Lansing School District 403(b) Vendor Information Packet

Vendor Terminology:

SINGLE SOURCE MRIC PROVIDER: MRIC's choice for the vendor that offers a full array of investment options with choices among various risk and return characteristics and a competitive fee structure. Choosing this vendor allows most participants to keep their present 403(b) investments, if desired, in an account with a single investment provider.

CORE FIVE MRIC VENDORS: After a review of proposals from investment providers with approved payroll slots within the consortium districts, MRIC selected these five vendors, in addition to the single source above. They were chosen, with the hired services of an independent registered investment advisor, based on the quality of investment products and services offered, as well as the level of fees charged to participants.

DISTRICT SPECIFIC (WILDCARD) VENDORS: Generally up to three additional vendors chosen by the district. These companies often represent popular choices by employees prior to 01/01/09.

Product Type:

- **Mutual Fund:** A collection of stocks, bonds, and/or other securities offered to a group of investors by a registered investment company (**Fund Family**). Each investor owns shares, which represent a portion of the holdings of the fund. An **index mutual fund** uses a passive form of fund management with a portfolio constructed to match or track the components of a market index, such as the Standard & Poor's 500 Index (S&P 500), the largest 500 US based companies. A **managed mutual fund** is directed by one or more portfolio manager who attempts to buy stocks, bonds, and/or other securities that will outperform a particular market index. Because the manager is actively choosing the investments, the management fee is generally higher than for a passively managed indexed fund.
- Loaded Mutual Fund: Funds in which a sales fee or commission is charged to the investor when buying or redeeming shares. Shares of these funds are most often labeled as A, B, or C shares. Frontend loads represent the upfront fee, often 5.75% that an investor pays when purchasing A shares of a fund. With a \$1,000 investment and a 5.75% front-end load, an investor will pay \$57.50 for the sales charge and \$942.50 will be invested in the fund. A Back-end load is the fee paid on B or C shares if sold within a certain period, often stated as contingent deferred sale charges (CDSC). A typical example is a 6% back-end load on a B share that decreases to 0% in the seventh year or 1% on a C share disappearing after one year. Note that the ongoing fund management fee is generally higher for B and C shares and lower for A shares.
- Load-Waived Fund: The normal sale charges are waived by the retirement plan.
- **No-Load Fund**: Shares are sold without a commission or sales charge. Charging an annual account service or investment advisory fee may compensate vendors that offer these funds.
- Institutional / Retirement Class Shares: Have lower management costs than retail funds and generally are only available through larger pension companies.

• Annuity: A product sold by financial institutions designed to accept and grow investments and can, when desired, provide a steady cash flow for an individual (annuitant) during their retirement years. The average cost of an annuity contract is 2.148% (source: VARDS report 3-31-06). A Fixed Annuity is an insurance contract that guarantees that money invested will accumulate at a minimum specified rate of interest, or higher, depending on the market rate. A Variable Annuity allows the participant to invest in different subaccounts, such as stocks and bonds, and the value of the account is dependent on the return of the investments.

Common Fees and Charges Associated with Investment Products:

- **Surrender Charge:** The charge on money withdrawn from an annuity within a certain period after a purchase payment (typically within six to twelve years). Generally, the charge is a percentage of the amount withdrawn, and declines gradually over a period of several years, known as the "surrender period." Often, contracts will allow an annual withdrawal of 10% of the account value without a surrender charge.
- Service Fee: Charged by the investment company for maintaining a mutual fund account.
- Contract Fee: Charged by an insurance company for maintaining an annuity contract.
- Advisory Fee: A fee that is paid to the 403(b) provider. For example, an annual fee (typically assessed quarterly) of 1% of the total assets in the account under management.
- Separate Account Charge: The fee for a managed investment account. In the context of variable annuities, these are payments made to an insurance company for investing in securities.
- Fund Management Fee (also termed expense ratio): The cost of having assets professionally managed by the mutual fund manager. The fee pays the expenses involved for research and the selection of the investments, and to provide information to the investors about the fund's holdings and performance. Expense ratios range from as low as 0.09%, usually for index funds, to as high as 4.44% for managed funds. The average equity (stock) mutual fund charges 1.32% (source Morningstar 6-30-06). This fee is deducted from the overall return of the fund and is reflected in the fund performance.
- **12b-1 Fees:** An annual marketing or distribution fee on some mutual funds and is included in a fund's expense ratio, generally between .25 and 1% of a fund's assets. These fees are generally higher for B and C shares, and lower for A shares.

DISCLOSURE (Applies to all companies and products described in this document): The vendor representative listed, on the verification date indicated, has approved the following plan information. Before investing with any company, contact a representative for up to date plan information and current interest rates credited to fixed accounts. Before investing in any mutual fund, carefully read the prospectus(es) which contain information about investment objectives, risks, charges, expenses and other information, all of which should be carefully considered before investing. For current prospectus(es) call the company. Investing involves risk. The investment return and principal value will fluctuate and, when redeemed, the investment may be worth more or less than the original purchase price. Asset allocation, or the use of an investment advisor, does not ensure a profit nor guarantee against a loss.

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SINGLE SOURCE MRIC PROVIDER

Vendor: Midwest Capital Advisors (MCA)

Verified by Hank Swain 11/21/08

www.2my403b.com 1-877-2my-403b

Product #1	"MCA Managed Models"
Туре	Features 6 diversified, risk-managed models ranging
	from Very Conservative to Very Aggressive that are
	regularly monitored, updated and rebalanced, using
	screened, evaluated no-load funds
Product #2	"MCA Select Funds"
Туре	Features regularly updated list of 50+ screened &
	highly ranked no-load funds organized by asset class;
	for participants who want to do their own allocations
	but with some guidance
Product #3	"MCA Fund Universe"
Туре	More than 25,000 mutual funds representing 480+
	mutual fund families; accommodates virtually all
	mutual fund holdings of those who want to keep
	currently held funds, even if current provider is no
	longer in 403(b) market; can often be held in less
	expensive "Institutional" share classes; for
	participants who want to do their own allocations
Surrender Charges & Schedule	NA
Service Fee	None
Investment Advisory Fee (Annual)	Range from .38% to .18% depending on value of
	assets invested in MCA by MRIC participants;
	12b-1 and similar fees are credited to participant,
	reducing overall net fee
# of Funds & Fund Families	Varies with product type (see above)
Fund Management Fees *	Range from .15% - 2.52%
*Consult the prospectus (or ask	Plan Features: Online enrollment & investment
representative) for more detailed	selection with district ID & password on website.
information on fund management fees of	Enrollment, account assistance, investment and
specific funds	retirement planning tools and support available.

CORE FIVE MRIC VENDORS

Vendor: MEA Financial Services/Paradigm Equities

www.meafs.com 1-800-292-1950

Verified by Diane Keith 11/20/08

Product	PRUDENTIAL TDA Program 6978
Туре	Fixed &Variable Annuity 403(b) Plan
Surrender Charges	Based on Years of Participation
Surrender Schedule	YR 1 5%
	YR 2 4%
	YR 3 3%
	YR 4 2%
	YR 51%
	YR 6 0%
	No surrender fee applies if separated from service
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$20 TPA Fee Assessed
Separate Account Charge (Annual)	1% (included in fees below)
# of Funds & Fund Families	27 Funds, 8 Families: Prudential, OpCap, T Rowe
	Price, AIM, MFS, Janus, Jennison & Credit Suisse
Fund Management Fees*	Range From 1.38% to 2.52% After Waiver and/or
Include mgmt fee, 12b-1 fee, other	Reimbursement of Expenses
expenses, and acquired fund fees	
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on the separate account fees and the fund management fees.	Plan Features: An MEA financial services representative is assigned to each school district

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MEA Financial Services/Paradigm Equities continued

Product	PRUDENTIAL TDA Program 1165
Туре	Fixed & Variable Annuity 403(b) Plan
Surrender Charges	None
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$20 TPA Fee Assessed
Separate Account Charge (Annual)	1% (included in fees below)
# of Funds & Fund Families	27 Funds, 8 Families: Prudential, OpCap, T Rowe Price, AIM, MFS, Janus, Jennison & Credit Suisse
Fund Management Fees* Include mgmt fee, 12b-1 fee, other expenses, and acquired fund fees	Range From 1.38% to 2.52% After Waiver and/or Reimbursement of Expenses
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on the separate account fees and the fund management fees.	Plan Features: An MEA financial services representative is assigned to each school district. Available only for early retirement incentives and exchanges.

Product	PRUDENTIAL 403(b)(7) Mutual Fund Program Plan 7000
Туре	No-Load and Load-Waived Mutual Funds
Early Withdrawal Charge *	Redemption fees may apply
Surrender Schedule	NA
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$20 TPA Fee Assessed
Separate Account Charge	NA
# of Funds & Fund Families	38 Funds, 5 Families: American Funds, AIM, Dryden, Jennison, Franklin Templeton (Loads Waived)
Fund Management Fees* Include mgmt fee, 12b-1 fee, other expenses, and acquired fund fees	Range from .35% to 1.49% after waiver and/or reimbursement of expenses
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on the separate account fees and the fund management fees.	Plan Features: An MEA financial services representative is assigned to each school district

Vendor: The Legend Group Williams & Company Financial Services

Verified by Rich Williams 11/26/08

Product	Strategic Asset Management (SAM)
Туре	Full service professional investment management featuring 5 strategic asset allocation portfolios in each of 11 fund families and 5 portfolios using a multi vendor platform. Minimum investment \$5000.
Surrender Charges *	A shares-none, B shares max deferred contingent sales charge 5% C shares contingent deferred sales charge 1%
Service Fee	\$0
Investment Advisory Fee (Annual)	2.0% (0.5% Quarterly) of account value
# of Funds & Fund Families	800+ funds. 114 Load-Waived Fidelity Advisor A Funds & 15 families with loaded funds including American, Federated, Franklin Templeton/Mutual Series, Invesco Aim, Ivy, JP Morgan, MFS, Oppenheimer, Pioneer, Putnam, Rydex, Security, SunAmerica, Van Kampen, Waddell & Reed Advisor
Fund Management Fees *	.35% - 3.11%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on applicable sale charges,	Plan Features: LIFETRAXX a free retirement planning guide provided by Williams & Company,
break points, surrender fees, and individual fund management fees.	customized for the Michigan Public School Employee. Includes web-based access.

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Product	Premier Custodial Account
Туре	Mutual fund program with representative assistance
Surrender Charges *	A shares-none,
	B shares max contingent deferred sales charge 5%
	C shares contingent deferred sales charge 1%
Service Fee	\$0
Investment Advisory Fee (Annual)	1.0% of account assets
# of Funds & Fund Families	800+ funds. 114 Load-Waived Fidelity Advisor A
	Funds & 15 families with loaded funds including
	American, Federated, Franklin Templeton/Mutual
	Series, Invesco Aim, Ivy, JP Morgan, MFS,
	Oppenheimer, Pioneer, Putnam, Rydex, Security,
	SunAmerica, Van Kampen, Waddell & Reed Advisor
Fund Management Fees *	.35% - 3.13% Rydex "speciality" funds also available
_	ranging from 1.20% - 4.44%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed	Plan Features: LIFETRAXX a free retirement
information on applicable sale charges,	planning guide provided by Williams & Company,
break points, surrender fees, and	customized for the Michigan Public School Employee.
individual fund management fees.	Includes web-based access.

Product	Self Directed
Туре	Mutual Funds / loaded & load-waived
Surrender Charge*	A shares-none,
	B shares max max contingent deferred sales charge 5% C shares max contingent deferred sales charge 1%
Service Fee (Annual)	\$15
# of Funds & Fund Families	800+ funds. 114 Load-Waived Fidelity Advisor A Funds (available only through online enrollment) & 15 families with loaded funds -Listed in charts above
Fund Management Fees *	.35% - 2.25%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on applicable sale charges, break points, surrender fees, and individual fund management fees.	Plan Features: Online enrollment and web-based access

Vendor: PlanMember Services

Verified by Richard Ford 02/04/09

Product	PlanMember Elite
Туре	Investment advisory program: Features 5 professionally managed investment portfolios suited to an investor's unique investment goals, risk tolerance & time horizon.
	Portfolios consist of strategic combinations of load-waived & no-load index & actively managed funds.
Service Fee (Annual)	\$25 for accounts less than \$100,000
Investment Advisory Fee (Annual)	Range from 1.5% to 1.0% depending on value of assets invested by individual and/or MRIC participants
# of Funds & Fund Families	Dodge & Cox, T. Rowe Price, Vanguard, & American Funds
Fund Management Fees *	Index Option: From .10% to .26% Hybrid Option: From .32% to .40%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on individual mutual fund management fees.	Plan Features: Includes investment advisory services, customized personal retirement planner, & annual retirement plan reviews. Loans available

Product	Plan Member Symetra Daily Valued Fixed
Туре	Group Non-allocated Fixed Annuity
Surrender Schedule	None
Contract Fee	\$0
Interest Rate	Currently crediting 3.5% with a guaranteed minimum interest rate of 1.5%
Plan Feature	Can select a percentage to invest in as part of one application for all plans

Product	PlanMember
	Symetra Flexible Premium Plus Fixed Account
Туре	Individual Fixed Annuity
Surrender Charges	Contract Driven, not deposit based; 10% free out annually
	based on contract value
Surrender Schedule	6%, 6%, 6%, 6%, 3%, 3%, 3%, 0%
Contract Fee	\$0
Interest Rate	Currently crediting 5.4% in first year with a guaranteed
	min. interest rate of 3.0% during surrender charge period
Plan Feature	Can select a percentage to invest in as part of one
	application for all plans

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Product	PlanMember OptifundSelect
Туре	Mutual fund program with representative assistance
Surrender Charges	A shares-none, B & C shares see below*
Service Fee (Annual)	\$35 for 1 fund family, \$50 for 2+ families
Investment Advisory Fee	NA
# of Funds and Fund Families	600+ loaded mutual funds in A, B, & C share classes
	from 15 fund families: AIM, Alliance Bernstein,
	American Funds, DWS Investments, Federated
	Investors, Fidelity Advisor, Franklin Templeton,
	Hartford, John Hancock, MFS, Oppenheimer,
	Pioneer, Principal, Putman & Security Funds
Sales Charges *	A shares: Front-end charge max 5.75%
	B shares: max contingent deferred sales charge 5%
	C shares: contingent deferred sales charge max 1%
Fund Management Fees *	A shares .47% – 2.53% avg. 1.23%
	B shares 1.13% – 3.03% avg. 1.99%
	C shares 1.04% – 3.02% avg. 1.99%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed	Plan Features: Toll-free call center & web account
information on applicable sale charges,	access. Loans Available
break points, surrender fees, and	
individual fund management fees.	

Product	PlanMember OptifundSelect (Self-Directed)
Туре	Self-directed no-load & load-waived mutual funds
Surrender Charges	NA
Account Service Fee (Annual)	.35 % of assets in the account
Investment Advisory Fee	NA
# of Funds & Fund Families	300+ no-load & load-waived mutual funds from 11 fund families: AIM, American Funds, Columbia, Fidelity, Franklin Templeton, Janus, MFS, Oppenheimer, Putman, T. Rowe Price & Vanguard
Fund Management Fees *	Range from .18% to 1.86% Avg89%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on the fund management fees.	Plan Features: Toll-free call center & web account access with links to web-based research. Loans available

Vendor: VALIC

Verified by Steve Warner 11-19-08

AIGRetirement.com MRIC 877-754-1113 800-426-3753

	800-420-3733
Product	PORTFOLIO DIRECTOR
Туре	Fixed &Variable Annuity 403(b) Plan
Surrender Charges	No charges upon separation from service
	In service: 10% out annually w/o surrender charge
	5% of the lesser of (a) amt. withdrawn or
	(b) prior 60 months of contributions
Surrender Schedule	See above
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$20 TPA Fee
Separate Account Charge (Annual)	.75% to 1.25% of account balance depending on funds
	chosen. Avg. charge is 1%
# of Funds & Fund Families	60 funds AIG Funds w/ 20+ fund family managers.
	Also Ariel, Lou Holland, Vanguard
Fund Management Fees *	Range from .23% to 1.35% after waiver and/or
Include mgmt fee, 12b-1 fee, other	reimbursement of expenses
expenses, and acquired fund fees	
* Consult the prospectus for more detailed	Plan features: 75 Michigan based advisors; Personal
information on the fund management fees.	Representative Service & Retirement Planning

PROFILE
No-Load Mutual Funds with a Fixed Annuity Option
NA
NA
\$40.00 (\$10 per quarter) + \$20 TPA Fee
NA
Approx. 90 funds available. AIG Funds w/ various fund family managers. 19 additional fund families
Range from .35% to 1.54% after waiver and/or
reimbursement of expenses
Plan features: Online Enrollment Self Directed Program

Special Feature: Guided Portfolio Services (GPS) uses Ibbotson Associates as a third party advisor to provide extended financial planning and asset management with either of the above plans. Additional charge .60% annual fee

Vendor: Waddell & Reed

Verified by Charles Doolittle 11/25/08

Product	Waddell & Reed
	Nationwide Platform
Туре	No-load & load-waived mutual funds
Surrender Charges	\$50 Termination Fee
Surrender Schedule	NA
Service Fee (Annual)	\$41
Investment Advisory Fee (Annual)	Range .49% to 0% of account balance based on total consortium assets in plan
# of Funds & Fund Families	45 no-load & load-waived funds, 23 Families: AIM, Allianz, American, BlackRock, Calvert, Dryden, DWS, Fidelity Advisor, Goldman Sachs, Janus Adviser, Harbor, Heartland, Ivy, Jennison, Lazard, Loomis Sayles, Nationwide, Oppenheimer, Pimco, Principal, Van Kampen, Waddell & Reed
Fund Management Fees *	Range from .33% to 1.9%
Include mgmt fee, 12b-1 fee, other	
expenses, and acquired fund fees	
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on the fund management fees.	Plan features: Advisors are assigned to each school district for personal financial planning

Lansing School District Specific (Non Core/Wildcard) Vendors

Vendor: Ameriprise Financial Verified by Brian Sommer 12/04/08

www.ameriprise.com

Product	RiverSource Retirement Advisor 4 Advantage Variable
	Annuity
Туре	Variable Annuity
Surrender Charges	7 year (7%, 7, 7, 6, 5, 4, 2, 0)
	10 year (8%, 8, 8, 7, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 0)
Service Fee (Annual)	\$30 (\$0 for contract values or total payments
	less payments surrendered of \$50,000+)
M & E Fee (Annual)	.85%
# of Funds and Fund Families	Over 69 sub accounts from 21 well-known fund
	families, including Oppenheimer, Fidelity, American
	Century, Wells Fargo, and more. Asset Allocation
	program also available. Portfolio Navigator Asset
	Allocation Program provides five model portfolios
	developed and updated by RiverSource Investments,
	LLC, based on recommendations from Morningstar
	Associates, LLC.
Sales Charges	See surrender charges
Fund Management Fees *	Different for each sub account. Total fees range from
	0.72% - 2.89%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed	Purchase payment credit available. 0%, 1%, 2% or
information on applicable sale charges,	3% depending on the initial amount invested and
break points, surrender fees, and individual	surrender charge chosen. Fixed account option and a
fund management fees.	guarantee period account available (term of 1-10
	years).

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Product	RiverSource Retirement Advisor Variable Annuity 4
	Select
Туре	Variable Annuity
Surrender Charges	3 year (7, 7, 7, 0)
Service Fee (Annual)	\$30 charged annually (\$0 for contract values or total payments less payments surrendered of \$50,000+).
M & E Fee (Annual)	1.10%
# of Funds and Fund Families	Over 69 sub accounts from 21 well-known fund families, including Oppenheimer, Fidelity, American Century, Wells Fargo, and more. Asset Allocation program also available. Portfolio Navigator Asset

# of Fund Families continued	Allocation Program provides five model portfolios developed and updated by RiverSource Investments, LLC, based on recommendations from Morningstar Associates, LLC.
Sales Charges	See surrender charges
Fund Management Fees *	Different for each sub account. Total fees range from 0.72% - 2.89%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on applicable sale charges, break points, surrender fees, and individual fund management fees.	Purchase payment credit available. 0%, 1%, 2% or 3% depending on the initial amount invested and surrender charge chosen. Fixed account option and a guarantee period account available (term of 1-10 yrs).

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Product	RiverSource Retirement Advisor Variable Annuity 4
	Access
Туре	Variable Annuity
Surrender Charges	None
Service Fee (Annual)	\$30 charged annually (\$0 for contract values or total
	payments less payments surrendered of \$50,000+).
M & E Fee (Annual)	1.25%
# of Funds and Fund Families	Over 69 sub accounts from 21 well-known fund
	families, including Oppenheimer, Fidelity, American
	Century, Wells Fargo, and more. Asset Allocation
	program also available. Portfolio Navigator Asset
	Allocation Program provides five model portfolios
	developed and updated by RiverSource Investments,
	LLC, based on recommendations from Morningstar
	Associates, LLC.
Sales Charges	See surrender charges
Fund Management Fees *	Different for each sub account. Total fees range from
	0.72% - 2.89%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed	
information on applicable sale charges,	
break points, surrender fees, and individual	
fund management fees.	

Vendor: AXA Equitable

Verified by Christopher Zingaro11/25/08

Product	EQUI-VEST [®] TSA
Туре	Variable Annuity 403(b) Plan
Surrender Charges	6% - Free Corridor and waivers may apply
Surrender Schedule	12 Year Declining
	1-5 Years 6%
	6-8 Years 5%
	9 Years 4%
	10 Years 3%
	11 Years 2%
	12 Years 1%
	13+ Years 0%
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$30 per participant**
Separate Account Charge (Annual)	1.34%
# of Funds and Fund Families	76 Funds /Approximately 40 Families
Fund Management Fees*	0.38% - 1.68% after waiver and/or reimbursement of
Include mgmt fee, 12b-1 fee, other	expenses
expenses, and acquired fund fees	

* Please consult the prospectus for more detailed information on the fund families, separate account fees, and the fund management fees.

**The Participant Administrative Fee is waived if the participants' Average Annuity Account Value (AAV) is valued over \$25,000. The Average Account Value under your Plan is based on the total assets that your Plan has in the Contract and the total number of Plan Participants participating in the Contract on the Contract Date. Participant administrative charges are reviewed annually at the end of the calendar year to determine if an increase, reduction, or waiver of the charge is warranted. Any increase, reduction, or waiver of the participant administrative charge will be effective in the first quarter of the following year. AXA Equitable reserves the right to deduct this charge from each Participant's Retirement Account Value if not paid by the Employer.

Vendor: The Capital Group Verified by Adam Lesperance 12/09/08

Product	The Capital Group
Туре	Mutual fund program with representative assistance
Surrender Charges	None
Service Fee (Annual)	\$20 + .10% + \$20 TPA Fee
Investment Advisory Fee (Annual)	.75%
# of Funds and Fund Families	Access to thousands of no-load, no transaction fee and
	institutional funds
Sales Charges	None
Fund Management Fees *	.6% Average
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on individual fund management fees.	Plan Features: Toll-free call center & web account access, Michigan based Advisors

Vendor: Fidelity Investments

www.403b.com 1-800-343-0860

Source: Fidelity Website

Product	Self Directed Mutual Funds
Туре	No-Load Mutual Funds
Short Term Trading Fees*	Short-term (30-90 days) trading fees for some funds
Service Fee (Annual)	\$20 (\$5 quarterly) may apply
Investment Advisory Fee	NA
Fund Families	175+ No-Load Fidelity Funds
Sales Charges*	NA
Fund Management Fees *	Range from .08% to 1.31 Avg. 63
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on short-term trading fees and individual fund management fees.	Plan Features: Toll-free call center & web account access. Contact employer for 5 digit district plan #

Vendor: Consolidated Financial/Great American

Verified by Lori Comment 12/05/08

Product	Great American 403(b)7 Custodial Account
Туре	Mutual fund program with representative assistance
Surrender Charges	A shares only, no surrender charges
Service Fee (Annual)	\$25
Investment Advisory Fee	0
# of Funds and Fund Families	1,300+ A share mutual funds from 48 fund families,
	including: AIG, SunAmerica, Alger, Alliance, Allianz,
	Pimco, American Century, American Funds, API,
	Blackrock, Calamos, Calvert, Cohen & Steers,
	Columbia, Davis, Delaware, Dreyfus, DWS, Eaton
	Vance, Evergreen, Federated, First Eagle SoGen,
	Forward, Goldman Sachs, Heritage, ING, Invesco
	AIM, Ivy, John Hancock, JP Morgan, Legg Mason,
	Mainstay/Eclipse, Managers, Munder, Natixis, Old
	Mutual, Oppenheimer, Phoenix, Pioneer, Principal,
	Putman, RiverSource, Seligman, Sentinel, Thornburg,
	Touchstone, Transamerica/Idex, VanEck, & Van
	Kampen Funds
Sales Charges	A shares: Front-end charge max 5.75%
Fund Management Fees *	Varies
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed	Plan Features: Loan availability, centralized on-line
information on applicable sale charges,	access, and Michigan-based advisors
break points, and individual fund	
management fees.	

Vendor: First Investors Corporation Verified by Mike Fard 02/03/09

www.firstinvestors.com

First Investors 403(b) Custodial Account
Mutual Fund Program with representative assistance
A shares: none, B shares: Years 1 & 2 - 4%; Years 3 & 4 - 3%; Year 5 - 2%; Year 6 - 1%; thereafter - 0%
\$15 custodian fee currently paid by the funds in which the 403(b) account is invested
0
13 funds from the First Investors Fund Family.
Also, if desired by the district, can offer, as an accommodation to
clients, outside fund groups such as Oppenheimer &
Franklin/Templeton
A shares: Maximum front-end charge, 5.75%
B shares: Maximum back-end, contingent deferred sales charge,
reducing from 4% (see above)
A & B shares: 0.50 - 0.98 avg. 0.74%.
12b-1 fees: A shares: 0.30%. B shares: 0.75 – 1.0%
Plan features: Local representatives available to meet
individually with each employee. Toll-free call center and web
access at www.firstinvestors.com

Vendor: GLP & Associates, Inc.

Verified by Alex Kocoves, 02/05/2009

Website: www.glpwins.com Headquarters Phone: (800) 637-1660

Product	Mutual Fund 403(b)(7) Custodial Accounts
Туре	Mutual fund program with unlimited local representative/advisor assistance, guidance, and support with no additional advisory fee. Comprehensive retirement planning, customized investment strategies, portfolio analysis, and personal service.
Withdrawal Charges **	A shares: None; B & C shares: See below
Service Fee (Annual) **	\$10 - \$15 per mutual fund account chosen
Investment Advisory Fee	NONE
# of Funds and Fund Families	500+ Mutual Funds from 15+ Fund Families including, but not limited to: American Funds, Fidelity Advisor, Franklin Templeton, Lord Abbett, MFS, & Oppenheimer Funds.
Sales Charges **	 A shares: Front-end charge from 0% to a max of 5.75% depending on Break Points and Rights of Accumulation B shares: Back-end, contingent deferred sales charge; starting at 5% and declining to 0% after the 6th year C shares: Back-end, contingent deferred sales charge; max 1% for first year only
Fund Management Fees **	Vary by share class, fund, & account chosen; currently range from 0.46 – 2.48%
**Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on applicable sale charges, break points, surrender fees, and individual fund management fees.	 <u>Plan Features</u>: Unlimited personal service, advice, guidance, & support from a local representative/advisor Toll-free customer service Online account access Can select a percentage or part of your contributions to be allocated to one or more mutual fund accounts 8 regional offices and 127 representatives/ advisors state wide

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Product	GLP Fixed Annuity Plans from ING
Туре	Fixed Income Annuities from ING that also include our unlimited local rep./advisor assistance, guidance, support, and personal service for no additional fee, as stated above.
Surrender Schedule	 5 year rolling, 10 year contract Benefit sensitive at separation of service (waiver of withdrawal/surrender charges)
Surrender Charges	5% maximum
Contract Fee	NONE
Interest Rate	 Current crediting rate is 4.60% Future interest rate crediting is subject to change and may be higher or lower based on the current interest rate environment Guaranteed Minimum Interest Rate is 2.00% Return of Premium provision
<u>Plan Features</u> :	 Unlimited personal service, advice, guidance, & support from a local representative/advisor Loans available Toll-free customer service Online account access 8 regional offices and 127 representatives/ advisors state wide

Vendor: Horace Mann Life Insurance

www.horacemann.com

Verified by Nathan Knoles 1/16/09

Product	Fixed Annuity
Туре	Group Fixed Annuity 403(b) Plan
Surrender Charges	No surrender charges unless transferring to another provider in the first 5 years of the certificate, then a surrender charge of 5% of the premium withdrawn will apply.
Contract Fee	\$0 A \$100 loan initiation fee may be charged to the participant at initiation of a loan.
Interest Rate	As of 1/1/09, crediting 4% with a guaranteed interest rate of 3% for certificates issued through 6/30/09. Subject to change for certificates issued after that date.

Product	Variable Annuity
Туре	Group Variable Annuity 403(b) Plan
Surrender Charges	No surrender charges unless transferring to another provider in the first 5 years of the certificate, then a surrender charge of 5% of the premium withdrawn will apply.
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$25 maintenance fee & is waived when the account reaches \$25,000 or greater. A \$100 loan initiation fee may be charged to the participant at initiation of a loan.
Mortality & Expense Risk Fee (M & E)	.85%
# of Funds & Fund Families	37 funds and 13 fund families
Fund Management Fees Include mgmt fee, 12b-1 fee, other expenses, and acquired fund fees	.35 - 2.07%

Additional Information

The Group Fixed and Group Variable Annuity product both offer a fixed account. The fixed account provides a guaranteed interest rate over the life of the certificate which is determined when the certificate is issued. Within the fixed account, the participant can decide to allocate their premiums to either the general fixed account or guarantee period accounts. The company is offering 5, 7 and 10 –year guarantee period accounts at this time. Other options may be available in the future. Both the general fixed account and the guarantee period accounts may credit a current new money rate which could be higher than the guaranteed rate. The current rates of the guarantee period accounts would be guaranteed for the specified period of time. A market value adjustment (MVA) would apply to these guarantee period accounts on premature distributions before the end of the specified period of time. A free out provision provides that 20 percent of the premiums deposited may be withdrawn each certificate year without a market value adjustment.

Vendor: Lincoln National/Lincoln Life/ Lincoln Financial Group

Verified by Kristen Burchill 12/09/08

www.LFG.com 800-454-6265

Product	Individual Multi-Fund [®] Select
Туре	Fixed & Variable Annuity 403(b) Plan
Surrender Charges	No surrender charges for:
	- Partial withdrawals up to 15% of your account
	value during any contract year.
	- Annuity payments
	- Total and permanent disability of the annuitant
	- Financial hardship / unforeseeable emergency
	- Retirement
	- Separation from service
	Surrender charges would apply if you withdraw monies for any reason not listed in the "No surrender charges" bullet. The following charges are based on contract years and not how long you have actually participated in this contract: 6%-6%-6%-6%-5%-4%-3%-2%-1%-
	0%.
Surrender Schedule	See above
Contract Fee	\$0
# of Funds and Fund Families*	41 funds along with 1 Fixed Account within 14 different fund families.
Asset Charges (Annual)	1.542% to 2.442%, depending on the investment
	options selected, and is reflected in the daily unit
	values. This charge is for: 1) investment management;
	2) mortality expense guarantees; 3) administrative
	expenses; and 4) fund distribution expenses, such as
	12b-1. The asset charge is not applied to the Fixed Account.
* Consult the prospectus for more detailed	Toll-free call center & web account access.
information on the separate account fees and the fund management fees.	i on-mee can center & web account access.

Vendor: Mass Mutual

Verified by: David Graf 1/12/09

	Mass Mutual Artistry Annuity
Product	
Туре	Flexible premium deferred variable annuity
Early Withdrawal Surrender Charge	Non rolling, contract based not deposit based, 9 Year
Surrender Schedule	YR 1-2 8%
	YR 3 7%
	YR 4 6%
	YR 5 5%
	YR 6 4%
	YR 7 1%
	YR 8 2%
	YR 9 1%
	YR 10 0%
Contract Maintenance Fee	0
Separate Account Charge	1.18%
Fund Families	40 funds / 20 managers
Fund Management Fees*	.42 – 1.44%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed	Plan features: Local representatives available to meet
information on the separate account fees	individually with each employee. Toll-free call center
and the fund management fees.	and web access.

Vendor: MetLife

Verified by James T Walton 11/04/08

www.metlife.com

Product	METLIFE FINANCIAL FREEDOM SELECT
Туре	Variable Annuity 403(b) Plan
Surrender Charges	Based on amount withdrawn
	10% out annually w/o surrender charge
	No charges upon separation from service
Surrender Schedule	Class B Yr 1 Thru Yr 4 9%
	Yr 5 8%
	Yr 6 7%
	Yr 7 6%
	Yr 8 5%
	Yr 9 4%
	Yr 10 3%
	Yr 11 2%
	Yr 12 1%
	Yr 13 0%
	Class C – No Charges
	Class L Yr 1 9%
	Yr 2 8%
	Yr 3 7%
	Yr 4 6%
	Yr 5 5%
	Yr 6 4%
	Yr 7 2%
	Yr 8 0%
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$30.00
Separate Account Charge (Annual)	1.15% to 1.55% (for American Funds Add.25%)
# of Funds and Fund Families	57 No-Load Funds from over 20 fund Families
Fund Management Fees	Range from .52% to 1.27% after waiver and/or
Include mgmt fee, 12b-1 fee, other	reimbursement of expenses
expenses, and acquired fund fees	
Consult the prospectus for more	Personal Financial Representative
detailed information on the separate	
account fees and the fund management	
fees.	

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	METLIFE'S PREFERENCE PLUS ACCOUNT
Product	
Туре	Variable Annuity 457(b) Plan
Early Withdrawal Charge	Based on purchase payments
Surrender Schedule	YR 1 7%
	YR 2 6%
	YR 3 5%
	YR 4 4%
	YR 5 3%
	YR 6 2%
	YR 7 1%
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$20.00 from Fixed Account
Separate Account Charge (Annual)	1.25%
Fund Families	57 No-Load Funds from over 20 fund Families
Fund Management Fees	Range from .28% to 1.17% After Waiver and/or
Include mgmt fee, 12b-1 fee, other	Reimbursement of Expenses
expenses, and acquired fund fees	
Consult the prospectus for more	Personal Financial Representative
detailed information on the separate	
account fees and the fund management	
fees.	

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Vendor: PFS Investments Inc., an affiliate of Primerica Financial Services

Verified by Michael Korson 2/13/09

Product	403b(7) Mutual Funds
Туре	Mutual Funds with Full Representative Service
Surrender Charges *	A shares-none, B shares see below*
Sales Charges *	A shares: Max front-end charge 5.75%
	B Shares: Max contingent deferred sales charge 5%
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$20
# of Funds & Fund Families	Over 550 funds from:
	Western Asset Management
	Legg Mason Partners
	 Van Kampen Funds
	• Pioneer Funds
	INVESCO / Aim Funds
	American Funds
	Franklin / Templeton Funds
	Oppenheimer Funds
	 Fidelity Advisor Funds MFS Funds
	 MFS Funds Putnam Funds
	 Putnam Funds Alliance Bernstein Funds.
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Fund Management Fees *	Range from .37% to 2.27% after waiver and/or
Include mgmt fee, 12b-1 fee, other	reimbursement of expenses
expenses, and acquired fund fees	
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed	Representative Service & Complimentary Analysis
information on applicable sale charges, break	Ibbotson Advice & Models
points, surrender fees, and individual fund	Morningstar Analysis Tools
management fees.	 Free Online Educational Courses
	Toll-free call center & web account access.

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Product	Met Life Investors Prime Elite IV
Туре	403B Variable Annuity
Surrender Charges *	10% of purchase payments (after 1 st year unless under systematic w/d program then \$0). Waived upon death or entering Nursing Home.
Surrender Schedule *	Starts @ 8% reducing to 0% after 8 years.
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$30 for accounts < \$50,000
Separate Account Charge (Annual) *	M & E fee .80% – 1.20% Administration fee .15%
	Optional Death Benefit up to 1.75%
	Optional Living Benefit Riders .25% - 1.5%
# of Funds & Fund Families	39 Sub Account Options
Fund Management Fees *	Range from .53% to 1.52%
(Expense Ratio %)	
*Consult the prospectus for detailed	Plan features:
information on the separate account fees	Stepped up Death Benefit
and the fund management fees.	 Earnings Preservation Benefit (no cap)
	 Lifetime Withdrawal Guarantee 5%
	(Living benefit during accumulation &
	withdrawal. See representative)
	 Guaranteed Withdrawal Benefit 5%
	 Fixed Account also available.
	Rebalancing
	Nursing Home Rider
	Terminal Illness Rider
	Transfers

Vendor: Thrivent Financial for Lutherans

Information verified by Cris Rettler 01/16/09

Product	Flexible Premium Deferred Variable Annuity
Туре	Variable Annuity w/ Fixed Account Option
Surrender Charges	7% in the first contract year decreasing by 1% each subsequent year until they are zero
Surrender Schedule	First deposit begins surrender period for all contributions
Contract Fee (Annual)	\$30 for accts < \$15,000 on contract anniversary, or if sum of premiums paid less surrenders from contract is < \$15,000, or if the sum of premiums paid less all surrender made during the contract year just ended is < \$2400
Mortality & Expense Fee (Annual)	1.25%
Fund Families / # of Funds	31 Sub accounts
Fund Management Fees*	Range From .36% - 1.80%
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on fund management fees.	All Thrivent products are delivered through local registered representatives who provide financial services and advice and investment and retirement education to members Financial representatives have a number of tools and calculators available to assist in this process. Customer Service Professionals are available for assistance Monday-Friday from 7am-9pm and Saturday 9am-1pm. In addition, participants can access information at website.

Product	Security Plus - Flexible Deferred Annuity
Туре	Fixed Annuity 403(b) Plan
Withdrawal Charges	A separate or "rolling" surrender charge applies to each
	premium payment
Surrender Schedule	7% in the first contract year decreasing by 1% each
	subsequent year until they are zero.
Contract Fee (Annual)	Lesser of \$30 or 2% if accumulated value of contract on
	the third and subsequent anniversaries is < \$5,000
Interest Rate	As of 1/1/09 crediting 4.25% with a lifetime minimum
	guaranteed interest rate of 1%.
	Services provided outlined in chart above.

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	Multi-Year Guarantee (MYG) Series, Flex
Product	Premium Annuity
Туре	Fixed Annuity 403(b) Plan
Early Withdrawal Surrender	Applies to each premium & reinvestment in a new
Charge	guarantee period (rolling & resetting)
Surrender Schedule	YR 1-3 7%
	YR 4 6%
	YR 5 5%
	YR 6 4%
	YR 7 1%
	YR 8 2%
	YR 9 1%
	YR 10 0%
Contract Fee	0
Separate Account Charge	0
Interest Rate	Dependent on dollars & years invested. See website for
	more information on this product.
	Services provided outlined in chart below.

Product	Thrivent Investment Management
Туре	Mutual Fund Custodial Account
Surrender Schedule & Charges	NA
Service Fee (Annual)	\$15 for accounts < \$15000
Contract Administrative Charge	NA
Fund Families / # of Funds	 28 funds available in the Thrivent Mutual Funds 4 Asset Allocation Funds (max sales load 5.5%) 19 Equity Funds (max sales load 5.5%) 4 Bond Funds (max sales load 4.5%) 1 Money Market Fund (no-load) Front-end sales load decrease gradually to 0 based on value of all plan participant accounts invested in Thrivent Mutual Funds
Fund Management Fees*	Range From .69% - 1.45% depending on the portfolio
*Consult the prospectus for more detailed information on fund management fees.	All Thrivent products are delivered through local registered representatives who provide financial services and advice and investment and retirement education to members. Financial representatives have a number of tools and calculators available to assist in this process.
	Customer Service Professionals are available for assistance Monday- Friday from 7am-9pm and Saturday 9am-1pm. In addition, participants can access information at website.