ORDINANCE NO. 680

 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CALISTOGA, COUNTY OF NAPA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CALISTOGA AND THE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE CALIFORNIA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO IMPLEMENT A SECOND TIER RETIREMENT BENEFIT FOR NEW MISCELLANEOUS AND SAFETY EMPLOYEES

An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Calistoga authorizing an amendment to the contract between the City Council of the City of Calistoga and the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees' Retirement System.

The City Council of the City of Calistoga does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1.

That an amendment to the contract between the City Council of the City of Calistoga and the Board of Administration, California Public Employees' Retirement System is hereby authorized, a copy of said amendment being attached hereto, marked Exhibit A, and by such reference made a part hereof as though herein set out in full.

SECTION 2.

The Mayor of the City Council of the City of Calistoga is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to execute said amendment for and on behalf of said Agency.

SECTION 3.

This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after the date of its adoption, and prior to the expiration of fifteen (15) days from the passage thereof shall be published at least once in the Calistoga Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in the City of Calistoga and thenceforth and thereafter the same shall be in full force and effect.

This ordinance was introduced with first reading waived at the City of Calistoga City Council meeting on the 21st day of February, 2012 and was passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Calistoga City Council on the 20th day of March, 2012, by the following vote:

JACK GINGLES, Mayor

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ATTEST:

AMANDA DAVIS, Deputy City Clerk

ABSTAIN/ABSENT:



California
Public Employees' Retirement System

AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT

Between the
Board of Administration
California Public Employees' Retirement System
and the
City Council
City of Calistoga

The Board of Administration, California Public Employees' Retirement System, hereinafter referred to as Board, and the governing body of the above public agency, hereinafter referred to as Public Agency, having entered into a contract effective July 1, 1968, and witnessed June 14, 1968, and as amended effective June 1, 1973, April 1, 1978, February 1, 1985, July 1, 1999, February 16, 2000, July 7, 2000, August 3, 2001, January 16, 2003, February 1, 2007 and August 1, 2007 which provides for participation of Public Agency in said System, Board and Public Agency hereby agree as follows:

- A. Paragraphs 1 through 14 are hereby stricken from said contract as executed effective August 1, 2007, and hereby replaced by the following paragraphs numbered 1 through 17 inclusive:
 - 1. All words and terms used herein which are defined in the Public Employees' Retirement Law shall have the meaning as defined therein unless otherwise specifically provided. "Normal retirement age" shall mean age 55 for local miscellaneous members entering membership in the miscellaneous classification on or prior to the effective date of this amendment to contract, age 60 for local miscellaneous members entering membership for the first time in the miscellaneous classification after the effective date of this amendment to contract and age 55 for local safety members.

- Public Agency shall participate in the Public Employees' Retirement System from and after July 1, 1968 making its employees as hereinafter provided, members of said System subject to all provisions of the Public Employees' Retirement Law except such as apply only on election of a contracting agency and are not provided for herein and to all amendments to said Law hereafter enacted except those, which by express provisions thereof, apply only on the election of a contracting agency.
- 3. Public Agency agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) and its trustees, agents and employees, the CalPERS Board of Administration, and the California Public Employees' Retirement Fund from any claims, demands, actions, losses, liabilities, damages, judgments, expenses and costs, including but not limited to interest, penalties and attorneys fees that may arise as a result of any of the following:
 - (a) Public Agency's election to provide retirement benefits, provisions or formulas under this Contract that are different than the retirement benefits, provisions or formulas provided under the Public Agency's prior non-CalPERS retirement program.
 - (b) Public Agency's election to amend this Contract to provide retirement benefits, provisions or formulas that are different than existing retirement benefits, provisions or formulas.
 - (c) Public Agency's agreement with a third party other than CalPERS to provide retirement benefits, provisions, or formulas that are different than the retirement benefits, provisions or formulas provided under this Contract and provided for under the California Public Employees' Retirement Law.
 - (d) Public Agency's election to file for bankruptcy under Chapter 9 (commencing with section 901) of Title 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code and/or Public Agency's election to reject this Contract with the CalPERS Board of Administration pursuant to section 365, of Title 11, of the United States Bankruptcy Code or any similar provision of law.
 - (e) Public Agency's election to assign this Contract without the prior written consent of the CalPERS' Board of Administration.
 - (f) The termination of this Contract either voluntarily by request of Public Agency or involuntarily pursuant to the Public Employees' Retirement Law.

- (g) Changes sponsored by Public Agency in existing retirement benefits, provisions or formulas made as a result of amendments, additions or deletions to California statute or to the California Constitution.
- 4. Employees of Public Agency in the following classes shall become members of said Retirement System except such in each such class as are excluded by law or this agreement:
 - a. Local Fire Fighters (herein referred to as local safety members);
 - b. Local Police Officers (herein referred to as local safety members);
 - c. Employees other than local safety members (herein referred to as local miscellaneous members).
- 5. In addition to the classes of employees excluded from membership by said Retirement Law, the following classes of employees shall not become members of said Retirement System:

NO ADDITIONAL EXCLUSIONS

- 6. Removal of the exclusion of "Persons Compensated on an Hourly Basis", pursuant to Section 20503, is declarative of agency's previous interpretation and does not mandate any new classes of employees into membership.
- 7. The percentage of final compensation to be provided for each year of credited prior and current service as a local miscellaneous member in employment before and not on or after August 1, 2007 of this amendment to contract shall be determined in accordance with Section 21354 of said Retirement Law subject to the reduction provided therein for Federal Social Security (2% at age 55 Modified and Full).
- 8. The percentage of final compensation to be provided for each year of credited prior and current service as a local miscellaneous member in employment on or after August 1, 2007 and not entering membership for the first time in the miscellaneous classification after the effective date of this amendment to contract shall be determined in accordance with Section 21354.4 of said Retirement Law subject to the reduction provided therein for Federal Social Security (2.5% at age 55 Modified and Full).

- 9. The percentage of final compensation to be provided for each year of credited current service as a local miscellaneous member entering membership for the first time in the miscellaneous classification after the effective date of this amendment to contract shall be determined in accordance with Section 21353 of said Retirement Law subject to the reduction provided therein for Federal Social Security (2% at age 60 Modified).
- 10. The percentage of final compensation to be provided for each year of credited prior and current service as a local safety member entering membership in the safety classification on or prior to the effective date of this amendment to contract shall be determined in accordance with Section 21363.1 of said Retirement Law subject to the reduction provided therein for Federal Social Security (3% at age 55 Modified).
- 11. The percentage of final compensation to be provided for each year of credited current service as a local safety member entering membership for the first time in the safety classification after the effective date of this amendment to contract shall be determined in accordance with Section 21369 of said Retirement Law subject to the reduction provided therein for Federal Social Security (2% at age 55 Modified).
- 12. Public Agency elected and elects to be subject to the following optional provisions:
 - a. Section 21222.1 (One-Time 5% Increase 1970). Legislation repealed said Section effective January 1, 1980.
 - b. Section 21024 (Military Service Credit as Public Service).
 - c. Section 20042 (One-Year Final Compensation) for local miscellaneous members and local safety members entering membership on or prior to the effective date of this amendment to contract.
 - d. Section 20503 (To Remove the Exclusion of Persons Compensated on an Hourly Basis, Prospectively from July 7, 2000).
 - e. Section 20965 (Credit for Unused Sick Leave).

f. Section 20475 (Different Level of Benefits). Section 21353 (2% @ 60 Modified formula) and Section 20037 (Three-Year Final Compensation) are applicable to local miscellaneous members entering membership for the first time in the miscellaneous classification after the effective date of this amendment to contract.

Section 21369 (2% @ 55 Modified formula) and Section 20037 (Three-Year Final Compensation) are applicable to local safety members entering membership for the first time in the safety classification after the effective date of this amendment to contract.

- 13. Public Agency, in accordance with Government Code Section 20790, ceased to be an "employer" for purposes of Section 20834 effective on April 1, 1978. Accumulated contributions of Public Agency shall be fixed and determined as provided in Government Code Section 20834, and accumulated contributions thereafter shall be held by the Board as provided in Government Code Section 20834.
- 14. Public Agency shall contribute to said Retirement System the contributions determined by actuarial valuations of prior and future service liability with respect to local miscellaneous members and local safety members of said Retirement System.
- 15. Public Agency shall also contribute to said Retirement System as follows:
 - a. A reasonable amount, as fixed by the Board, payable in one installment within 60 days of date of contract to cover the costs of administering said System as it affects the employees of Public Agency, not including the costs of special valuations or of the periodic investigation and valuations required by law.
 - b. A reasonable amount, as fixed by the Board, payable in one installment as the occasions arise, to cover the costs of special valuations on account of employees of Public Agency, and costs of the periodic investigation and valuations required by law.
- 16. Contributions required of Public Agency and its employees shall be subject to adjustment by Board on account of amendments to the Public Employees' Retirement Law, and on account of the experience under the Retirement System as determined by the periodic investigation and valuation required by said Retirement Law.

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Contributions required of Public Agency and its employees shall be paid by Public Agency to the Retirement System within fifteen days after the end of the period to which said contributions refer or as may be prescribed by Board regulation. If more or less than the correct amount of contributions is paid for any period, proper adjustment shall be made in connection with subsequent remittances. Adjustments on account of

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