

Ohio Police & Fire Pension Fund
Ohio-Qualified Investment Manager Policy

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In accordance with Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Sections 742.11 and 742.116, it is a goal of the Ohio Police and Fire Pension Fund (OP&F) to increase its utilization of Ohio-qualified investment managers when an Ohio-qualified investment manager offers quality, services, and safety comparable to other investment managers available to the Board of Trustees/Investment Committee. Nothing in this policy, however, shall require OP&F to hire an Ohio-qualified investment manager if the engagement is not consistent with the fiduciary duties outlined in ORC Sections 742.11 and 742.116, including cases in which a manager does not otherwise meet OP&F's criteria.

An Ohio-qualified investment manager is an investment manager that is subject to taxation under Chapter 5725, 5733, or 5747 of the Ohio Revised Code and meets one of the following requirements: (1) has its corporate headquarters or principal place of business in Ohio, (2) employs at least five hundred individuals in Ohio, or (3) has a principal place of business in Ohio and employs at least 20 residents of Ohio.

OP&F shall provide access to a list of Ohio-qualified investment managers. Ohio-qualified investment managers on the list will be given public notice of any public Request for Proposal searches conducted by OP&F for investment managers. The notice shall include OP&F's minimum search criteria, where applicable.