



Houston Firefighters' Relief and Retirement Fund

Considering a Career Change?

The following information only applies to members hired before July 1, 2017

If a member decides to leave HFD before qualifying for service retirement at 20 years, the options for benefits depend on the member's number of years of service.

Members with less than 10 years of service receive a Refund of their Contributions without interest

Members with at least 10, but less than 20 years of service have two options:

Refund of their Contributions

- Contributions made before July 1, 2017 will be refunded with 5% simple interest
- Contributions made on or after July 1, 2017 will be refunded without interest

Deferred Retirement

- 1.7% of AMS (average monthly salary) for each year of service
- Payable at age 50