

Local Governments – Retiree Bonuses

This past session, the Legislature passed a bill to give a second chance for local governments, such as cities and counties, to give the retiree bonus that the Legislature authorized in 2022. This bonus was paid last year to all state and education retirees and to the local retirees of the 484 local governments that authorized such payment by the initial deadline.

Forty four local governments took advantage of this second chance and authorized the bonus for their retirees. The bonus for these local retirees will be paid out in December. **This is only for the local retirees** who did not receive a bonus last year and whose former local government employer authorized the bonus before October 31. ●