

Pension E-News



Distinguished Service Awards Presented

During their February 17, 2022, meeting the CTPF Board of Trustees thanked Trustees James Cavallaro and Gervaise Clay for their service and presented them with Distinguished Service Awards. Read more [here](#).



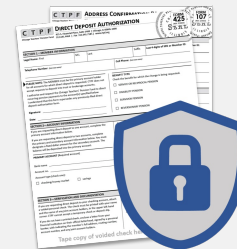
James Cavallaro



Gervaise Clay

Protecting Your Data - Security Enhancements for Members

The Chicago Teachers' Pension Fund (CTPF) is committed to protecting members' data, and in an effort to improve the security of personal information, CTPF will no longer offer Change of Address (107) and Direct Deposit (425) forms for download from ctpf.org. Members who need to change their address or change their direct deposit information should call Member Services, at 312.641.4464 to request these forms. Your identity will be confirmed before the forms are issued. [Learn more here](#).



myCTPF Offers Helpful Features

New features have been added to the myCTPF Member Self-Service Portal which is now available to surviving spouses. These updates offer an even more accessible and efficient myCTPF experience. Register at myCTPF.org to:

- Request an estimate of your CTPF retirement benefit (for active members who meet the eligibility requirements) and then view, download, and print when they are available.
- View your address, contact information, and benefit status
- Download a pay advice or 1099R (retirees) or Member Statement (members with service credit with CTPF)

Register today at myCTPF.org



Staff Updates

Human Resources Director

LaToya Bibbs has joined CTPF as Human Resources Director. A strategic, analytical, and results-driven Human Resource professional, Bibbs brings extensive experience as an HR Business Partner in K-12 Education and healthcare fields. Her skills include

organizational design in staffing, budgeting, organizational development, project management, and talent sourcing. She comes to CTPF from Chicago Public Schools, where she most recently worked as the staffing HR Manager in Nutrition Support Services, supporting more than 2,700 employees. Bibbs earned a bachelor's degree in Communications/Journalism from Columbia College-Chicago and a master's degree in Human Resource Management from Keller Graduate School.



2022 Retirement Webinars

CTPF offered a 2022 Retirement Webinar on February 21, 2022. [View the webinar presentation and recording here.](#) CTPF will offer another set of 2022 Retirement Webinars at 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. on April 12, 2022. Webinars offer an overview of the retirement process and can help you jump start (or complete) your retirement application.

Register at ctpf.org/calendar.

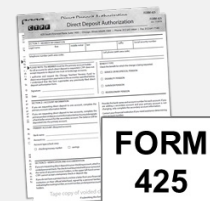


Are You Redefining Retirement?

We know that retirement represents a new beginning for many of our members. What are you doing to stay active, creative, engaged, and involved? Inspire others to join you. Send your story and a photo to communications@ctpf.org. [Read about others who are Redefining Retirement here.](#)

Pension Payment Schedule

CTPF encourages all members to switch to direct deposit. Call Member Services at 312.641.4464 to request your documentation and ensure the timely delivery of your benefits. The schedule for mailing checks and direct deposit dates through July 2022 is listed below. [Click here for the full schedule.](#)



Month	Last Day to Submit an Address or Tax Withholding Change	Check Mailing Date	Direct Deposit Date
March 2022	February 11, 2022	February 25, 2022	March 1, 2022
April 2022	March 17, 2022	March 30, 2022	April 1, 2022
May 2022	April 15, 2022	April 28, 2022	May 2, 2022
June 2022	May 16, 2022	May 27, 2022	June 1, 2022
July 2022	June 15, 2022	June 29, 2022	July 1, 2022

Employee Contribution Reporting

Each pay period, Employers remit employee pension contributions to CTPF. Illinois law requires that these contributions be made within a certain time period. If the Employer does not send the funds within the required time, penalties may be assessed. Find the most recent list of delinquent employers [here](#).

Lost Payees

CTPF is trying to contact members who are over age 70½, but who have not commenced benefits or taken a refund of their contributions. If you or someone you know is included on the [Lost Payees Listing](#), please contact Member Services, 312.641.4464 or email memberservices@ctpf.org.

CTPF COVID-19 Information & Resources

CTPF is committed to doing our part to stop the spread of COVID-19. For the health, safety, and wellbeing of all CTPF Members, the Fund continues to deliver all member services remotely. The physical office remains closed to all but essential employees whose duties cannot be performed offsite. In-person services and counseling are suspended until it is safe to resume these operations.

CTPF has implemented the following changes for the health and safety of all:

- In-person appointments and services are suspended.
- Phone assistance, video counseling, and remote notarization appointments are available. Members should call 312.641.4464 or email memberservices@ctpf.org for assistance.
- US Mail processing may be delayed. Send benefit applications, forms, and documents by fax 312.641.7185 or email an attachment (.pdf or .jpg format) to imaging@ctpf.org to ensure prompt processing.

Learn more on the COVID-19 Response Page [ctpf.org/covid-19](https://www.ctpf.org/covid-19).



All current meeting dates, office information, and upcoming event information can be found on the CTPF Calendar at [ctpf.org/calendar](https://www.ctpf.org/calendar).

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CTPF will continue to share information at [ctpf.org](https://www.ctpf.org) on social media, in E-Lerts, and in E-News. We also encourage you to connect with CTPF on social media; many of CTPF's more than 89,000 members are active on either Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn.

Please consider forwarding this email to a friend who may be a fellow member or pensioner.

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