proposals	(1.75)%	1.25%
Projected market value contribution deficiency	(7.87)%	(7.87)%
Remaining market value contribution deficiency after proposals	(5.47)%	(2.47)%

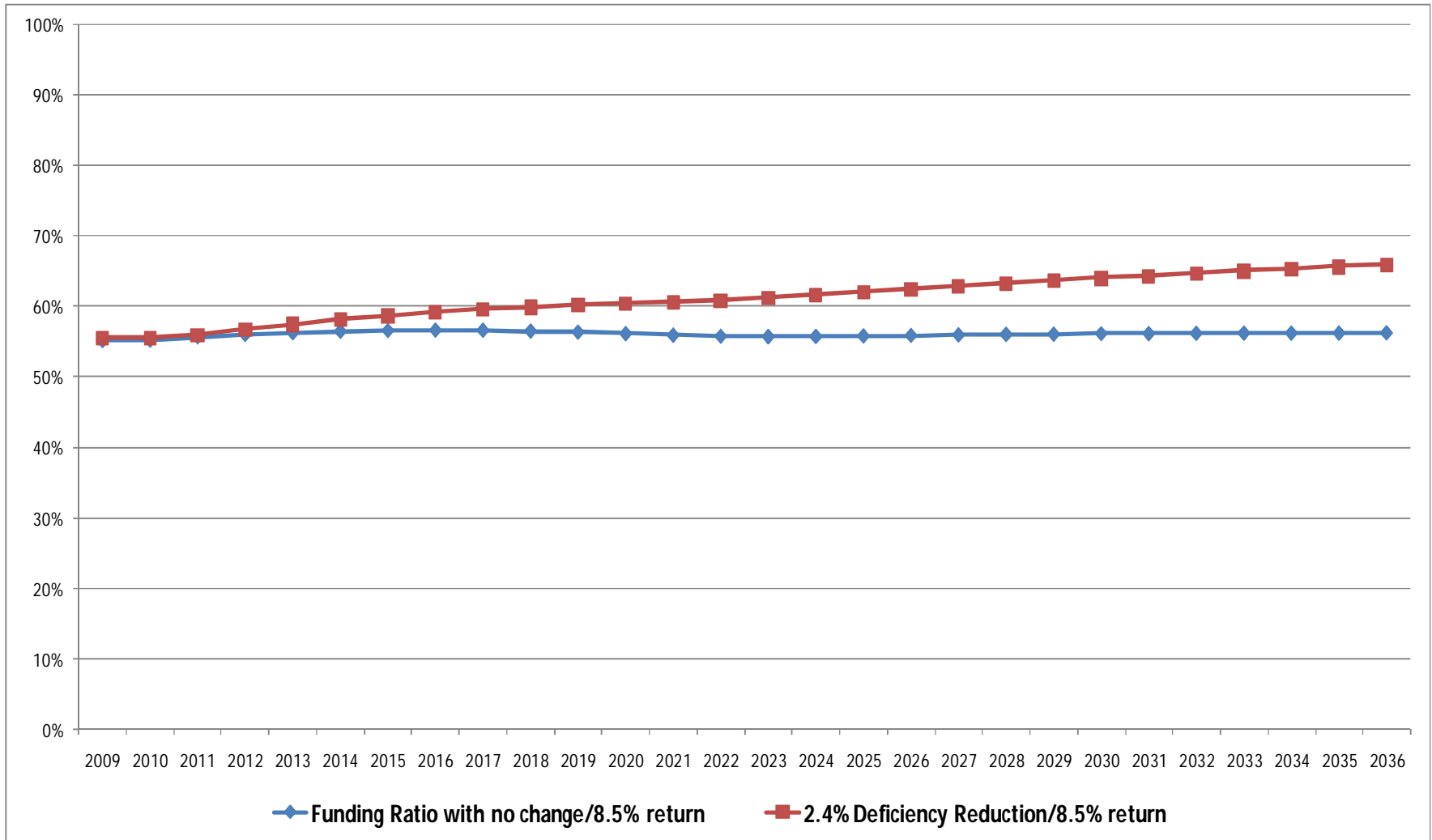
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Path to MSRS Correctional Plan long-term sustainability





Financial Status of State Patrol Plan

Fiscal Year 2009	July 1, 2009 Actuarial Value (5 yr smoothing of investment losses)	July 1, 2009 Market Value (no smoothing of investment losses)
Funding Ratio (Assets as % of Liabilities)	80.58 %	62.05 %
Current Contributions	26.0 % of pay	26.0 % of pay
Contributions Needed	38.16 % of pay	50.21 % of pay
Contribution Deficiency	(12.16) % of pay	(24.21) % of pay

* Source: Mercer Consulting, FY 09 annual actuarial valuation - EE rate = 10.4%; ER rate = 15.6%



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Path to Sustainability – State Patrol Plan

Proposals – SF2573/HF2952	Savings/Revenue Estimates Immediate Savings	Savings/Revenue Estimates Future Savings w/ Cumulative Totals
Modify annual increase: 2.0 percent for future yrs. *	4.10%	
Initial post-retirement increase delay of six months	0.30%	
Reduce future deferred interest to 2% & decrease refund interest to 4%	0.10%	
Increase contributions (11.2% EE/16.8% ER & 10%ER additional)	12.00%	
Eliminate interest on re-employed annuitant accounts	--	
Increase the early retirement penalty from 1.2% to 2.4% for new hires		0.40%
Increase vesting from 3 years to 5 years		0.10%
Expected savings/revenue from proposals	16.5%	17.0%
<i>Actuarial</i> value contribution deficiency	(12.16)%	(12.16)%
Resulting <i>actuarial</i> value contribution sufficiency after proposals	4.34%	4.84%
Projected <i>market</i> value contribution deficiency	(24.21)%	(24.21)%
Remaining <i>market</i> value contribution deficiency after proposals	(7.71)%	(7.21)%

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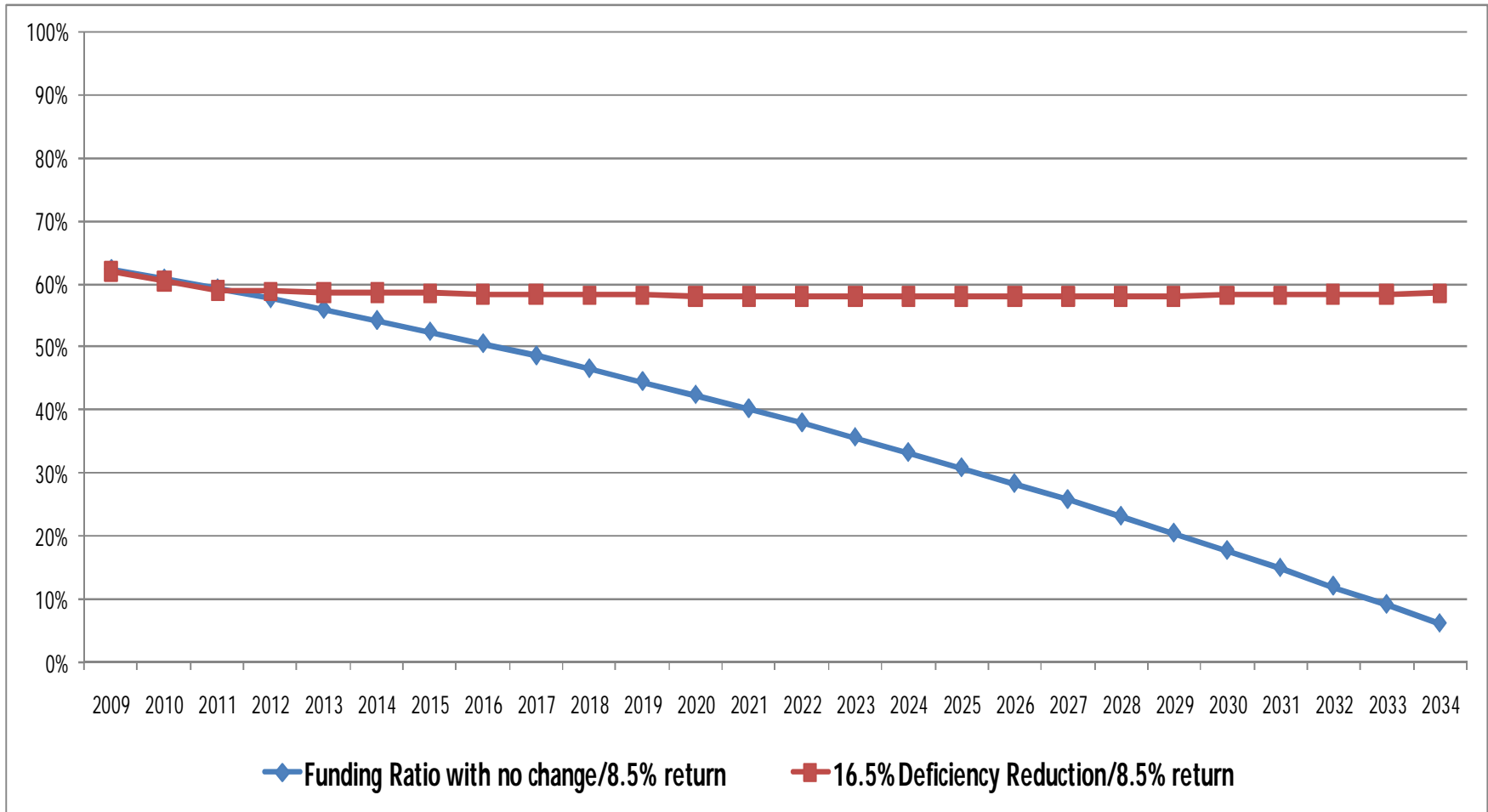
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Path to Long-Term Sustainability

S.F. 2631/H.F. 2999



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Financial Status of PERA General Fund

Fiscal Year 2009	July 1, 2009 Actuarial Value (5 yr smoothing of investment losses)	July 1, 2009 Market Value (no smoothing of investment losses)
Funding Ratio (Assets as % of Liabilities)	69.99 %	53.81 %
Current Contributions*	12.88 % of pay	12.88 % of pay
Contributions Needed	15.55 % of pay	19.61 % of pay
Contribution Deficiency	(2.67) % of pay	(6.73) % of pay

* Employee rate = 6%; Employer rate = 7% (effective 01/01/10)

Source: Mercer Consulting, FY 09 annual actuarial valuation



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Path to Sustainability – PERA General Plan

What do we save if Board’s recommendations are adopted?

Proposal - SF 2631/HF 2999	PERA General (Total payroll approx. \$5 B)
Modify annual increase: 1.0 percent for future yrs. *	3.6 %
Eliminate deferred interest	0.70 %
Increase contributions	0.50 %
Expected savings/revenue from proposals	4.80 %
Cost Change/adoption of assumption changes	(0.60) %
Actuarial value contribution deficiency	(2.67) %
Resulting actuarial value contribution sufficiency after proposals	1.53 %
Projected market value contribution deficiency	(6.73) %
Remaining market value contribution deficiency after proposals	(2.53) %

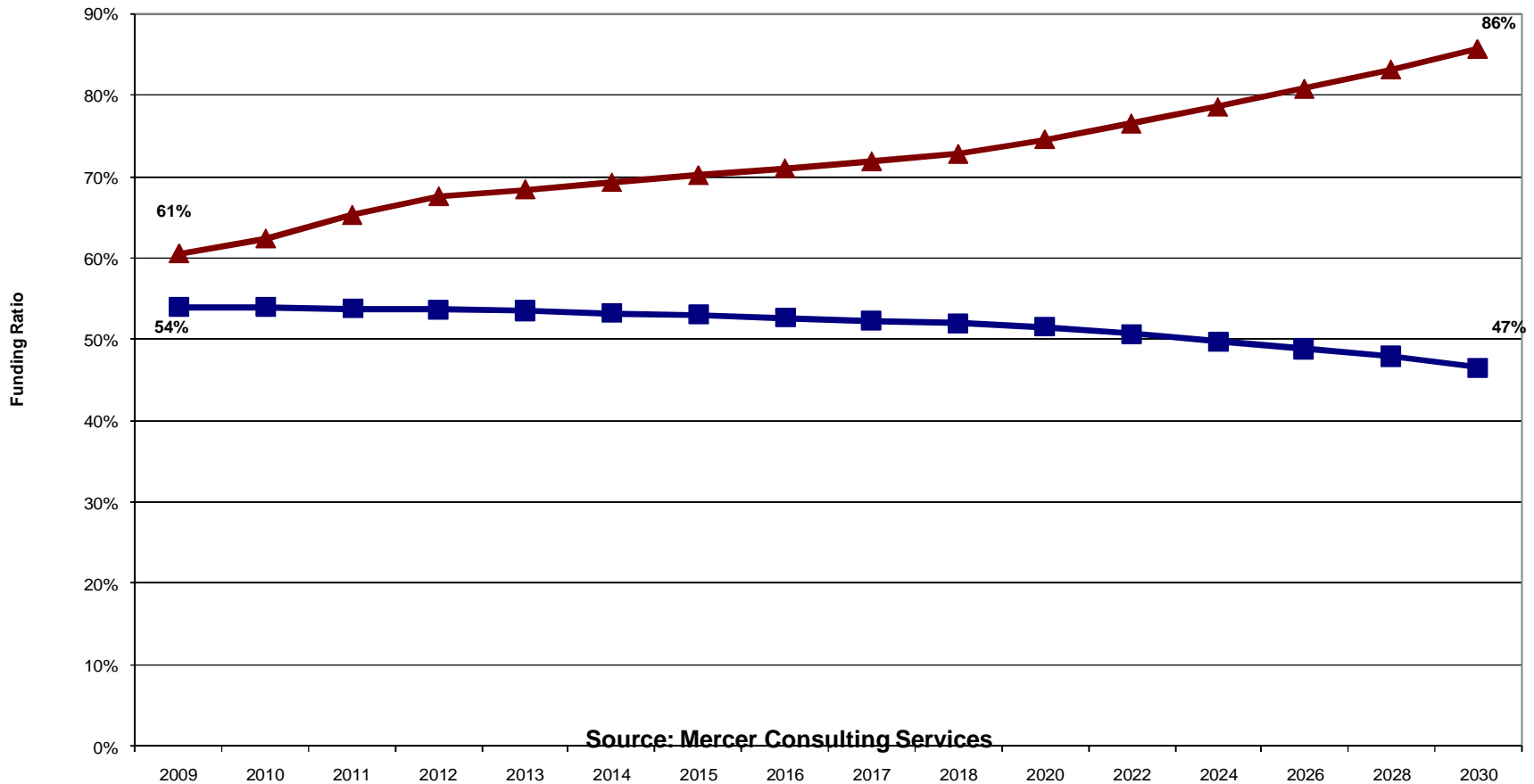
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Path to PERA Sustainability – General Plan



Assumes no benefit changes, no contribution increases and 8.5 percent annual return.

Assumes reduction in deficiency of 3.65 percent; contribution increase of 0.5 percent of pay; 11 percent return for three years; 8.5 percent each year thereafter



Financial Status of PERA P&F Fund

Fiscal Year 2009	July 1, 2009 Actuarial Value (5 yr smoothing of investment losses)	July 1, 2009 Market Value (no smoothing of investment losses)
Funding Ratio (Assets as % of Liabilities)	83.22 %	63.55 %
Current Contributions*	23.50 % of pay	23.50 % of pay
Contributions Needed	29.99 % of pay	39.13 % of pay
Contribution Deficiency	(6.49) % of pay	(15.63) % of pay

*Employee rate = 9.4%; Employer rate = 14.1%

Source: Mercer Consulting, FY 09 annual actuarial valuation



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Path to PERA Sustainability – Police & Fire Plan

What do we save if Board’s recommendations are adopted?

Proposals - SF 2631/HF 2999	PERA P & F (Total payroll approx: \$748M)
Modify annual increase: 1.0 percent for future yrs. *	8.40 %
Eliminate deferred interest	0.50 %
Increase contributions	0.50 %
Cost Change/adoption of assumption changes	N/A
Expected savings/revenue from proposals	9.40 %
Actuarial value contribution deficiency	(6.49) %
Resulting actuarial value contribution sufficiency after proposals	2.91 %
Projected market value contribution deficiency	(15.63) %
Remaining market value contribution deficiency after proposals	(6.23) %

* Until plan is 90 percent funded.

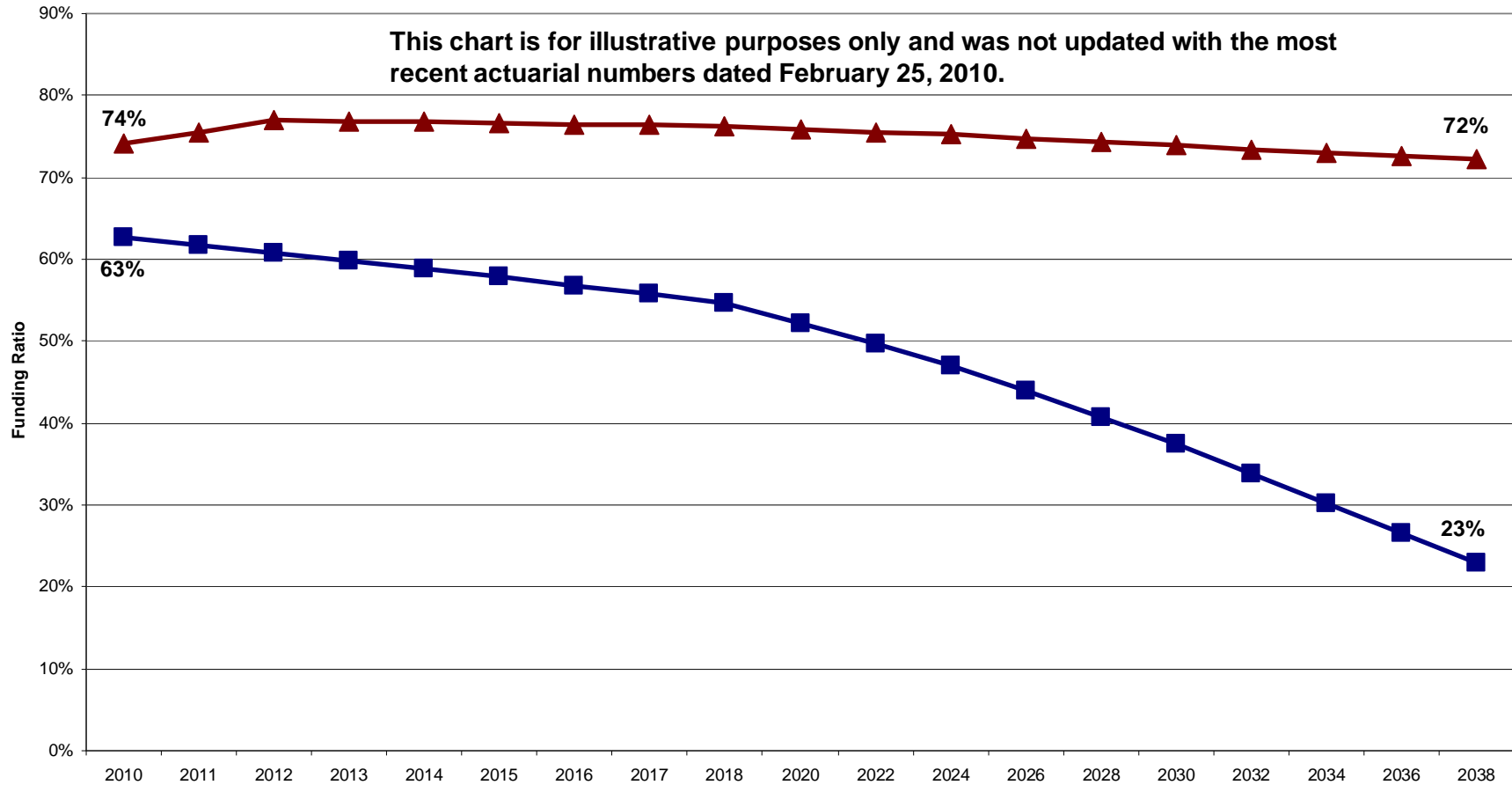
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Path to Sustainability – Police & Fire Plan



Assumes 2009 market value funded ratio carries to July 1, 2010 and earns 8.5 percent for entire period through 2038 with no benefit modifications and no contribution rate increases implemented.

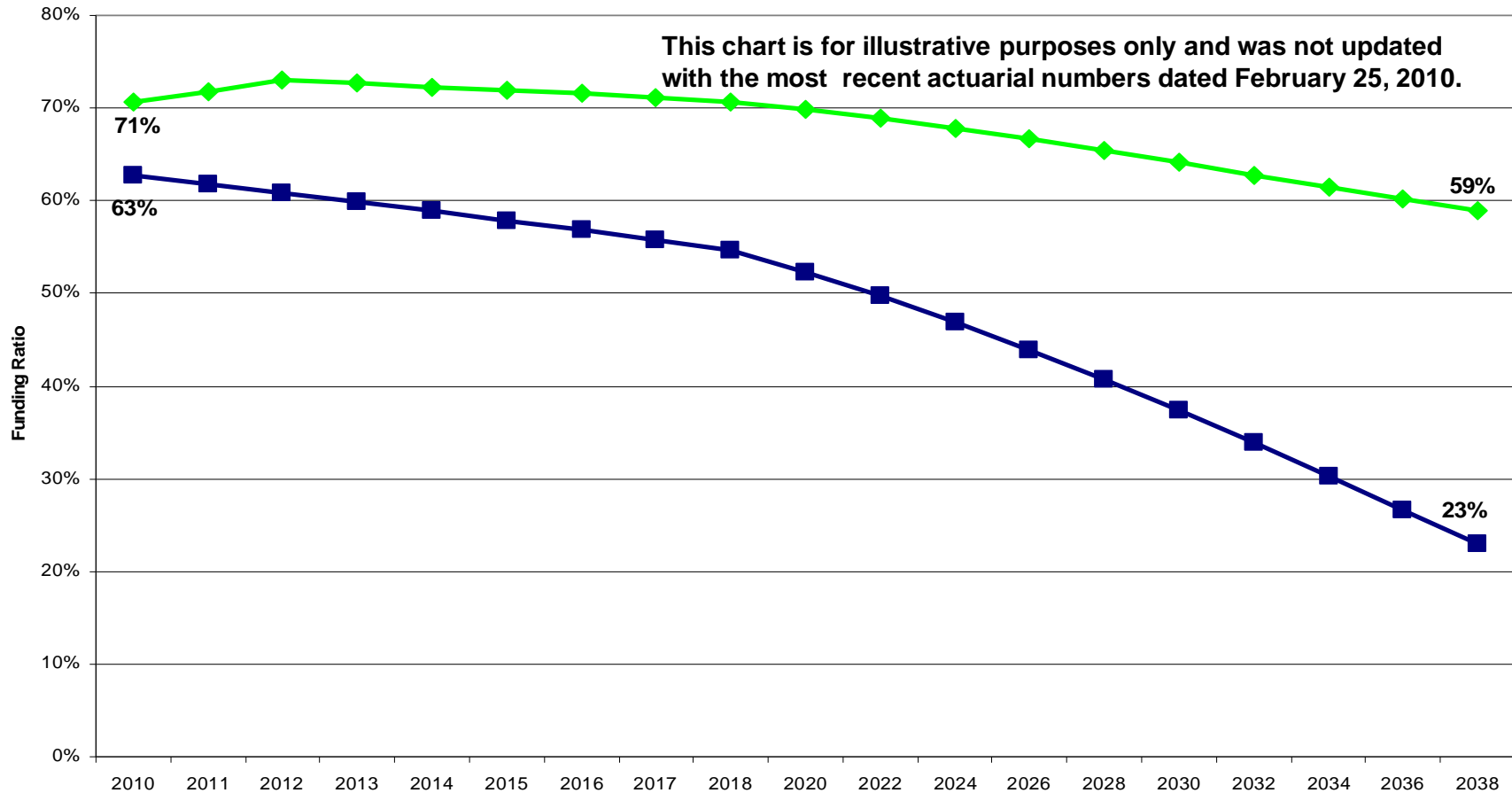
Assumes and 11 percent return for FY 2010 through 2012, with 8.5 percent each year thereafter and includes 0.5 percent contribution rate increase, 1.0 percent retiree adjustments, eliminates augmentation, increases vesting, etc.



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MPPOA/MPFF Proposal: Senate File 2672



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Assumes and 11 percent return for FY 2010 through 2012, with 8.5 percent each year thereafter and includes 0.5 percent contribution rate increase, 1.5 percent retiree adjustments, eliminates augmentation, increases vesting, etc.



Financial Status of PERA Correctional Fund

Fiscal Year 2009	July 1, 2009 Actuarial Value (5 yr smoothing of investment losses)	July 1, 2009 Market Value (no smoothing of investment losses)
Funding Ratio (Assets as % of Liabilities)	94.85 %	72.93 %
Current Contributions*	14.58 % of pay	14.58 % of pay
Contributions Needed	14.03 % of pay	16.77 % of pay
Contribution Deficiency	0.55 % of pay	(2.19) % of pay

Note: based on actuarial estimates dated February 25, 2010, the change in the retiree adjustment to 1 percent and elimination of augmentation is estimated to save the plan 3.50 percent of pay.

*Employee rate = 5.83%; Employer rate = 8.75%

Source: Mercer Consulting, FY 09 annual actuarial valuation