GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

St. Thomas/St. Croix via Zoom Thursday, March 25, 2021 9:30 am ** AGENDA **

I. Ca	all to Order
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- II. Roll Call
- III. Comments and Suggestions from Retirees
- IV. Secretary's Minutes (Special: 02/17/21; Regular: 02/25/21)
- V. Communications and Correspondences
- VI. Chairperson's Report
- VII. Administrator's Report
- VIII. Committee Reports
- IX. Treasurer's Report
- X. Investment Officer's Report (Presented by Meketa)
- XI. REGULAR SESSION
 - A. New Business
 - (i). Procedure for Retiring Trustees
 - (ii). Discussion on Governor Bryan's Suggestions

XI. EXECUTIVE SESSION

This portion of the meeting will be closed to the public for matters pertaining to trade secrets / or financial or commercial information

- A. Unfinished Business
 - (i). Havensight Mall
 - (ii). Securities Litigation Legal Update
 - (iii). Wilson v. GERS Appeal No. 001-20X
- XII. Privileges of the Floor
- XIII. Adjournment



THE UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
GOVERNMENT HOUSE
Charlotte Amalie, V.I. 00802
340-774-0001

February 25, 2021

Mr. Austin L. Nibbs, CPA, CGMA Administrator/CEO GERS 3438 Kronprindsens Gade St. Thomas, VI 00802

Dear Administrator Nibbs.

First, I would like to take the time now after the announcement of your upcoming retirement to congratulate and thank you for your years of exemplary service to the GERS and the people of the Virgin Islands.

As you know, the continued downward spiral of our retirement system is of utmost concern to me and my administration. While finding the appropriate solution in as expedient a timeframe as possible is a daunting task, there are some opportunities that we could and should take advantage of in the meantime.

In my previous private sector work, I was afforded the benefit of multilateral investment coaching by fund managers associated with my employers' retirement portfolio managers. In the ten years that I have been a member of the central government, I have not seen any investment or estate and retirement planning events such as these. I do know that there are events on the process of retiring from the Government of the Virgin Islands, specifically, and how to retire and prepare for retirement.

I would like to see all employees in the GVI have access to sessions that cover topics such as the real cost of retiring, how to invest now outside of only employer-covered plans, and the fact that the system is not set up to cover all your retirement needs. This kind of financial counselling is especially essential considering that many current employees may be subject to reduced benefit packages. Most investment firms would provide this training for free based on existing business relationships and the potential it presents for new business.

Additionally, the short-term loan program once available to employees was eliminated due to cash constraints but was of great assistance to the employees that cannot otherwise access funding. I would like GERS to find a private banking partner willing to facilitate a new program that would allow for the resumption of personal loans. Under this new program the GERS would certify the amounts that employees can borrow, which will be backed by their personal contribution to the system as was done previously. The bank would issue the funds and the GERS would be responsible for the payroll deduction for payment.

Austin L. Nibbs, CPA, CGMA Administrator, GERS Page 2

Our employees have shown the willingness to pay the higher rates and arrangements can be made with the bank to split the interest gains and reimburse you for any administrative costs. The fact that the loans will be backed with the full effect of GERS monies due the employee should be assurance enough for the entity.

Should the need arise, I am available to discuss these suggestions with you and your board. Again, thank you for your service and I look forward to seeing you soon.

Sincerely,

Albert Bryan Jr.

Governor

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

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March 1, 2021

Honorable Clarina Modeste Elliot Acting Commissioner of Finance Department of Finance 2314 Kronprindsens Gade Charlotte Amalie, Virgin Islands 00802

Re: Act No. 8383

Dear Acting Commissioner Elliot:

The purpose of this letter is to request an accounting of revenues realized in excess of funds appropriated by the Legislature for the operations of the Government of the Virgin Islands in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, in accordance with Act No. 8383/Bill No. 33-0418.

If there were revenues realized in excess of the funds appropriated by the Legislature, please remit the Government Employees' Retirement System's 50% share as provided for in Section 1 of Act No. 8383.

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation and prompt attention to this critical matter.

Sincerely,

Austin L. Nibbs, CPA, CGMA

Administrator/CEO

Attachments

cc: Honorable Albert Bryan Jr., Governor of the Virgin Islands

GERS Board of Trustees

Denise Jeremiah, CPA, Chief Financial Officer

Jenifer O'Neal, Director, Office of Management and Budget

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ACT NO. 8383

BILL NO. 33-0418

THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

Regular Session

2020

An Act providing for the remitter of an amount not exceeding 50 percent of the revenues realized in excess of the funds appropriated by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands for the operation of the Government of the Virgin Islands (GERS) in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for an amount not exceeding \$50,000,000 to be remitted to the GERS, in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021, from General Fund revenues realized in excess of the funds appropriated by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands for the operation of the Government of the Virgin Islands, to be used by the GERS exclusively for retirement annuity payments for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, the Commissioner of Finance shall remit to the Government Employees Retirement System of the Virgin Islands, in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, 50 percent from the General Fund revenues realized in excess of the funds appropriated by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands for the operation of the Government of the Virgin Islands, to include the legislative, executive and judicial branches, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020. The Government Employees Retirement System shall use the money exclusively for payment of retirement annuities for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021.

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, the Commissioner of Finance shall remit to the Government Employees Retirement System of the Virgin Islands, in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021, an amount not to exceed \$50,000,000, from the General Fund revenues realized in excess of the funds appropriated by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands for the operation of the Government of the Virgin Islands, to include the legislative, executive and judicial branches, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021. The Government Employees' Retirement System shall use the money exclusively for payment of retirement annuities for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021.

Thus passed by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands on September 29, 2020.

Witness our Hands and Seal of the Legislature of the Virgin Islands this What A.D. 2020 of October, A.D., 2020.



President

Alicia V. Barnes Legislative Secretary



Bill No. 33-0418 is hereby approved.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Government of the United States Virgin Islands at Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas, this day of October, 2020 A.D.

Governor



Dwayne M. DeGraff Senator 34th Legislature

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Press Release

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Office of Senator Dwayne M. DeGraff Contact: Michelle Dominique 340-693-3603

Senator DeGraff Calls on OMB Director to Secure Funding for GERS

ST. THOMAS, February 25, 2021 – Senator Dwayne M. DeGraff wrote to Office of Management and Budget Director Jenifer O'Neal asking her to ensure that the Government Employees Retirement System receive its portion of the excess revenues collected in Fiscal Year 2020.

In a February 16, 2021 meeting of the Finance Committee, O'Neal indicated that the Government of the Virgin Islands collected \$885.8 million, which was about \$10.8 million more than the anticipated revenues projected for FY2020.

"As the main sponsor of Act No. 8383, which provides for 50% of revenues collected in excess of the proposed FY 2020 budget go directly to GERS for paying of its retirement annuities, I thank my colleagues for their support of the measure" DeGraff said. "I think this is a step in the right direction as we as lawmakers continue to keep GERS as a priority and continue to work on ways to shore up the system."

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March 2, 2021

Ms. Jenifer C. O'Neal Director Office of Management and Budget No. 5041 Norre Gade Emancipation Gardens Station, 2nd Floor St. Thomas, V.I. 00802

Mrs. Clarina Modeste-Elliott Acting Commissioner Department of Finance 2314 Kronprindsens Gade St. Thomas, V.I. 00802

RE: Outstanding Employer Contribution Payments Due for the Period October 1, 2019 Through September 30, 2020

This letter serves as a follow up to our August 16, 2020, and October 27, 2020, requests for outstanding payments from the Internal Revenue Matching Fund (IRMF) in the amount of \$5,000,000 for FY 2020.

Act No. 8244 Appropriation (Contribution to Outstanding Employer Contributions) - \$6,000,000 (Direct Contributions) - \$4,000,000	\$10,000,000
Less: Outstanding Employer Contributions Payment Received March 3, 2020 Due to Order of Judge Curtis Gomez Outstanding Employer Contributions Due for FY 2020 Received October 30, 2020 Balance Due	5,000,000 \$ 5,000,000 4,000,000 \$ 1,000,000

Letter to OMB Director and Acting Commissioner of Finance March 2, 2021 Page 2

Please remit the outstanding employer contribution balance due for FY 2020 in the amount of \$1,000,000.

Sincerely,

Austin L. Nibbs, CRA, CGMA

Administrator/CEO

cc: Honorable Governor Albert Bryan Jr.

Honorable Donna A. Frett-Gregory, President, 34th Legislature

Honorable Kurt A. Vialet, Chairman, Committee on Finance, 34th Legislature

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GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

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March 3, 2021

Honorable Albert Bryan Jr.
Governor of the Virgin Islands of the United States
Office of the Governor
No.21-22 Kongens Gade
St. Thomas, Virgin Islands 00802

Dear Governor Bryan:

I would like to thank you for your kind expression in your letter dated February 25, 2021. I enjoyed working with you and sharing ideas before your election as the Governor and for the past 3 years.

Member Education

We will be responding to your suggestions in your letter. Let me assure you that the suggestions that you mentioned in paragraphs 3 and 4 are currently part of the GERS Member Education program. Because of the pandemic, these programs are currently being provided through Webinars. The GERS agrees to expand the contents of our educational programs and will consider your suggestions.

Loan Program

Over the years, we have had inquires and discussions with the major banks in the territory regarding purchasing of the member loans, and with the St. Thomas Federal Credit Union's interest in becoming a partner in our Member Personal Loan program. At that time, both parties determined that the deal was not in their best interest. The GERS is opened to your suggestions and has started discussions and the process of conducting research and approaching our contacts at the financial institutions mentioned above to determine if there is an interest.

Response to Letter Dated February 25, 2021 March 3, 2021 Page 2

The plan is to present our suggestions to the Board for discussion in the March 25, 2021 board meeting. Thereafter, we will request an appointment with you to present our proposals.

Sincerely,

Austin L. Nibbs, CPA, CGMA

Administrator/CEO

Attachment

cc: GERS Board of Trustees

Cathy M. Smith, Esq. General Counsel Asiah Clendinen Gumbs, Acting COO

Jasmin Greaux, Chief, Reconciliation and Control/Loans

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From: Jenifer O'Neal <jenifer.oneal@omb.vi.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, March 3, 2021 12:42 PM
To: Castro, Zaida; Clarina Modeste- Elliott

Cc: Governor Albert Bryan; Nibbs, Austin L.; Donna Frett-Gregory; cwilson@legvi.org; Kurt A. Vialet;

Senator Vialet; GERS Board; Smith, Cathy; Jeremiah, Denise T.; Clendinen Gumbs, Asiah I.; Caines-Sasso, Shoran; Williams, Patricia; Hilarie Baker; Coley, Nikia; Johnson Wispe, Jessica; David Bornn;

Denise George

Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL MAIL]GERS- Billing for GVI/OMB/DOF-Period of October 1 2019 - September 30,

2020

Good Afternoon Mr. Nibbs,

In response to your correspondence dated March 2, 2021, please note that per the advice of the Department of Justice, GVI will not make any additional payments for "Outstanding Employer Contributions" to GERS, while there is still ongoing litigation before the court. Consequently, the \$1M referenced in your correspondence will not be released for payment at this time.

Please be guided accordingly.

Regards,

Jenifer O'Neal, Director

Office of Management and Budget

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From: "Castro, Zaida" <zcastro@usvigers.com>

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Good afternoon Acting Commissioner Modeste-Elliot and Director O'Neal:

On behalf of Mr. Austin Nibbs, GERS Administrator and CEO, hereto attached is a request regarding outstanding employer contributions payments for the period of October 1, 2019 – September 30, 2020. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our offices.

Respectfully,
Zaida M. Castro
Executive Assistant to the Administrator
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GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

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Invoice

Date: March 10, 2021

Billing Name: Government of the US Virgin Islands

Attention: Jenifer O'Neal, OMB Director

Clarina Modeste-Elliott, Acting Commissioner of Finance

St. Thomas, VI 00802

Outstanding Employer Contributions Due from the Internal Revenue Matching Fund

Act N	o. 8244 Appropriation		\$10,000,000	
	Contribution to Outstanding Employer Contributions	\$6,000,000		
	Direct Contributions	\$4,000,000		
Less:	Outstanding Employer Contributions Payment Received	d		
	March 3, 2020 Due to Order of Judge Curtis Gomez		5,000,000	
	Received October 30, 2020		4,000,000	
Balanc	Balance due for FY 2020			
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Outsta	nding Contributions Due for FY 2021		\$10,000,000	
Total F	mployer Contributions Due		\$11.000.000	
TOTAL	mployer contributions buc		711,000,000	

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GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

Regular Board Meeting

March 25, 2021

ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

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Meetings, Presentations, and Appearances

- March 3rd Met with Asiah Clendinen Gumbs and Denise Jeremiah Re: Update on Voluntary Reduction in Force Program.
 - 5th Met with Building 1 tenants a Havensight Mall Re: Repairs and replacements.
 - 9th Conducted site visit at Havensight Mall and met with the contractor (DCM) Re: Erection of the maintenance buildings.
 - 9th Met with St. Thomas Federal Credit Union's CEO and the CEO for the Frederiksted Federal Credit Union Re: Potential loan partnership suggested by Governor.
 - 11th Attended Budget Committee Meeting Re: Update on Voluntary Reduction in Force Program and options.
 - 17th Attended the Joint Havensight Oversight Committee and Havensight Mall Management meeting to discuss outstanding operational and infrastructure issues.
 - 18th Meeting with the General Counsel and Havensight Mall senior management Re: Potential rental for tenant (high-end restaurant).
 - 23rd Mediation Re: STEEC vs. GERS

 Meeting with ARS roofing contractor at Havensight Mall.
 - 24th Attended the USVI Community Business Forum II Re: Royal Caribbean Group.

Member Services

Retirement Applications - as of February 28, 2021

Calendar	<u>Year</u>

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u> 2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>Total</u>
STX	147	111	118	178	143	112	25	
STT	<u> 147</u>	<u> 164</u>	<u>127</u>	<u>224</u>	<u>172</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>21</u>	
Total	294	275	245	402	315	235	46	
Processed	<u> 293</u>	<u>274</u>	<u>245</u>	<u> 399</u>	<u> 309</u>	108	<u>0</u>	
Remaining	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	3	<u>6</u>	<u>127</u>	46	<u>184*</u>

^{*}Includes SAA and Central Government as of January 31, 2021 retiree payroll. Also, Includes Later Payroll Cases

Disability Life Certificates – As of January 31, 2021

2020 Duty/Non-Duty Disability Life Certificate Distribution

71 – U.S. Mainland

160 – Virgin Islands

231 (Initial letters were dated 2/20/2020 with 3/20/2020 response deadline.)

Follow Up

(Letters were dated 10/28/2020 with 11/30/2020 response deadline. 30 responses are pending)

15 – U.S. Mainland

<u>15</u> – Virgin Islands

30 Pending Responses

231	
30	Receipt of Life Certificate Pending
1	Deceased
0	Benefits Suspended
200	Validated

Benefits Suspended = Address was changed to GERS. Annuity checks will be held by GERS until **either** a validated Life Certificate **or** a Death Certificate is received.

October 1, 2020 – February 28, 2021

Refunds

	No. Cases	Total	No. Cases
	<u>Completed</u>	Amount	<u>Pending</u>
Regular	123	\$2,121,172.76	74
Erroneous	5	9,278.05	7
Employer Share	3	4,209.09	0
Overpayment	44	169,644.86	<u>3</u>
Total	<u>175</u>	\$2,304,304.76	<u>84</u>

Death Benefits

	No. Completed	Amount	No. of Cases to
Types	10/1/20-02/28/2021	10/1/20-02/28/2021	be Completed
Active	13	\$759,148.44	55
Retired	<u> 5</u>	<u>303,758.21</u>	<u> 26 </u>
Total	18_	\$ 1,062,906.65	<u>81</u>

Annuity Payments – March 15, 2021

Number of retirees as of March 15, 2021 payroll: **8,654**Total amount paid to retirees and pensioners - October 1, 2020 – March 15, 2021 **\$117,981,095.58**

Number of retirees <u>added to payroll</u> - October 1, 2020 – March 15, 2021: **89**Number of retirees <u>added to the payroll</u> for March 15, 2021 pay date. **7**Number of retirees <u>expected to be placed on payroll</u> for March 30, 2021 pay date: **14**Number of retirees <u>deleted from payroll</u> - October 1, 2020 through March 15, 2021: **134**

Note: The gross retiree payroll for pay date March 15, 2021 was \$10,706,963.88

Active Employees as of February 28, 2021 8,757

Member Loans Portfolio

PERSONAL LOANS		DATE	
	2/28/2021	STT DISTR	STX
Active Personal Loans	1691	896	795
Retiree Personal Loans	804	461	343
Auto Loans	0	0	0
	2,495	1,357	1138
MORTGAGES			
Construction/Home Improvement	21	11	10
Land	30	24	6
Purchase/Refinance	36	24	12
Totals	87	59	28
TOTAL LOANS & MORTGAGES	2,582	1,416	1,166
TOTAL OUTSTANDING			
	Total	STT	STX
Active PL -	\$ 16,956,590.29	\$ 9,646,105.43	\$ 7,310,484.86
Retiree PL -	9,139,739.08	5,224,136.00	3,915,603.08
Auto PL -	-	-	-
Purchase/Refi -	1,870,142.66	1,277,265.84	592,876.82
Construction -	3,236,433.69	1,822,603.69	1,413,830.00
Land Loans -	606,483.07	547,653.52	58,829.55
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 31,809,388.79	\$18,517,764.48	\$13,291,624.31

Operations

St. Croix Office Complex

SAFETY:

• Fire Protection System Annual Inspection: Scheduled for March 30, 2021

ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS AND AREAS:

• COMMON AREAS MAINTENANCE: (CAM SERVICES): Landscaping Plants are being planted and Irrigation System are being installed.

PROJECTS:

- SECURITY DOORS INSTALLATION:
 - Doors replacement project is 95% completed. only the missing electrical components needs to be completed.
- DAMAGED FLOOR TILES REPLACEMENT: Awaiting revised estimates due to a change in the scope of work.

St. Thomas Office Complex

WATER PUMPS AND TANK

- Water pumps arrived. Installation will begin shortly.
- One of the two 120 gallons water tanks will be replaced. Need to purchase and will be installed by the plumber when installing the water pumps.

GENERATOR AND FUEL IN TANK

- The generator has an after-burner problem. It does not affect the operation of the generator in the provision of electrical power, however when it shuts off it runs for approximately thirty or forty seconds. Import Supply has been made aware and will address it as soon as possible.
- Import Supply's auxiliary electrical pump installation still pending. Technician was off-island and recently returned.

ROOF REPAIRS

 The area above Legal Services should be watertight. The entire north flat roof is estimated to be completed by the end of March.

AIR CONDITIONING PROJECT

VAVS Installation and the Cleaning of Ducts

- The installation of the VAVs is progressing. The third floor is completed, and work is being completed on the second floor.
- All the ducts throughout the building were cleaned.

Next Steps in Air Conditioner Project

- VAV installation anticipated completion by April 6, 2021
- Electricians conducting work for the second chiller.
- Receive and install permanent water chiller lines.
- Install new brackets and support on the roof for secured attachment.
- Dismantle old air handlers and install new air handlers.
- Anticipated project completion date end of June 2021

BEARING FOR SECOND FLOOR AIR-HANDLER GERS SECTION

• Tempaire ordered the bearing to replace the damaged one, however the supplier sent the wrong size. Currently, awaiting the correct size for installation.

SIGNAGE

Awaiting quote for three surveillance signs to alert the public that the property is under surveillance.

OTHER ONGOING CAPITAL PROJECTS

- Lobby/Atrium/ Restrooms Renovations Contract signed and the GERS received designs/drawings.
- **GERS Hip Roof Replacement** –Contract signed. GERS is awaiting designs/drawings.

Rental and Electricity Collections - Exhibit A

	Feb. 2020	Total FYTD	Arrearages
Rental	\$232,186.35	\$335,227.12	\$61,739.48
Electric	6,224.13	166,016.47	191,124.60
Total	\$238,410.48	\$ 501,243.59	\$252,864.08

Note: OMB made provisions to allow payments through Department of Finance. Awaiting payment.

LEASES

Lease Agreements (Board voted for one-year lease terms only; letter sent to tenants pending lease agreements)

Plessen Ophthalmology – Current

Plessen Admin – Current

Plessen ASC – Current

Plessen Trailer - Current

First Bank – Current – 2nd Option Lease Renewal signed.

Virgin Islands Finance Housing Authority – Current - One-Year lease

ResCare (Job corps) – Current – One-Year lease

Division of Personnel – Operations met with Property and Procurement; Sent the Draft One-Year Lease effective 10-1-2020 to 9-30-2021 with CAM charges. The meeting was held to negotiate one-year lease. Awaiting signatures **UPDATE: Lease is at DOP to sign as of March 15, 2021. DOP in talk with Property and Procurement for finalization.**

Department of Justice – Operations met with Property and Procurement; Sent the Draft One-Year Lease effective 10-1-2020 to 9-30-2021 with CAM charges. Sent follow up email to secure dates on February 10, 2021 and February 17, 2021 to negotiate one-year lease for 10-1-2021 to 9-30-2022. **UPDATE: Meeting scheduled for March 23, 2021 (tentatively) for lease review.**

Casino Control Commission – A letter sent and was received about a one-year term only. Follow up email sent to the VICCC. The Commission responded with an emailed letter questioning a one-year lease agreement notification while still in active negotiation with a five-year lease term. GERS responded with new meeting date of February 23, 2021. UPDATE: GERS met with VICCC on March 4, 2021. Waiting on VICCC to agree/disagree on suggested language.

Building Appraisals

Appraisal Reports expected by April 30, 2021.

ST. CROIX RETIREE TRUSTEE BOARD ELECTIONS

St. Croix Nominations for Trustees did not meet the qualifications by law. **Tentative new election cycle begins April 12, 2021.**

STRATEGIC PLANNING AND ORGANIZATION DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

UVI Strategic Team met with GERS Staff Mandatory - Friday, February 19, 2021 - 10 am UVI Strategic Team met GERS Board of Trustees - Tuesday, February 23, 2021 - 5:30 p.m. Governor and Legislature (To be scheduled)

Community at Large - Thursday, March 16, 2021, 6 pm

Business Community - Thursday, March 18, 2021, 6 pm

Retired Members - Tuesday, March 23, 2021, 6 pm

Active Members - Thursday, March 25, 2021, 6 pm

FEMA/INSURANCE

The Administrator's recommendation is to proceed by using the \$1.5 million insurance proceeds to proceed with the repairs to Warehouse J and the demolition of the other warehouses. Request the Board consider the Administrator's recommendation which is on the agenda. A summary in support of the recommendation has been provided.

RESPONSE TO GOVERNOR BRYAN'S LETTER

Handout was circulated. Will be discussed later in the meeting.

EXHIBIT A

		Februa	ry 2021 Collection					
	Rental Collection	Electrical Collection	Rental Year-To- Date Collection for FY 2021	Electrical Year-To- Date Collection for FY 2021	Total Year-To-Date Collection	Rental Arrearage	APPROVED RENTAL DEFERMENT	Electrical Arrearage
Department of Justice	\$ 185,315.00	\$ -	\$ 185,315.00	\$ 150,000.00	\$ 335,315.00		\$ -	\$ 137,308.48
Division of Personnel	-					52,757.76		53,816.12
FirstBank	290.00	208.49	1,450.00	428.85	1,878.85	-	-	
Opthalmology Consultants, LLC	6,365.40		31,827.00		31,827.00	-		-
Plessen Eye, LLC_ADMIN	12,027.84		32,074.24		32,074.24		\$4,009.28 June 2020	-
Plessen Eye, LLC_ADMIN STORAGE	1,740.00	-	4,060.00		4,060.00		\$580.00 June 2020	-
Plessen Eye, LLC_ASC	13,177.32		26,354.64		26,354.64		\$4,392.44 June 2020	-
ResCare (JobCorps)	1,650.79	1,296.01	9,904.74	3,337.32	13,242.06	-	-	
VI Housing Finance Authority	11,620.00	4,719.63	23,240.00	12,250.30	35,490.30		-	
VI Casino	-	-	21,001.50		21,001.50		-	
Total income Received	\$ 232,186.35	6,224.13	335,227.12	166,016.47	501,243.59	52,757.76	8,981.72	191,124.60

THE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS &

DISBURSEMENTS

PERIOD ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 2021

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Schedule of Receipts and Disbursements Month Ending February 28, 2021

	February-21		February-20		YTD Fiscal 2021		YTD Fiscal 2020	
Receipts from collections								
Loan Repayment	\$ 875,568	\$	1,616,443	\$	6,176,247	\$	8,617,806	
Rent from Tenants/Utilities	\$ 24,272	\$	97,334	\$	203,881	\$	531,629	
Employer Retirement Contributions	\$ 8,209,749	\$	7,799,221	\$	39,251,262	\$	36,872,367	
Employee Retirement Contributions	\$ 4,211,539	\$	3,995,573	\$	19,973,371	\$	20,334,307	
Parking Facility	\$ 1,280	\$	670	\$	4,220	\$	5,330	
Miscellaneous	\$ 22,861	\$	405,265	\$	4,910,052	\$	2,536,538	
Total Collections	\$ 13,345,269	\$	13,914,507	\$	70,519,033	\$	68,897,976	
Disbursements								
Annuity Payments	\$ 21,624,577	\$	21,934,598	\$	109,529,443	\$	110,146,039	
Administrative Expenses	\$ 1,330,411	\$	1,722,957	\$	5,908,509	\$	6,578,974	
Personal Loans	\$ 5,415	\$	11,507	\$	117,460	\$	146,506	
Mortgage Loans	\$ 13,175	\$	16,414	\$	71,259	\$	108,011	
Retiree Loans	\$ 867	\$	5,006	\$	4,000	\$	19,246	
Auto Loans	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	12	
Refund of Contributions	\$ 1,064,388		1,084,869	\$	3,634,851	\$	4,731,941	
Total Disbursements	\$ 24,038,833	\$	24,775,351	\$	119,265,521	\$	121,730,728	
Net Cash Surplus/(Net Cash Deficit)	\$ (10,693,564)	\$	(10,860,844)	\$	(48,746,488)	\$	(52,832,752	

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES FISCAL YEAR 2021

	10/31/20	11/30/20	12/31/20	01/31/21	02/28/21	03/31/21	04/30/21	05/31/21	06/30/21	07/31/21	08/31/21	09/30/21	Total
Personnel Services	511,694	391,307	586,873	387,171	393,193								2,270,238
Fringe Benefits	160,384	144,908	162,918	190,919	191,529								850,658
Supplies	11,467	7,325	9,574	12,986	5,911								47,263
Other Services and Charges	245,461	333,333	499,554	215,941	128,785								1,423,073
Utilities	19,869	91,909	157,692	827	86,111								356,408
Capital Outlay	383,287	48,199	3,432	1,068	524,883								960,868
Subtotal	1,332,163	1,016,980	1,420,042	808,912	1,330,411		-	-	-	-	-	-	5,908,509
Reimbursement Electricity	(777)	-	(53,925)	(8,341)	(208)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(63,252)
Total	\$ 1,331,385	\$ 1,016,980	\$ 1,366,117	\$ 800,571	\$ 1,330,203	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,845,257

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Supplemental Information February 2021

Loan Disbursements:

Personal Loans		
Refund	5,415	5,415
Mortgage Loans		
Insurance	10,841	
Excess impound Refund	2,334	13,175
Retiree Loans		
Refund	867	867
TOTAL		19,456

Miscellaneous:

Lost Investment fee/Delinquent fee (Contributions)	720
Annuities (deceased pensioners checks)	20,400
Office Supplies	568
Structured Service Fees	1,173
TOTAL	22,861

HAVENSIGHT MALL Schedule of Receipts and Disbursements Month Ending February 28 2021

	February-21	February-20	Y'	TD Fiscal 2021	Y	TD Fiscal 2020
Receipts from collections						
Rents from Havensight Tenants - net	\$ 248,629	\$ 492,952	\$	696,987	\$	2,646,105
Miscellaneous	\$ _	\$ _	\$	428,120	\$	_
Total Collections	\$ 248,629	\$ 492,952	\$	1,125,107	\$	2,646,105
Disbursements						
Personnel Services	\$ 78,417	\$ -	\$	393,206	\$	-
Fringe Benefits	\$ 40,952	\$ -	\$	170,194	\$	-
Supplies	\$ 5,566	\$ -	\$	31,542	\$	-
Other Services and Charges	\$ 3,538	\$ -	\$	55,109	\$	_
Utilities	\$ 10,976	\$ -	\$	15,063	\$	-
Capital Project	\$ 143,622	\$ -	\$	741,286	\$	_
Allotments to WICO/Management fees	\$ -	\$ 729,641	\$	-	\$	874,960
Total Disbursements	\$ 283,071	\$ 729,641	\$	1,406,401	\$	874,960
Net Cash Surplus/(Net Cash Deficit)	\$ (34,442)	\$ (236,689)	\$	(281,294)	\$	1,771,145

HAVENSIGHT MALL Schedule of Receipts and Disbursements Month Ending January 31 2021

	January-21		January-20	YTD Fiscal 2021		YTD Fiscal 2020	
	Oanuary-21		bandary-20		TID FISCAI 2021		1D Fiscal 2020
Receipts from collections							
*Rents from Havensight Tenants - net	\$ 90,234	\$	644,419	\$	448,358	\$	2,153,153
Miscellaneous	\$ -	\$	-	\$	428,120	\$	-
Total Collections	\$ 90,234	\$	644,419	\$	876,478	\$	2,153,153
Disbursements							
*Personnel Services	\$ 81,621	\$	-	\$	314,789	\$	-
*Fringe Benefits	\$ 30,076	\$	-	\$	129,243	\$	-
Supplies	\$ 5,995	\$	-	\$	25,976	\$	-
Other Services and Charges	\$ 2,384	\$	-	\$	51,571	\$	-
Utilities	\$ 90	\$	-	\$	4,088	\$	-
Capital Project	\$ 91,477	\$	-	\$	597,664	\$	-
Allotments to WICO/Management fees	\$ -	\$	75,151	\$	-	\$	145,319
Total Disbursements	\$ 211,642	\$	75,151	\$	1,123,330	\$	145,319
Net Cash Surplus/(Net Cash Deficit)	\$ (121,408)	\$	569,268	\$	(246,852)	\$	2,007,834

^{*}Corrected



Employees' Retirement System of the Government of the Virgin Islands

March 25, 2021

Board Meeting



Employees' Retirement System of the Government of the Virgin Islands

Agenda

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Performance Report As of February 28, 2021

Retirement System Summary



Employees' Retirement System of the Government of the Virgin Islands

Total Retirement System Aggregate | As of February 28, 2021

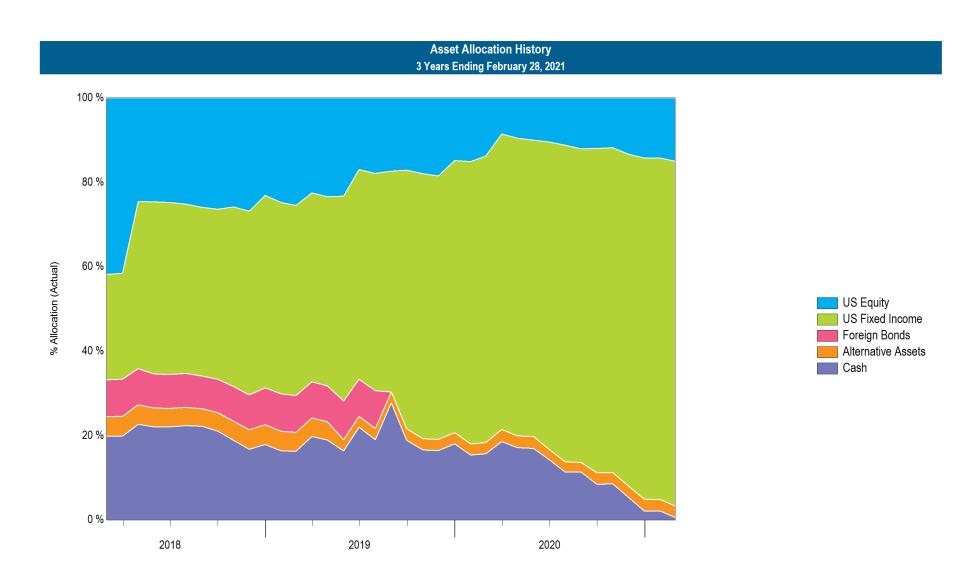
Asset Allocation		
	Current Balance	Current Allocation
Total Equity	\$64,468,630	15%
Total Fixed Income	\$351,401,107	82%
Alternative Investment Assets	\$11,968,414	3%
Cash	\$2,378,940	1%
Total	\$430,217,091	100%

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Employees' Retirement System of the Government of the Virgin Islands

Total Retirement System Aggregate | As of February 28, 2021





Total Retirement System Aggregate | As of February 28, 2021

Asset Class Performance Summary										
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	QTD (%)	Fiscal YTD (%)	1 Yr (%)	3 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)	10 Yrs (%)	S.I. (%)	S.I. Date
Total Retirement System Aggregate	430,217,091	100.0	-1.4	1.3	5.3	5.7	8.4	6.5	8.8	Jul-81
Domestic Equity Assets	64,468,630	15.0	2.1	16.0	32.7	15.4	18.2	13.3	12.0	Jul-81
Russell 3000			2.7	17.7	35.3	15.0	17.4	13.4	11.5	Jul-81
Domestic Fixed Income Assets	351,401,107	81.7	-2.1	-1.2	2.1	5.5	3.8	3.5	7.2	Jul-81
BBgBarc US Aggregate TR			-2.2	-1.5	1.4	5.3	3.6	3.6	7.6	Jul-81
Alternative Investment Assets	11,968,414	2.8						- 1		
Cash	2,378,940	0.6								

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Total Retirement System Aggregate | As of February 28, 2021

	Tr	ailing Net	Perforr	nance							
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	% of Sector	QTD (%)	Fiscal YTD (%)	1 Yr (%)	3 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)	10 Yrs (%)	S.I. (%)	S.I. Date
Total Retirement System Aggregate	430,217,091	100.0		-1.4	1.3	5.3	5.7	8.4	6.5	8.8	Jul-81
Domestic Equity Assets	64,468,630	15.0	15.0	2.1	16.0	32.7	15.4	18.2	13.3	12.0	Jul-81
Russell 3000				<i>2.</i> 7	17.7	35.3	15.0	17.4	13.4	11.5	Jul-81
BlackRock Russell 1000 Index Russell 1000	64,468,630	15.0	100.0	2.1 <i>2.1</i>	16.0 <i>16.0</i>	34.3 <i>34.3</i>	15.0 <i>15.0</i>	17.3 <i>17.4</i>	 13.6	14.4 <i>14.4</i>	Sep-13 <i>Sep-13</i>
Domestic Fixed Income Assets	351,401,107	81.7	81.7	-2.1	-1.2	2.1	5.5	3.8	3.5	7.2	Jul-81
BBgBarc US Aggregate TR				-2.2	-1.5	1.4	5.3	3.6	3.6	7.6	Jul-81
Pugh Core Fixed Income BBgBarc US Aggregate TR	82,990,360	19.3	23.6	-2.4 <i>-2.2</i>	-1.5 <i>-1.5</i>	1.6 <i>1.4</i>	5.3 <i>5.3</i>	3.6 <i>3.6</i>	 3.6	3.7 3.6	Apr-11 <i>Apr-11</i>
BlackRock TIPS	52,733,988	12.3	15.0	-1.3	0.3	5.8	6.1	4.2		3.4	Sep-13
BBgBarc US TIPS TR				-1.3	0.3	5.8	6.1	4.3	3.6	3.4	Sep-13
BlackRock U.S. Debt Index BBgBarc US Aggregate TR	215,676,759	50.1	61.4	-2.2 <i>-2.2</i>	-1.5 <i>-1.5</i>	1.5 <i>1.4</i>	5.4 <i>5.3</i>	3.6 <i>3.6</i>	 3.6	3.7 <i>3.6</i>	Sep-13 <i>Sep-13</i>
Alternative Investment Assets	11,968,414	2.8	2.8								
Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund IV, L.P.	5,202,579	1.2	43.5								
Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund V, L.P.	6,765,835	1.6	56.5								
Cash	2,378,940	0.6	0.6								

Throughout this report S.I. stands for "Since Inception".

Mesirow Financial market values are as of 9/30/2020, adjusted for cash flows through the current period.

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Total Retirement System Aggregate | As of February 28, 2021

	Calendar Y	ear Perf	ormance	•						
	2020 (%)	2019 (%)	2018 (%)	2017 (%)	2016 (%)	2015 (%)	2014 (%)	2013 (%)	2012 (%)	2011 (%)
otal Retirement System Aggregate	8.2	11.2	0.1	14.6	7.1	-2.1	6.2	15.9	11.3	-0.9
Domestic Equity Assets	19.7	32.1	-3.1	22.1	13.9	0.8	12.9	36.4	13.3	-3.8
Russell 3000	20.9	31.0	-5.2	21.1	12.7	0.5	12.6	33.6	16.4	1.0
BlackRock Russell 1000 Index	20.9	31.4	-4.8	21.6	12.0	0.9	13.2			
Russell 1000	21.0	31.4	-4.8	21.7	12.1	0.9	13.2	33.1	16.4	1.5
Domestic Fixed Income Assets	8.2	8.7	-0.2	3.7	3.3	-0.1	4.3	-2.6	6.2	7.0
BBgBarc US Aggregate TR	7.5	8.7	0.0	3.5	2.6	0.5	6.0	-2.0	4.2	7.8
Pugh Core Fixed Income	8.2	8.9	-0.4	3.9	2.5	0.6	6.4	-2.0	5.3	
BBgBarc US Aggregate TR	7.5	8.7	0.0	3.5	2.6	0.5	6.0	-2.0	4.2	7.8
BlackRock TIPS	11.0	8.4	-1.3	3.0	4.7	-1.3	3.5			
BBgBarc US TIPS TR	11.0	8.4	-1.3	3.0	4.7	-1.4	3.6	-8.6	7.0	13.6
BlackRock U.S. Debt Index	7.6	8.8	0.1	3.6	2.7	0.6	6.2			
BBgBarc US Aggregate TR	7.5	8.7	0.0	3.5	2.6	0.5	6.0	-2.0	4.2	7.8

Alternative Investment Assets

Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund IV, L.P.

Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund V, L.P.

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Total Retirement System Aggregate | As of February 28, 2021

	Fiscal Ye	ar Perfo	rmance							
	Fiscal 2020	Fiscal 2019	Fiscal 2018	Fiscal 2017	Fiscal 2016	Fiscal 2015	Fiscal 2014	Fiscal 2013	Fiscal 2012	Fiscal 2011
	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Total Retirement System Aggregate	7.3	5.2	7.1	11.2	8.8	-1.2	8.5	11.3	17.7	-0.9
Domestic Equity Assets	15.0	2.7	20.7	22.3	13.2	1.6	17.4	22.6	28.0	-3.7
Russell 3000	15.0	2.9	17.6	18.7	15.0	-0.5	17.8	21.6	30.2	0.5
BlackRock Russell 1000 Index	16.0	3.9	17.7	18.5	14.9	-0.7	18.9			
Russell 1000	16.0	3.9	17.8	18.5	14.9	-0.6	19.0	20.9	30.1	0.9
Domestic Fixed Income Assets	7.6	9.8	-0.6	0.0	5.8	1.6	2.7	-1.5	6.7	4.6
BBgBarc US Aggregate TR	7.0	10.3	-1.2	0.1	5.2	2.9	4.0	-1.7	5.2	5.3
Pugh Core Fixed Income	7.3	10.3	-1.3	0.1	5.3	2.9	4.7	-1.7	5.6	
BBgBarc US Aggregate TR	7.0	10.3	-1.2	0.1	5.2	2.9	4.0	-1.7	5.2	5.3
BlackRock TIPS	10.0	7.1	0.4	-0.7	6.6	-0.8	1.5			
BBgBarc US TIPS TR	10.1	7.1	0.4	-0.7	6.6	-0.8	1.6	-6.1	9.1	9.9
BlackRock U.S. Debt Index	7.1	10.4	-1.2	0.1	5.2	3.1	4.1			
BBgBarc US Aggregate TR	7.0	10.3	-1.2	0.1	5.2	<i>2</i> .9	4.0	-1.7	5.2	5.3

Alternative Investment Assets

Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund IV, L.P.

Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund V, L.P.

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Total Retirement System Aggregate | As of February 28, 2021

	Public Markets Investment Expense Analysis									
As Of February 28, 2021										
Name	Fee Schedule	Market Value	Estimated Fee Value	Estimated Fee						
Total Equity		\$64,468,630								
Domestic Equity Assets		\$64,468,630								
BlackRock Russell 1000 Index	0.04% of Assets	\$64,468,630	\$25,787	0.04%						
Total Fixed Income		\$351,401,107								
Domestic Fixed Income Assets		\$351,401,107								
Pugh Core Fixed Income	0.25% of First 50.0 Mil, 0.15% of Next 50.0 Mil, 0.10% Thereafter	\$82,990,360	\$174,486	0.21%						
BlackRock TIPS	0.06% of First 100.0 Mil, 0.04% of Next 400.0 Mil, 0.02% Thereafter	\$52,733,988	\$31,640	0.06%						
BlackRock U.S. Debt Index	0.06% of First 100.0 Mil, 0.04% of Next 400.0 Mil, 0.03% Thereafter	\$215,676,759	\$106,271	0.05%						
Cash		\$2,378,940								
Cash		\$2,378,940								
Total		\$418,248,677	\$338,184	0.08%						

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Cash Flow Summary



Cash Flow Analysis | As of February 28, 2021

Cash Flow Summary Quarter to Date									
	Beginning Market Value	Contributions	Withdrawals	Net Investment Change	Ending Market Value	Period Return			
BlackRock Russell 1000 Index	\$63,166,652	\$0	\$0	\$1,301,978	\$64,468,630	2.06%			
BlackRock TIPS	\$53,439,505	\$0	\$0	-\$705,517	\$52,733,988	-1.32%			
BlackRock U.S. Debt Index	\$220,422,141	\$0	\$0	-\$4,745,382	\$215,676,759	-2.15%			
Cash	\$9,300,403	\$7,077,677	-\$14,000,000	\$860	\$2,378,940	0.01%			
Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund IV, L.P.	\$5,382,579	\$0	-\$180,000	\$0	\$5,202,579	0.00%			
Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund V, L.P.	\$7,035,835	\$0	-\$270,000	\$0	\$6,765,835	0.00%			
Pugh Core Fixed Income	\$85,065,245	\$0	-\$44,577	-\$2,030,308	\$82,990,360	-2.44%			
Total	\$443,812,360	\$7,077,677	-\$14,494,577	-\$6,178,370	\$430,217,091	-1.41%			

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Cash Flow Analysis | As of February 28, 2021

Cash Flow Summary YTD									
	Beginning Market Value	Contributions	Withdrawals	Net Investment Change	Ending Market Value	Period Return			
BlackRock Russell 1000 Index	\$63,166,652	\$0	\$0	\$1,301,978	\$64,468,630	2.06%			
BlackRock TIPS	\$53,439,505	\$0	\$0	-\$705,517	\$52,733,988	-1.32%			
BlackRock U.S. Debt Index	\$220,422,141	\$0	\$0	-\$4,745,382	\$215,676,759	-2.15%			
Cash	\$9,300,403	\$7,077,677	-\$14,000,000	\$860	\$2,378,940	0.01%			
Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund IV, L.P.	\$5,382,579	\$0	-\$180,000	\$0	\$5,202,579	0.00%			
Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund V, L.P.	\$7,035,835	\$0	-\$270,000	\$0	\$6,765,835	0.00%			
Pugh Core Fixed Income	\$85,065,245	\$0	-\$44,577	-\$2,030,308	\$82,990,360	-2.44%			
Total	\$443,812,360	\$7,077,677	-\$14,494,577	-\$6,178,370	\$430,217,091	-1.41%			

YTD is currently reflecting QTD data.



Cash Flow Analysis | As of February 28, 2021

		Fiscal YTD				
	Beginning Market Value	Contributions	Withdrawals	Net Investment Change	Ending Market Value	Period Return
BlackRock Russell 1000 Index	\$55,562,573	\$0	\$0	\$8,906,057	\$64,468,630	16.03%
BlackRock TIPS	\$52,593,260	\$0	\$0	\$140,728	\$52,733,988	0.27%
BlackRock U.S. Debt Index	\$218,923,964	\$0	\$0	-\$3,247,205	\$215,676,759	-1.48%
Cash	\$39,309,979	\$7,077,677	-\$44,016,929	\$8,212	\$2,378,940	0.03%
Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund IV, L.P.	\$5,345,701	\$150,000	-\$1,067,024	\$773,902	\$5,202,579	15.00%
Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund V, L.P.	\$7,160,829	\$0	-\$1,194,168	\$799,174	\$6,765,835	11.56%
Pugh Core Fixed Income	\$84,238,103	\$0	-\$132,354	-\$1,115,389	\$82,990,360	-1.48%
Total	\$463,134,409	\$7,227,677	-\$46,410,475	\$6,265,479	\$430,217,091	1.31%

Fiscal year end is September 30.



Cash Flow Analysis | As of February 28, 2021

		One Year				
	Beginning Market Value	Contributions	Withdrawals	Net Investment Change	Ending Market Value	Period Return
BlackRock Russell 1000 Growth Index	\$12,639,600	\$0	-\$11,911,736	-\$727,865		
BlackRock Russell 1000 Index	\$48,015,913	\$0	\$0	\$16,452,717	\$64,468,630	34.27%
BlackRock Russell 1000 Value Index	\$9,490,790	\$0	-\$8,673,508	-\$817,282		
BlackRock TIPS	\$49,851,232	\$0	\$0	\$2,882,756	\$52,733,988	5.78%
BlackRock U.S. Debt Index	\$212,548,417	\$0	\$0	\$3,128,342	\$215,676,759	1.47%
Cash	\$79,593,259	\$36,704,747	-\$114,146,436	\$227,370	\$2,378,940	0.31%
Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund IV, L.P.	\$5,814,944	\$150,000	-\$2,042,024	\$1,279,659	\$5,202,579	27.50%
Mesirow Financial Private Equity Partnership Fund V, L.P.	\$7,552,745	\$0	-\$2,094,168	\$1,307,258	\$6,765,835	20.65%
Pugh Core Fixed Income	\$81,647,292	\$0	-\$174,346	\$1,517,414	\$82,990,360	1.64%
Total	\$507,154,193	\$36,854,747	-\$139,042,218	\$25,250,369	\$430,217,091	5.32%

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Appendix

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