

CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

Section 143

1. Original Charter section approved by voters April 7, 1931

Section 143. CONTRIBUTIONS. The retirement system herein provided for shall be conducted on the contributory plan— the City contributing jointly with the employees affected thereunder. Employees shall contribute an amount not to exceed 5% of their salary or wage, except that in the discretion of the Board of Administration, employees of the age of fifty or over, at the time a retirement system becomes effective, may be required to contribute not to exceed 10% of their salary or wage; and employees of forty years of age or over at the time a retirement system becomes effective may, at their option, within one year after their entrance into such a system and with the approval of the Board of Administration, elect to receive allowances in excess of those normally established, at rates of contribution to be determined by the Board. The City shall contribute an equal amount, except where employees elect to receive a retirement allowance at a rate in excess of that normally established; in which case the City shall contribute only the amount provided in the actuarial tables adopted by the said board for normal retirement allowances. The mortality, service, experience or other table calculated by the actuary and the valuation determined by him, and approved by the board, shall be conclusive and final, and any retirement system established under this Article shall be based thereon; provided that initial liabilities accruing under a retirement plan because of past service of employees in active service on the 7th day of April, 1925, may be covered by annual appropriations by the Council.

2. Amendment voted 03-13-1945; effective 04-09-1945

Section 143. CONTRIBUTIONS. The retirement system herein provided for shall be conducted on the contributory plan— the City contributing jointly with the employees affected thereunder. Employees shall contribute according to the actuarial tables adopted by the Board of Administration for normal retirement allowances, except that employees may, at their option, with the approval of the Board of Administration, elect to receive allowances in excess of those normally established, at rates of contribution to be determined by the Board. The City shall contribute an equal amount except where employees elect to receive a retirement allowance at a rate in excess of that normally established; in which case the City shall contribute only the amount provided in the actuarial tables adopted by the said board for normal retirement allowances. The mortality, service, experience or other table calculated by the actuary and the valuation determined by him, and approved by the board, shall be conclusive and final, and any

retirement system established under this Article shall be based thereon; provided that initial liabilities accruing under a retirement plan because of past service of employees in active service on the 7th day of April, 1925, may be covered by annual appropriations by the Council.

3. Amendment voted 06-08-1954; effective 01-10-1955

Section 143. CONTRIBUTIONS. The retirement system herein provided for shall be conducted on the contributory plan, the City contributing jointly with the employees affected thereunder. Employees shall contribute according to the actuarial tables adopted by the Board of Administration for normal retirement allowances, except that employees shall, with the approval of the Board, have the option to contribute more than required for normal allowances, and thereby be entitled to receive the proportionate amount of increased allowances paid for by such additional contributions. The City shall contribute annually an amount substantially equal to that required of the employees for normal retirement allowances, as certified by the actuary, but shall not be required to contribute in excess of that amount, except in the case of financial liabilities accruing under any new retirement plan or revised retirement plan because of past service of the employees. The mortality, service, experience or other table calculated by the actuary and the valuation determined by him and approved by the board shall be conclusive and final, and any retirement system established under this article shall be based thereon.

4. Amendment voted 11-02-2004; effective 01-21-2005

See current Charter.