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The Central States Pension Fund's Economic Impact on Missouri

NOTE: Not included in these figures below are 9,271 active participants who reside in other states but whose employers have offices or operations in Missouri

30,077

**CENTRAL STATES FUND PARTICIPANTS IN
THE STATE**

Retired (16,981), active (5,943), and inactive (7,153)
pension plan participants in the State of Missouri

These participants rely on the strength of their multiemployer
pension plan for their future retirement security.

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**CENTRAL STATES EMPLOYERS WITH EMPLOYEES IN
THE STATE**

Number of companies who employ participants residing in Missouri

These employers provide the jobs that are the lifeline of local economies.
Bipartisan pension legislation would provide relief to these employers from
increasing liabilities that are putting jobs at risk.

\$64,403,277

**CONTRIBUTIONS MADE ON FUND
PARTICIPANTS IN THE STATE**

Plan contributions made by Missouri employers in 2017

These contributions help ensure that Central States participants,
including Missouri constituents, will have adequate income in
retirement.

\$254,777,882

ANNUAL BENEFITS PAID

Total annual payments to pension beneficiaries in Missouri

Research shows that retirement benefits strengthen local businesses
and economies by encouraging economic activity, leading to higher
incomes for workers and more jobs created by local employers.

\$21,354,580

ANNUAL IN-STATE TAXES PAID

Total annual federal tax payments made by retirees on their benefits

On average, each retiree pays \$1,258 in federal tax revenue every year on their
benefits.

\$3,474,506,917

PENSIONS AT RISK

Current pensions at risk in Missouri

The loss of this retirement income to Missouri constituents may
result in reduced economic activity, weakened local businesses,
lower incomes for workers and fewer jobs.

Top Employers with Participants Residing in the State: YRC INC ASSOCIATED WHSL GROCERS INC DAIRY FARMERS OF AMERICA INC HILAND DAIRY FOODS CO LLC USF HOLLAND INC ABF FREIGHT SYSTEM INC JACK COOPER TRANSPORT CO INC SCHNUCK MARKETS INC BIMBO BAKERIES USA INC PRAIRIE FARMS DAIRY INC

Top Employers With All Active Participants Residing out of State: SLAY TRANSPORTATION CO INC NEW MELLE/WEBER QUARRY

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