

**From:** Avalos, Elizabeth  
**Sent:** Friday, June 30, 2006 12:04 PM  
**To:** AllCounty; Clovis Memorial District; Clovis Memorial District; FMAAA; Fresno Mosquito Abatement; Fresno Mosquito Abatement; NCFPD; NCFPD; Beard, Tamara; Duran, Richard J.; Silva, Sandra; Weinberg, Michael; Anderson, Susan B.; Atkisson, Phil; Bash, Robert; Bohn, Bart; Bosch-Cobb, Karen; Cajiga, George; Case, Judy; Cervantes, Lori; Crow, Vicki; Egan, Elizabeth Kams; Hornback, Julie; Jimenez, Ralph; Larson, John; Maggy, Brad; Marshall, Dennis; Navarrette, John; Nguyen, Giang; Pierce, Richard; Prieto, Jerry; Salazar, Victor; Sutherlin, Jeanette M; Waterston, Bob; Werner, Robert; Zomalt, Gary; Bloom, Martin; Carter, Gilbert; Dimery-Ratliff, Ollie; Gregg, Dennis; Nielsen, Gary; Ormonde, Balbina; Patterson, Paul; Seidel, Bernice; Simonian, Richard; St. Marie, Richard  
**Cc:** Pena, Roberto; Van Wyk, Becky  
**Subject:** 2006 Retirement Contribution Rates  
**Attachments:** Common Questions.doc; 062806 Ltr to Members - Contribution Rates bvw (2).doc

Dear FCERA Members:

I have attached correspondence about the new employee retirement contribution rates that will become **effective with the pay period beginning July 2, 2006, for the pay date July 28, 2006 for County employees and the first pay period of July for Special Districts**. The new rates call for an average rate increase of about 16.5% for general members and about 8% for safety members. However, the actual increase will depend on the member's entry age of membership with FCERA. Please note the average increases are a percentage of the contribution amount you are already contributing, NOT a percentage of your total pay.

I respectfully request that the County Departments and Special Districts help us in making sure that all FCERA members receive this information by displaying a copy of the letter on your employee bulletin boards or by giving a copy of the letter to those employees who do not have access to County e-mail.

Again, thank you for your patience and understanding throughout this process. We look forward to continuing to serve you in the upcoming year. If you have additional questions, please contact the FCERA office at (559) 457-0681.

Please contact me if you have any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Roberto L. Peña  
Retirement Administrator



Common



062806 Ltr to

Questions.doc (37 KEMembers - Contri...

**Elizabeth Avalos**

Administrative Secretary

Fresno County Employees' Retirement Association

1111 H Street, Fresno, CA 93721

(559) 457-0681

(559) 457-0318 FAX