

**OKLAHOMA POLICE PENSION AND RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

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**DEFERRED OPTION PLAN APPLICATION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, SSN \_\_\_\_\_, in lieu of terminating employment and accepting a service retirement pension, do hereby **irrevocably** elect to participate in the Oklahoma Police Deferred Option Plan ("Plan") in accordance with 11 O.S. § 50-101 et seq. and OAC 550:15.

My participation in the plan shall begin on **(first day of month)** \_\_\_\_\_, and shall not exceed five (5) years terminating on **(last day of month)** \_\_\_\_\_, unless I terminate employment prior to such date. At the conclusion of my participation in the Plan, I shall terminate employment with all participating municipalities as an officer and shall begin receiving my accrued monthly retirement benefit from the Oklahoma Police Pension and Retirement System ("System"). My pension date is the first of the month following the last day of employment.

Upon commencement of my participation in the Plan, my contributions to the System shall cease. The contributions of the employer made by the Municipality of \_\_\_\_\_ shall continue to be paid in accordance with 11 O.S. § 50-101 et seq. Such employer contributions shall be credited equally to the System and the Plan. The monthly retirement benefit that would have been payable had I elected to cease employment and receive a service retirement pension shall be paid into my Plan account.

During my participation in the Plan, I will be eligible to receive any applicable cost of living increase and the interest earned shall be credited to my Plan account on an annual basis.

Thirty (30) days prior to termination of my participation in the Plan, the method of payment should be selected as set out in a form to be provided by the System. In the event of my death during my participation in the Plan, a lump sum payment equal to the balance of my Plan account shall be paid to my beneficiary or, if there is no beneficiary, to my estate.

**\*\*\*\*\* IMPORTANT NOTICE \*\*\*\*\***

**The System, which includes the Plan, has been approved by the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") as a qualified plan under the Internal Revenue Code, Section 401. This IRS approval in no way addresses the tax consequences of any portion of the System to any individual participant of this Plan.**

**The System, the Police Pension Board, and the Employer are not responsible for the tax consequences to any participant of making an election to participate in the Plan and/or receiving payment(s) under the System. Participants are encouraged to seek the advice of a competent professional tax advisor regarding the tax consequences of making an election to participate in the Plan and receiving payment(s) under the System.**

As above named applicant, I have read the foregoing application and its contents, and the statements made therein are true and correct.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE (Witnessed by Notary) \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBER (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTARY'S SIGNATURE:**

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ ) ss.  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the undersigned notary, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_.

Notary Signature \_\_\_\_\_ My commission number \_\_\_\_\_

[SEAL] My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_