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NCRSP 2020 Public Policy Priorities*

State Retirement

Priority 1 (2020 Legislative Agenda): Provide a \$500.00 one-time benefit supplement for North Carolina's public school and state government retirees.

Priority 2 (2020 Legislative Agenda): Support and participate in a broad stakeholder effort for reviewing the existing state pension system and considering equitable pension reform opportunities, including assurance that retiree benefits keep up with inflation, and working toward bipartisan agreement for a path forward.

Priority 3: Maintain and strengthen the Defined Benefit (DB) pension program for North Carolina's current and future public school and state government employees.

- Continue to fully fund the Actuarially Determined Employer Contribution (ADEC).

Health Care for Retirees

Maintain current benefits for North Carolina's public school and state retirees.

Fully fund the State Health Plan.

Monitor the Lake lawsuit pertaining to continuation of a base plan for retirees with no required premium.

About NCRSP

For almost 60 years, the North Carolina Retired School Personnel (NCRSP) has represented North Carolina's public school system retirees, including educators and other school personnel. NCRSP's purpose is to: act on behalf of retired school personnel regarding issues involving their health, welfare, interests, and other needs; promote the social, economic, and professional status of retired school personnel; advocate on behalf of its members on issues related to the State Retirement System (TSERS) and the State Health Plan; and encourage members to be active self-advocates on public policies that impact their quality of retirement living.

* If circumstances arise which merit re-prioritization and/or enhanced activity for any one or more of these public policy priorities, the Legislative Committee may elect to meet and discuss and/or take action, if warranted.