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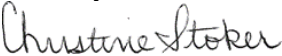
RE: West Manatee Fire & Rescue District Firefighters' Retirement Plan – Declaration of Returns

To Whom It May Concern:

On January 22, 2026, the Board of Trustees of the West Manatee Fire & Rescue District Firefighters' Retirement Plan, based on the advice of its investment consultant and actuary, determined that the total expected annual rate of investment return for the fund for the next year, the next several years, and the long-term thereafter, shall be 7.40%, net of investment related expenses.

This determination is made in accordance with Section 112.661(9), Florida Statutes.

Thank you,


Christine Stoker
Plan Administrator

Cc: Blanca Greenwood, Attorney
Sara Carlson, Actuary
Kaitlyn Wright, Administrative Assistant