

# Unemployment Insurance Advisory Council Meeting

JUNE 20, 2018

## **UI Director's Report**

- The maximum weekly benefit amount for initial claims filed on and after July 1 will increase from \$390 to \$402.
- 2018 Legislation
  - HB 1030, provides statutory authority for the DLR to write off old uncollectible employer UI debt.

### UI Trust Fund – Actual 2017

### **UI Financials - Quarterly Summary**

(in Millions)

CY 2017	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Total
Contributions/Interest In	\$4.7	\$1 <mark>6.1</mark>	\$10.5	\$6.3	\$37.6
Benefits Paid Out	\$13.5	\$ <mark>6.2</mark>	\$4.0	\$5.1	\$28.8
Trust Fund	\$103.6	\$113.6	\$120.2	\$121.4	\$121.4

### **UI Trust Fund**

- To trigger the reduced rate tax table (Schedule B), the June 30, 2018 trust fund balance needs to be at least \$110.4 million.
- Projected June 30, 2018 trust fund balance is \$118.7 million.

# UI Trust Fund – Projected 2018 as of May 30, 2018

#### **UI Financials - Quarterly Summary**

(in Millions)

_	Actual	Project <mark>ed</mark>	<b>Pro</b> jected	Projected	
CY 2018	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	<mark>3r</mark> d Qtr	4th Qtr	Total
Contributions/Interest In	\$4.5	\$13 <mark>.2</mark>	\$9.3	\$6.1	\$33.1
Benefits Paid Out	\$12.6	\$7 <mark>.6</mark>	\$4.3	\$5.7	\$30.2
Trust Fund	\$113.1	\$118.7	\$123.9	\$124.3	\$124.3

<sup>\*</sup>Actual data through April 2018.

# UI Trust Fund – Projected 2019 as of May 30, 2018

#### **UI Financials - Quarterly Summary**

(in Millions)

_	Projected	Project <mark>ed</mark>	<b>Pro</b> jected	Projected	
CY 2019	1st Qtr	2nd Q <mark>tr</mark>	<mark>3r</mark> d Qtr	4th Qtr	Total
Contributions/Interest In	\$4.4	\$13 <mark>.9</mark>	\$9.5	\$5.9	\$33.7
Benefits Paid Out	\$13.5	\$7 <mark>.0</mark>	\$4.4	\$6.0	\$30.9
Trust Fund	\$115.2	\$122.1	\$127.1	\$127.1	\$127.1

<sup>\*</sup>Projected using Schedule B.

### **Topics for Next Meeting**

- Administrative fee
- Work search requirements for the jobattached and seasonally unemployed
- Mental health treatment and availability
- Seasonal employer status
- Things happening in other states