L.E.A.P. DAY 2020

LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION AND Advocacy by Pensioners

RTAC members are making a special effort to raise awareness about pensions and retirement security on L.E.A.P. Day 2020.

February 29, 2020

WHO?

RTAC Retirees



WHAT?

A Day of Action to educate Illinois legislators.

WHEN?

February 29, 2020

You have a bonus day in 2020. Use it to protect your pension.



WHY?

Knowing your legislators can help to protect your pension security.

Speak Up!

Pensions are not a gift – they are earned benefits paid for with a lifetime of contributions and service. Protecting your pension is your most important financial priority. 2020 is an election year. Make sure your legislators understand your priorities.



Take Action!

Tear out the sheet on the right, complete the information, and share it with your Illinois Senators and Representatives on **L.E.A.P.** Day, or during the week of February 29, 2020. **Visit local district offices, call, write and/or e-mail.**

You can download additional sheets to share with legislators and other former colleagues at www.rtac.org.



RETIRED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION OF CHICAGO

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About RTAC . . .

Since its founding in 1926, the Retired Teachers Association of Chicago (RTAC), an independent, non-profit, 501(c) 4 organization, has protected the pensions and fought for the interests of retired Chicago Public School (CPS) educators. RTAC's membership includes nearly 9,000 pensioners representing the interests of more than 26,000 retired Chicago Public School educators.

About RTAC's Legislative Agenda ...

RTAC sponsors the following legislative agenda and encourages lawmakers to support *and vote YES* for legislation which:

- Stabilizes a viable health insurance program for CTPF annuitants.
- Maintains the independent and fiscal integrity of CTPF.
- Opposes "pension holidays" or underfunding for the Chicago Teachers' Pension Fund.
- Opposes legislation that adversely affects the Automatic Annual Increase (COLA) for RTAC members.

About Me . . .

I am a constituent in your district, a retired CPS educator, and CTPF member. I support the RTAC legislative agenda, and I VOTE.

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