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PUBLIC NOTICE

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SUBJECT: Nomination and Election of Elected Member of the Berkshire County Retirement Board

DATE: September 17, 2026

In accordance with Chapter 32, sec. 20, of the Massachusetts General Laws, the Berkshire County Retirement Advisory Council has authorized and called for the nomination and election of one elected member of the Berkshire County Retirement Board.

Any active or retired member of the Berkshire County Retirement System is eligible to serve in this position. The term of office is three (3) years, commencing January 1, 2027.

To qualify for nomination, a retirement system member must secure the valid signatures and addresses of at least five (5) active and/or retired members of the Berkshire County Retirement System. Nomination papers can be obtained from the office of the Berkshire County Retirement System, which is located at 29 Dunham Mall, Pittsfield, any local town treasurer's office on or after September 17, 2026. Nomination papers must be returned to the Retirement Board by 3 pm on November 3, 2026.

Upon proper qualification and certification of the papers, the Advisory Council will set a date for the election and authorize and order the mailing of ballots to all active and retired members of the Berkshire County Retirement System. Members shall then cast their ballots for the candidate of their choice.

Please address all questions to the Berkshire County Retirement Office (413) 499-1981.

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