

Your health insurance is in jeopardy!
Is your pension safe?

MEA-Retired Mission Statement

To advocate for the financial security and to protect retirement benefits for current and future Michigan public school employees and to promote a quality public education for all students.

MEA-Retired must remain vigilant concerning the activities of the Office of Retirement Services and the MPSERS Board. Pensions are guaranteed by the Michigan Constitution; however, your take home pay may be reduced! Your health care benefits may be changed by the Legislature or the MPSERS Board. Both actives and retirees must share in this vigilance. All of us presently, or in the future, will be affected by the actions of these two bodies.

Join MEA-Retired to protect your benefits.

Please do not be misled by invitations from other “retired” organizations. MEA-Retired is the only retired organization approved by and affiliated with the National Education Association.



MEA-Retired: What will you get after you retire if you join now?

- Peace of mind in knowing that your current membership benefits will continue (without a lapse) once you retire.
- Member discounts using the MEA Advantage card.
- NEA Liability Insurance when returning to the classroom.

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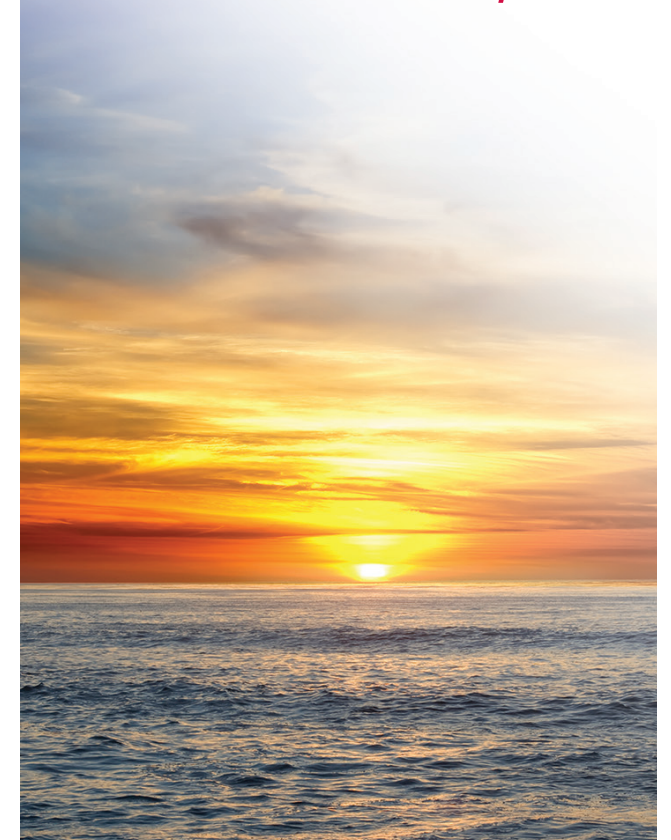
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Help protect the benefits and services that took a lifetime to obtain.
Join MEA-Retired today.



MEA-Retired: Who are we?

We are:

- **Advocates** for constitutionally protected retiree pensions.
- **Advocates** and protectors of public education.
- **Advocates** for medical, dental, vision, and hearing benefits.
- **Advocates** united with MEA to protect active school employees' working conditions, salaries, health care, and other fringe benefits.
- **Advocates** with
 - Over 35,000 MEA-Retired members;
 - About 100,000 active MEA members;
 - Over 3 million NEA members, including retirees.

We are:

- **Members** of NEA-Retired, that advocates at the federal level to protect Social Security, pensions, and health care.



MEA-Retired: What do we do?

We actively:

- **Fight** for current and future retiree benefits.
- **Inform** MEA-Retired members about education and retirement issues through print and electronic media.
- **Work** with MEA and NEA lobbyists.
- **Campaign** for the “public” in public education.
- **Campaign** for pro-public education candidates.

MEA-Retired Online Resources

www.mea.org/mea-retired

www.mea-retired.org

www.nea.org/retired

www.facebook.com/mearetired

Join our email list:
<http://tinyurl.com/o9frtas>

SmartPhone Alerts:
Text MEARETIRED to 22828



Want more information?

Health Coverage:

Blue Cross Blue Shield

800-422-9146
www.bcbsm.com/mpsers

Blue Care Network

866-966-2583
www.mibcn.com/mpsers

Priority Health

888-389-6648
www.priorityhealth.com/mpsers

Health Alliance Plan (HAP)

800-801-1770
www.hap.org/medicaresolutions

HealthPlus

800-332-9161
www.healthplus.org/mpsers.aspx

Prescription Drugs:

Catamaran Rx

866-288-5209
www.mycatamaranrx.com

Vision Service:

Blue Vision

877-478-7558
www.vsp.com/advantage

Dental Coverage:

Delta Dental Plan of Michigan

800-345-8756
www.deltadentalmi.com/mpsers

Retirement System:

MPSERS

800-381-5111
www.michigan.gov/orsschools

Medicare Information Source:

800-633-4227
www.medicare.gov

MEA-RETIRED/NEA-RETIRED

Lifetime Dues—\$450
Affiliated with NEA-Retired
Please print with a ballpoint pen.

MEA-Retired Lifetime Membership Application

Return to: MEA-RETIRED
MEA Membership Dept.
1350 Kendale Blvd., PO Box 2573
East Lansing, MI 48826-2573

(AIM Participants, check with MEA membership for your payment status. Contact MEA at 800-292-1934.)

<input type="checkbox"/> EXISTING (last 4 digits SSN) XX - XX -	<input type="checkbox"/> NEW MEMBER (FULL SSN) -----	<input type="checkbox"/> MR. <input type="checkbox"/> MRS. <input type="checkbox"/> MISS <input type="checkbox"/> MS. <input type="checkbox"/> DR.	NAME (last)	NAME (First)
ADDRESS	CITY	CITY	COUNTY	STATE / ZIP
Current Position or Date Retired	Employing School District / Retired From	HOME PHONE	EMAIL	

Cash payment: Please attach a check in the amount of \$450, payable to **Michigan Education Association-Retired**

Charge to my VISA or MasterCard

Credit card number _____ / _____ Expiration date _____ / _____

REQUIRED: Signature _____

Date _____