

Michigan Department of Treasury Bureau of Investments



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Executive Summary

- The market value of the MSPRS plan is up and the funding ratios are improving
- Long-term results substantially beat peers
- The market value of the MSPRS plan is different than the actuarial value; actuarial value 'smooths' results over years, while the market value is the actual value of the fund as of a certain date



Bureau of Investments (BOI) As of January 30, 2018

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Bureau of Investments (BOI) As of February 2018

- 75 BOI Employees
- 45 Investment Professionals
- 30 Individuals with a Masters Degree or higher
- 15 CFA Charter holders
- 15 Other professional designations
- Total of \$91.2 billion assets under management (as of 3/31/18)
- The large investment pool is an advantage for the MSPRS, increase diversification while keeping costs low



MSPRS Funded Ratio \$1.6 Billion as of 3/31/18

				Funded Ratio					
	Market	Actuarial	Actuarial	Based on					
	Value of	Value of	Accrued	Actuarial					
Year	Assets	Assets	Liability	Value					
2016	\$1,278	\$1,273	\$2,008	63.4%					
2015	\$1,233	\$1,197	\$1,851	64.7%					
2014*	\$1,250	\$1,133	\$1,800	63.0%					
2013	\$1,127	\$1,069	\$1,724	62.0%					
2012	\$1,052	\$1,069	\$1,671	64.0%					
2011	\$967	\$1,138	\$1,628	69.9%					
2010	\$999	\$1,202	\$1,594	75.4%					
1983	\$178	\$178	\$272	65.4%					
MSPRS Estimated Market Value Funded Ratio									
3/31/2018	\$1,443		\$2,008	71.9%					

(\$ in Millions)

Pension Fund Only

Source: Pension Plans Component Unit Financial Reports and Actuarial Valuations, years ending in September

^{*}Revised actuarial assumptions and/or methods.



MSPRS Contributions and Distributions FY 2017

Contributions

Net	(\$2.9)
Pension Benefit Distributions	130.2
Total Contributions	\$127.3
Employer	124.2
Members	\$3.1

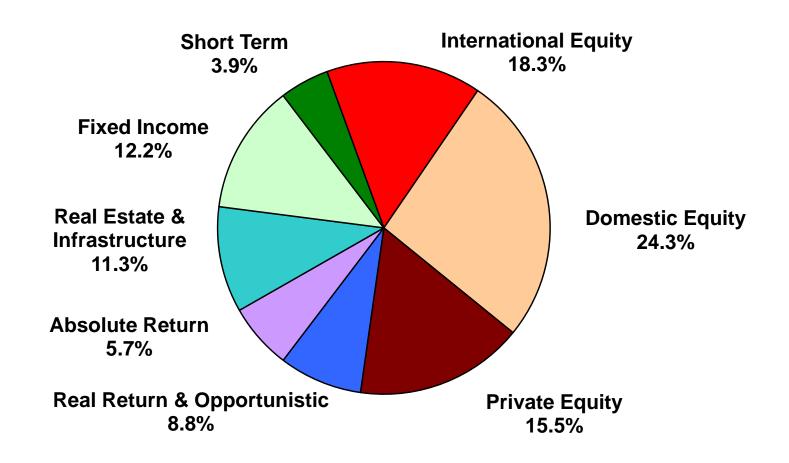
Or about 0.2% of total market value of fund

Equal to (per quarter on average)

(\$0.7)

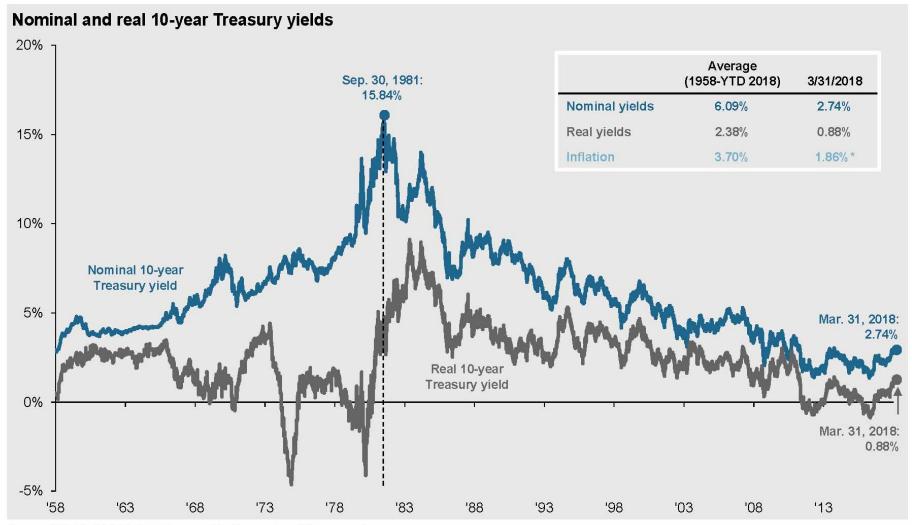


MSPRS Asset Allocation As of March 31, 2018





Interest Rates and Inflation



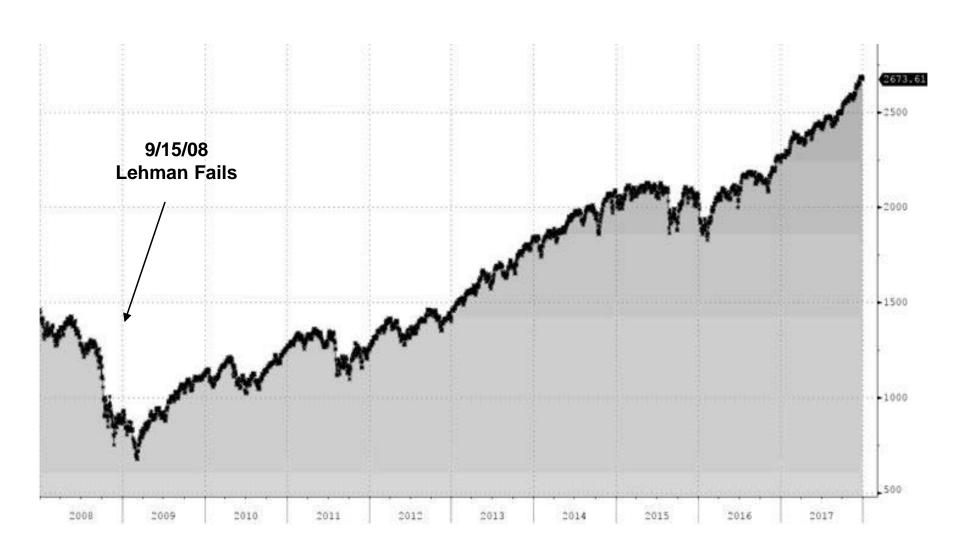
Source: BLS, FactSet, Federal Reserve, J.P. Morgan Asset Management.
Real 10-year Treasury yields are calculated as the daily Treasury yield less year-over-year core CPI inflation for that month except for March 2018, where real yields are calculated by subtracting out February 2018 year-over-year core inflation. *Inflation is as of February 2018.

Guide to the Markets – U.S. Data are as of March 31, 2018.





S&P 500 - Last 10 Years





MSPRS FUND

Time-Weighted Rate of Return

Public Funds (DB) > \$10 Billion

As of December 31, 2017

	CY 2017									
Asset Class	One Year*		Three Years*		Five Years*		Seven Years*		Ten Years*	
w/Benchmark	Rate	Rank	Rate	Rank	Rate	Rank	Rate	Rank	Rate	Rank
Total Plan	16.2%	33	8.7%	15	10.7%	14	9.8%	11	6.3%	30
Median	15.2%		7.9%		9.1%		8.5%		5.9%	

^{*} Annualized Returns

Source: State Street Investment Analytics



U.S. Economy

- Forecasted for modest higher growth
- Housing continues to do well
- Auto sales are doing ok
- Tax cut will provide fiscal stimulus this year
- Labor market has tightened significantly and may increase inflation
- World economy currently doing well



Still Needed

- Need to address U.S. long-term liabilities
- World is uncertain (Iran, North Korea, Syria, etc.)
- Tariff concerns



Conclusion

- We have experienced a U.S. 'Bull Market' since 2009, one of the longest ever
- The longer-term returns are higher than peer median
- Going forward, with the 10-Year Treasury at 2.9%, achieving 7% is challenging for a diversified portfolio
- The U.S. and world economy is growing at a decent rate, and most economists predict moderate economic growth in 2018 and 2019