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ERS Board of Control Special Election Ends

- The Local Employee, No. 1 position special election ended Friday, September 14. Results will be posted soon on our <u>election webpage</u>.
- If you missed the <u>September Advisor</u>, you missed two extremely important articles regarding pension liability.
 - ♦ The first, *Why Your Pension is Doomed*, is from *The Wall Street Journal*, which gives examples of five states pension problems.
 - The second article, *I say- Only If*, by Dr. David Bronner, explains the importance of the upcoming state elections. His message, "Get informed before you vote. Ask every politician on your ballot where they stand regarding your pension program."

How to Stay Informed

- Stay informed by joining <u>RSA 2018</u>, a public Facebook group started by RSA members, which allows all members to share information on the candidates running for the 2018 elections. This page has over 8,000 members.
- Join the <u>Save Our RSA Retirement Facebook page</u>, to stay up-to-date on the latest news regarding retirement security in Alabama. This page has over 70,000 members.
- Plan a weekend getaway around the upcoming Columbus Day holiday! View our <u>member discounts page</u>.
- RSA-1 is a powerful tool to help you reach your retirement dreams! Enroll in three easy steps!