



RETIREMENT BOARD POLICY AND REFERENCE MANUAL

SUBJECT: RECIPROCITY - REDEPOSIT OF CONTRIBUTIONS	Section: 2-15 Date Adopted/Revised: 6/11/2008
SYSTEM(S): JOINT	Approved: <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Retirement Administrator</div>

POLICY

Under the reciprocal agreement between the City of Fresno and the California Public Employees Retirement System signed February 18, 2002, an employee who leaves City employment and receives a refund of his/her retirement contributions may later join a reciprocal system and establish reciprocity by re depositing his/her contributions with the City of Fresno Retirement System.

However, the Retirement Boards upon initiation of the Reciprocity agreement, decided that an employee who had left City employment and received a refund of retirement contributions prior to the reciprocal agreement being finalized would not be allowed to re deposit his/her contributions in either City of Fresno Retirement System in order to establish reciprocity.

PROCEDURE

In the case where a prior City employee is eligible to establish reciprocity and a re deposit of contributions is accomplished, the Retirement Office will administer the request as follows:

- A. If the former employee withdrew his/her contributions from one of the City of Fresno Retirement Systems on or after February 18, 2002, he or she will be allowed to re deposit those contributions in the process of establishing reciprocity with another system.
- B. If the former employee withdrew his/her contributions from the City system prior to February 18, 2002, he or she will not be eligible to re deposit those contributions unless he or she is re-employed by the City of Fresno and the re deposit is accomplished pursuant to Fresno Municipal Code Section 3-327 or 3-534.

1. Adopted 10/08/2003
 2. Annual Review, administrative changes, adopted 6/11/2008.