# PERSONNEL POLICIES & PROCEDURES # P-1

# SUBJECT: BENEFITS FOR MISCELLANEOUS EMPLOYEES

# **Policy Statement:**

#### **PERS**

Employee pays his/her portion of PERS Employee's contribution. Employee pays his/her portion of survivor benefit. The highest 12 consecutive months of salary will be used to calculate retirement benefits.

## <u>VACATION</u>

First 3 years of employment – 10 days

4 thru 10 years of employment – 15 days

11th year of employment – 16 days

12th year of employment – 17 days

13th year of employment – 18 days

14th year of employment - 19 days

15<sup>th</sup> year of employment – 20 days

16+ years of employment – 21 days

Employee can accrue up to a maximum of 280 hours vacation time.

Upon termination of employment, the employee shall receive full compensation for any unused vacation.

#### **SICK LEAVE**

12 days accrual per year of service. An employee can accrue unlimited number of sick leave days, but only at the time of retirement will the employee be compensated for any accrual. At that time, the employee will be paid for 1/2 of the amount of sick leave on record, over 280 hours, based on the salary at the time of retirement, to a maximum payment on 1040 hours. The employee's unused sick leave days will be converted to service credit at the rate of 0.004 years of service for each day provided there is less than 120 days between the member's separation date and retirement date.

#### **HOLIDAYS**

New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Day; President's Day; Memorial Day; Independence Day; Labor Day; Veterans' Day; Thanksgiving Day; Day after Thanksgiving; Christmas Eve; Christmas Day. (Holidays on Saturday will be taken on Friday and Holidays on Sunday will be taken on Monday)



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# **FLOATING HOLIDAYS**

Employees will receive 3 floating holidays. Floating holidays are to be taken during the calendar year and will not accrue from one calendar year to the next. Upon termination, any accrued, but unused floating holiday will be paid at a straight time rate. Employees will be credited with floating holiday time at the rate of 4 hours per month, capped at 24 hours per calendar year.

## **MEDICAL INSURANCE**

The capped rate for medical insurance is the 2014 Kaiser Family rate (or Kaiser employee + 2 or more) plus a 50/50 cost sharing of increases between employee and YCPARMIA effective 01/01/2015 and every year thereafter. (Example: Kaiser employee+2 rate is \$1900 and premium increases \$100, new maximum amount paid by YCPARMIA is \$1950.)

Medical coverage is mandatory unless proof of medical coverage elsewhere is submitted to YCPARMIA. Any costs over the capped amount will be deducted from the employee's paycheck. Any monies not used for medical by employee be paid to employee. This in-lieu of medical insurance benefit is not to exceed \$673.95 per month.

Permanent part-time personnel will receive a pro-rata share of the medical benefit. For example, a 50% employee will receive ½ of the medical benefit coverage provided by YCPARMIA; a 75% employee will receive ¾ of the medical benefit coverage provided by YCPARMIA. The in-lieu of medical insurance benefit will be similarly reduced.

## **DENTAL AND VISION COVERAGE**

Dental and Vision coverage for employee and family is paid for by YCPARMIA and is mandatory for all employees. Delta Dental insurance coverage is provided through the County of Yolo and is paid for by YCPARMIA after 6 months of employment. Employees have the option to increase coverage for an additional \$1000 per year at a cost of \$24 per month (the additional premium is paid by the employee).

Vision insurance is provided by MES through the City of Woodland.

Permanent part-time employees working at least 20 hours a week (or equivalent to 50% of full time) will receive the same dental and vision coverage as full-time employees, paid for by YCPARMIA.

#### **EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

YCPARMIA provides an Employee Assistance Program through the City of Woodland at no cost to the employee.

### **MILEAGE ALLOWANCE**

The Loss Prevention Analyst and the Claims Administrator will receive the Board approved monthly car allowance, plus the current IRS allowed rate for all travel outside the County of Yolo. All other employees will be reimbursed the current IRS allowed rate for the use of their private vehicles when used for business purposes and authorized by the Executive Director.



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## **JURY DUTY**

Full-time employees will receive full pay for jury duty attendance. Part-time employees will receive the same percentage of pay as is designated by their position (i.e. a 1/2 time designated employee will receive 4 hours per day pay.) Employees who are temporary or on-call will receive no payment for jury duty. In turn, an employee on jury duty is to turn over to YCPARMIA payment received from the court for jury duty service.

## **DEFERRED COMPENSATION**

ICMA Retirement Corporation and PERS administer deferred compensation plans for YCPARMIA. Each employee is entitled to participate in the plans according to Section 457 of the IRS Code. YCPARMIA does not contribute any funds to these plans.

#### STATE DISABILITY INSURANCE

Employee pays his/her portion for State Disability Insurance by a deduction from their paycheck.

Part-time personnel will receive a pro-rata share of these benefits based on 50% or 75% of time worked except dental/vision cafeteria plan, and mileage reimbursement. A 50% or more-time person will receive the full dental/vision benefit. Any personnel regularly working less than 50% of time will not receive benefits. A determination will be made at the beginning of each budget year as to the percentage of time a part-time employee is to work and benefits will be received accordingly.

It is clearly understood that these benefits do not apply to the Executive Director as the Executive Director's benefits are set forth in the employment agreement for the Executive Director.

#### **BENEFITS AFTER RETIREMENT**

Refer to the Retirement Benefits Section of the Personnel Manual.

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