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**TO:** Certifying Officers, Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)  
**FROM:** Jeff S. Ignatowitz, PERS Board Secretary  
**SUBJECT:** **PERS Notice of Election Date Extension- Municipal Representative**

This notice for the 2023 Public Employees' Retirement System Municipal Representative Election requires your cooperation and response.

The PERS-Municipal Representative election was originally set to end as of July 7, 2023 and was extended until **August 7, 2023**, at 4 p.m. The election has been extended again, until **September 5, 2023, at 4 p.m.**, in order to ensure maximum participation and to allow all locations to distribute election ballots to all eligible PERS-Municipal members in a fair and efficient manner. Please also advise your PERS-Municipal members that although the original ballots reflect the July 7, 2023, deadline, all members can still cast their votes until **September 5, 2023, at 4 p.m.**

Please distribute this election notice electronically or, if you are not able to accommodate electronic distribution, please provide a paper notice to every PERS-Municipal member employed at your location. If you are the Certifying Officer for multiple locations, you will receive only one Certifying Officer letter; however, you are required to distribute the election notice to active PERS-Municipal members at all locations.

It is imperative that every PERS-Municipal member has an opportunity to vote in this important election, and the Board is asking each Certifying Officer to make every effort to distribute the ballots to their members. **You will also receive an email with a link to certify that all ballots have been distributed to your eligible PERS-Municipal employees.** Please follow the instructions in the email and certify distribution as soon as possible.

The Board appreciates your efforts in assisting with the fair administration of the election.