

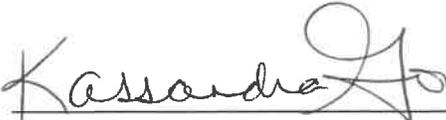


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BILL No. 2024-055

**An Order** to increase the monthly stipend of the Retirement Board members to \$375.00 and to establish a \$250.00 stipend for the City Treasurer.

**Summary:** The City of Amesbury has its own retirement system that is governed by a five-member Retirement Board and overseen by a full-time Administrator who collectively are responsible for overseeing 260 retirees and 300 active members as well as the investment of a portfolio of over \$70,000,000. The Retirement Board is required to complete annual qualifications and educational training to maintain certification, and Board members have received a monthly stipend of \$250.00 since 1999. Additionally, the City's Treasurer is responsible for recording the monthly bank statements and signing off on investments for the Amesbury Retirement Board and is not currently compensated for these additional duties. This order is a request to the City Council to approve the increase of the Retirement Board members monthly stipend from the 1999 established rate of \$250.00 to \$375.00 and to establish a monthly stipend in the amount of \$250.00 for the City's Treasurer who doubles as the Treasurer for the Amesbury Retirement Board.

**Be it Ordered by the City Council of the City of Amesbury assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows:**

1. That the Amesbury City Council votes to increase the Retirement Board's monthly stipend to \$375.00.
2. That the Amesbury City Council votes to establish a monthly stipend of \$250.00 for the City Treasurer.
3. That this order shall take effect upon its passage.



Board	Board Member	Treasurer	Notes:	First name	Last name	Job/Email address
Adams Retirement board	3,000.00	1,500.00		Bill	Flynn	bflynn@adamsretirement.com
Amesbury Retirement Board	3,000.00	0.00		Kevin	Caira	cairak@amesburyma.gov
Andover Retirement Board	3,000.00	0.00		Helen	Armano	helen.armano@andover.ma.us
Arlington Retirement Board	4,500.00	3,000.00		Maria	Freitas	mfreitas@town.arlington.ma.us
Attleboro Retirement Board	3,000.00	1,500.00		Ken	Bardertscher	retirement@cityofattleboro.us
Barnstable County RetBoard	4,500.00	6,000.00	County Treasurer	Susy	Bento Holmes	sholmes@barnstablecountyretirement.org
Belmont Retirement Board	3,000.00	3,000.00		Robert	Soohoo	rssoohoo@belmontretirement.org
Berkshire Regional Ret Board	3,600.00	5,600.00	County Treasurer	Sheila	LaBarbera	info@berkshireretirement.com
Beverly Retirement Board	3,000.00	1,500.00		Barbara	Wells	bwells@beverlyma.gov
Blue Hills RSD Retirement Board			left message	David	Sullivan	dsullivan@bluehills.org
Boston Retirement Board			left message	Timothy	Smythe	retirementboard@boston.gov
Braintree Retirement Board	0.00	0.00		Dennis	Gallagher	dgallagher@braintreema.gov
Bristol County Retirement Board	4,500.00	4,500.00	County Treasurer	Roxanne	Donovan	rdonovan@bristolcountretirement.org
Brockton Retirement Board	3,000.00	1,500.00		Jeanne	Martineau	jmartineau@brocktonretirement.com
Brookline Retirement Board	0.00	0.00		Frank	Zecha	brooklineretirement@brookline.ma.gov
Cambridge Retirement Board			referred me to website	Ellen	Philbin	ephilbin@cambridgeretirementma.gov
Chelsea Retirement Board			left message	Cinda	Donarumo	cdonarumo@chelseama.gov
Chicopee Retirement Board	4,500.00	1,500.00		Anna Marie	Hamblin	ahamblin@chicopeema.gov
Clinton Retirement Board	3,000.00	850.00		Patty	Hazel	phazel@clintonma.gov
Concord Retirement Board	0.00	0.00		Linda	Boucher	lboucher@concordretirement.org
Danvers Retirement Board	0.00	0.00	1,500 Ex-Officio only	Susan	Little	slittle@danversma.gov
Dedham Retirement Board	0.00	0.00		Barbara	Isberg	staff@dedhamret.com
Dukes County Retirement System	4,500.00	4,500.00	County Treasurer	Kelly	McCracken	kelly@dukesretirement.com
Easthampton Retirement Board			left message	Kymme	Wood	administrator@easthamptonretirement.com
Essex Regional Retirement Board	4,500.00	4,500.00	no treasurer	Charles	Kostro	info@essexrrs.org
Everett Retirement Board	4,500.00	3,000.00		Robert	Shaw	robert.shaw@ci.everett.ma.us
Fairhaven Retirement Board	0.00		ex officio 2500	Mary	Sturgeon	msturgeon@fairhaven-ma.gov
Fall River Retirement Board	3,000.00	3,000.00		Michael	Pasternak	info@fallriverretirement.com
Falmouth Retirement Board	0.00	0.00	ex officio - 1,500.00, 2nd a Francis (Kip)	Francis	St Germaine	retire@falmouthretirementma.gov
Fitchburg Retirement Board	3,000.00	0.00		Tina	Schneider	tschneider@fitchburgma.gov
Framingham Retirement Board	0.00	0.00		Laurie	Lizak	retirement@framinghamma.gov
Franklin Regional Ret Board	4,500.00	0.00	Chair \$12,600	Dale	Kowacki	general.frrsma@gmail.com
Gardner Retirement Board	3,500.00	300.00		Cheryl	Bosse	cbosse@gardner-ma.gov
Gloucester Retirement Board	4,500.00	1,500.00		Gloucester	Retirement Board	pivas@gcrsys.com
GLSD Retirement Board	3,000.00	1,500.00		Heather	Thibeault	hthibeault@gjsdrs.org
Greenfield Retirement Board	3,000.00	3,000.00		Shari	Hildreth	shari.hildreth@greenfield-ma.gov
Hamden Cty Ret Board	3,000.00		Chair - \$22,000	Erika	Lecourse	elecours@hcrb.org
Hampshire County Ret Board	4,500.00	0.00	Chair- \$48,000	Mary	Baronas	info@hampshireretirement.org
Haverhill Retirement Board	3,000.00	1,500.00		Lannie	Patel	lpatel@haverhillretirement-ma.org

Hingham Retirement Board	0.00	1,500.00	Chair - 3000	Maressa	Orellana	retirement@hingham-ma.com
Holyoke Retirement Board	3,000.00	3,000.00		Anthony	Dulude	adulude@ret.holyoke.ma.us
Hull Retirement Board	0.00	0.00	Ex-Officio \$3,000	Lauren	Durham	ldurham@town.hull.ma.us
Lawrence Retirement Board	3,000.00	0.00		Gina	Rizzo	grizzo@cityoflawrence.com
Leominster Retirement Board	3,000.00	3,000.00		Erin	Kelley	ekelley@leominster-ma.gov
Lexington Retirement Board	0.00	0.00		Michelle	Malone	mmalone@lexingtonma.gov
Lowell Retirement Board	4,500.00	2,000.00		Shannon	Dowd	sdowd@lowellma.gov
Lynn Retirement Board	4,500.00	0.00		Gary	Brenner	lynnret@gmail.com
Malden Retirement Board	4,500.00	3,000.00		James	Ryan	jryan@maldenretirement.org
Marblehead Retirement Board	0.00	1,500.00	Town reimb. For Fin Dir time	Linda	Gifford	Ret.gifford@marblehead.org
Marlborough Retirement Board	3,000.00	0.00		Nathaniel	Chen	nchen@marlborough-ma.gov
Mass Housing Finance Agency Ret	4,500.00	0.00		Joseph	Petty	jpetty@masshousing.com
Mass Port Authority Retirement Bd	4,500.00	4,500.00		Irene	Moran	imoran@massport.com
Maynard Retirement Board	3,000.00	0.00	Ex Officio only	Kenneth	DeMars	maynard.retirement@gmail.com
Medford Retirement Board	4,500.00	1,500.00		Mark	Minervini	mmminervini@medford-ma.gov
Melrose Retirement Board	3,000.00	1,000.00		Adam	Travinski	atravinski@cityofmelrose.org
Methuen Retirement Board	3,000.00	2,700.00		Kaitlyn	Doucette	kdoucette@ci.methuen.ma.us
Middlesex Retirement Board	4500 quarterly	0.00		Lisa	Maloney	mrs@middlessexretirement.org
Milford Retirement Board	0.00	1,500.00	Ex Officio 3000	Kelly	Capece	kcapece@townofmilford.com
Milton Retirement Board	0.00	1,500.00	Ex Officio \$1,500	Jeanne	Darcy	jdarcy@townofmilton.org
Minuteman Reg Sch Dis Ret Bd	3,000.00	1,500.00	Chair - \$35,600.00	Sandor	Zapollin	s.zapollin@minuteman.org
Montague Retirement Board	4,020.00	3,000.00		Debra	Underhill	retirement@montague-ma.gov
MWRA Retirement Board	0.00	0.00		Jule	McManus	julie.mcmanus@mwra.com
Natick Retirement Board	0.00	1,500.00	Comptroller	Kathleen	Bacon	kbacon@tiac.net
Needham Retirement Board	0.00	1,500.00		Jacob	Cole	jcole@needhamma.gov
New Bedford Retirement Board	4,500.00	1,500.00		Eric	Cohen	ecohen@newbedfordretirement.org
Newburyport Retirement Board	4,500.00	3,000.00		Laurie	Burton	laurieburton@newburyportretirement.org
Newton Retirement Board	3,000.00	0.00		Barbara	O'Brien	bobrien@newtonma.gov
Norfolk County Ret Board	4,500.00	4,500.00		Kathleen	Kiely-Becchetti	kkb@norfolkcrs.com
North Adams Retirement Board	3,000.00	1,500.00		Shawn	Flynn	sflynn@northadamsretirement.org
North Attleboro Retirement Board	3,000.00	3,000.00		Megan	Martinsen	mmartinsen@northamptonma.gov
Northampton Retirement Board	3,000.00	3,000.00		David	Shipka	dshipka@northamptonma.gov
Northbridge Retirement Board	0.00	0.00	Ex Officio \$3,000	Scott	McGrath	retirement@northbridgemaass.org
Norwood Retirement Board	4,500.00	1,500.00		Janet	Uzoma	dwilkes@norwoodma.gov
Peabody Retirement Board	4,200.00	1,500.00		James	Freeman	james.freeman@peabody-ma.gov
Pittsfield Retirement Board	3,000.00	1,500.00		Karen	Lancto	klancto@cityofpittsfield.org
Plymouth County Ret Board	4,000.00	?		Timothy	Smyth	tsmyth@pcr-ma.org
Plymouth Retirement Board	0.00	3,000.00	Ex-Officio \$3,000	Wendy	Cherry	wendy@plymouthretirement.com
Quincy Retirement Board	4,500.00	0.00		Brad	Crall	bcroall@quincyma.gov
Reading Retirement Board	0.00	3,000.00		Colleen	Loughlin	cloughlin@ci.reading.ma.us

Revere Retirement Board	4,500.00	3,000.00	Sandor	Zapolin	szapolin@revere.org
Salem Retirement Board	3,000.00	3,000.00	Paul	Findlen	Exe paul.findlen@salemret.com
Saugus Retirement Board	0.00	0.00	Ann	Quinlan	scrs@saugusretirement.org
Shrewsbury Retirement Board	3,816.00	3,816.00	Gregory	Gastogiannis	ggastogiannis@shrewsburyma.gov
Somerville Retirement Board	3,000.00	0.00	Michael	Pasquariello	retirement@somervillema.gov
Southbridge Retirement Board	4,500.00	4,500.00	Yolanda	Alvarado	yalvarado@southbridgema.gov
Springfield Retirement Board	0.00	0.00	Susana	Baltazar	sbaltazar@springfieldcityhall.com
State Board of Retirement	0.00	0.00	Micarlie	Merisier	micarlie.p.merisier@tre.state.ma.us
Stoneham Retirement Board	0.00	3,000.00	Christopher	Delisi	cdelisi@stoneham-ma.gov
Taunton Retirement Board	4,500.00	3,000.00	Paul	Slivinski	pslivinski@taunton-ma.gov
Teachers' Retirement Board	0.00	0.00	Erika	Glaster	geninfo@trb.state.ma.us
Wakefield Retirement Board	0.00	1,500.00	Cathy	Cheek	ccheek@wakefield.ma.us
Waltham Retirement Board	3,000.00	3,000.00	Andrew	Malls	retirement@city.waltham.ma.us
Watertown Retirement Board	4,500.00	4,500.00	Barbara	Sheehan	bsheehan@watertownretirement.com
Webster Retirement Board	3,000.00	3,000.00	Kristin	LaPlante	klaplante@webster-ma.gov
Wellesley Retirement Board	0.00	1,500.00	Louis	Angeloni	lwfyntot@wellesleyma.gov
West Springfield Ret Board	3,000.00	3,000.00	James	Lovotti	jlovotti@tows.org
Westfield Retirement Board	3,000.00	0.00	Liam	Browne	liam.browne@cityofwestfield.org
Weymouth Retirement Board	4,500.00	0.00	Ed	Masterson	emasterson@weyret.comcastbiz.net
Winchester Retirement Board	0.00	0.00	Karen	Manchuso	kmanchuso@winchester.us
Winthrop Retirement Board	0.00	0.00	Michelle	Church	mchurch@town.winthrop.ma.us
Woburn Retirement Board	4,500.00	3,000.00	Anne	Speicher	aspeicher@cityofwoburn.com
Worcester Retirement Board	4,500.00	0.00	Lisa	Poske	retirement@worcesterma.gov

