



CITY OF ATLANTA
DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN INVESTMENT BOARD

**DEFINED BENEFIT PLAN ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE
FOR THE POLICE OFFICERS' PENSION FUND**

TO: CITY OF ATLANTA RETIRED EMPLOYEES
Police Officers' Pension Fund

FROM: Calvin Blackburn, Commissioner, Human Resources

DATE: September 30, 2025

RE: Election of one (1) City of Atlanta Retired Employee Representative to the
Police Officers' Pension Fund Administration Committee

An election will be held for **one (1) City of Atlanta Retired Employee Representative** to serve on the **Police Officers' Pension Fund Administration Committee**. The Administration Committee meets **every other month** to consider and approve service pension and disability pension applications submitted by participants in the Police Officers' Pension Fund. The candidate receiving the highest number of votes will serve a **three (3) year term** from **January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2028**.

This letter serves as official notice of the candidate running for this position. A biography for the candidate is attached along with your ballot which includes information to vote electronically.

Candidate

1. Kenneth Allen
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Retirees may vote either electronically using the online election system OR by using the attached paper ballot. We strongly encourage electronic voting to avoid possible USPS delays. We ask that you vote either electronically or by paper ballot, but not both.

Important Dates

- **Electronic Voting Opens:** November 17, 2025 at 12:01 a.m. EST
- **Electronic Voting Closes:** November 21, 2025 at 11:59 p.m. EST
- **Mail-in ballots must be postmarked no later than November 21, 2025**
- **Mail-in ballots must be received by 5:00 p.m. EST on December 1, 2025**
- **Votes will be counted December 2, 2025 at City Hall**



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POLICE OFFICERS' PENSION FUND ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

Retired Police Officers' Pension Representative - Candidate Brief Bio

KENNETH ALLEN, CPPT

After 30 years of service, I retired from APD in 2016. I spent an additional 5 years in the "Reserves" before retiring fully from the department. Currently I am working Corporate Security for Darling Ingredients as a Security Coordinator, specializing in investigating thefts of "used cooking oil" (UCO) from restaurants. Yes that is a thing!

I am the current elected representative and have been serving the Retired Officers for the past several years. I am a "Certified Public Pension Trustee" from GAPPT, as required by Georgia Law, and have proudly worked with Chairman Richard "Bud" Light on pension issues for the past 20 plus years. It has been my honor to serve in this position and I hope to continue to work in our interest for the next three (3) years.