

# Employer Announcement #99

## The new PERS Employer Web Page Format

PERS will install the new Employer Web Page format the evening of Tuesday, April 25. This announcement will show how to locate current popular employer topics on the new web page.

We will begin with the current web page and how those topics can be found on the new web page. Here is the current web page:

The screenshot displays the PERS Oregon.gov website interface. At the top, the Oregon.gov logo is on the left, and navigation options like 'TEXT SIZE: A+ A- A', 'TEXT ONLY', 'TRANSLATE', and 'Google Custom Search' are on the right. Below the header, a banner image shows rock formations with the caption 'Rock formations along Harper Westfall Road - Malheur County (photo: Gary Halvorson)'. The main content area is titled 'PERS - Employers' and features an announcement for 'Employer Announcement #89' with an icon of an envelope containing money. The announcement text reads: 'This announcement reviews [annual compensation limits and proration of those limits](#) for partial year employment for OPSRP members.' To the left is a vertical navigation menu with categories like 'PERS Programs', 'About Us', 'Administrative Rules', 'Customer Service', and 'Employer Resources'. To the right is a 'Most Popular Links' section listing items such as 'Email Scam (3/3/17)', 'GASB 68 Audited Schedules (Update 2/22/2017)', and '2017 - 19 Employer Contribution Rates (9/30/16)'. Below the announcement, there are two columns of links: 'EDX' (including 'EDX Online Availability' and 'Schedulded deviations') and 'Employer Resources' (including 'ESC Account Team Locator', 'PERS Office Closure Dates', and 'Actuarial Services').

The address for the PERS employer web page will remain unchanged: [www.oregon.gov/pers/emp/pages/index.aspx](http://www.oregon.gov/pers/emp/pages/index.aspx)

When you access the employer web page on Wednesday, April 12, you'll see this page:

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the PERS website with links for Home, News, Contact Us, OSGP Deferred Comp, Financials, Most Requested Forms, and PERS Health Insurance. A search bar is located on the right. The main content area features a large banner for 'EDX Login' with a green 'EDX Login' button. Below the banner is a horizontal menu with links for EDX Login, Password Reset, EDX Availability, Report EDX Problem, Contact ESC, Employer News, and EAG. On the left side of the banner, the PERS logo is displayed with the text 'Oregon Public Employees Retirement System'.

Contact your Account Representative Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

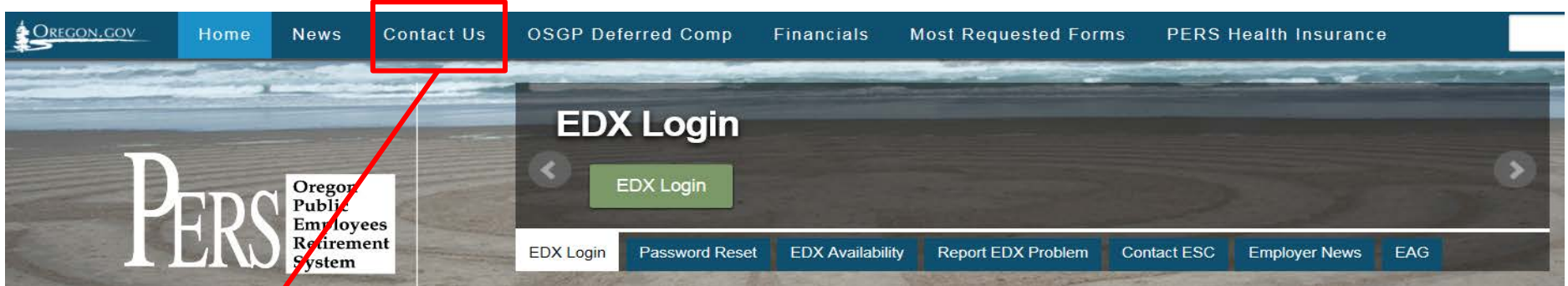
This section displays four service categories, each with a representative image and a list of links:

- EDX** (Image: Port of Astoria workers)
  - Troubleshoot EDX Reports
  - Late Reporting Issues
  - Quick References
  - Automated Data Upload
  - Test Site/Instructions
- Resources** (Image: Two employees)
  - Find Your Account Representative
  - Employer Tools
  - Laws, Rules, & Policies
  - Training & Presentation Schedules
  - Forms
- Financials** (Image: Employee at computer)
  - Understanding Your Statement
  - Contribution Rates
  - Actuarial & Financial Information
  - Oregon Savings Growth Plan (OSGP)
  - OSGP Program Participation
- Get Help** (Image: Employee and representative)
  - Employer Appeal Rights
  - Publications
  - Coverage Changes
  - General Plan Information
  - More Help

We'll with the list of links on the left side of the current web page and move to the right, "mapping" the location of current web page topics on the new web page. Here's an index of topics covered in this announcement:

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## Contact Us

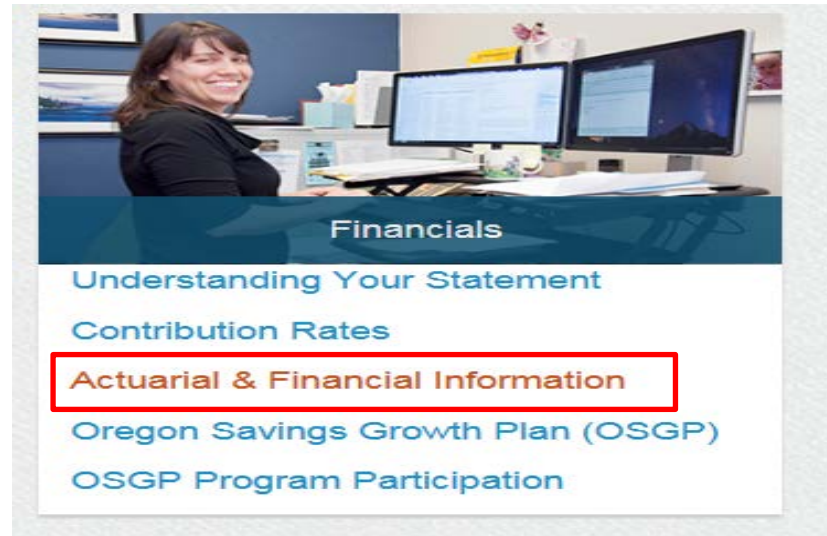


Public Employees Retirement System

## Contact us

- [PERS Headquarters](#)
- [PERS Salem and Oregon Savings Growth Plan \(OSGP\)](#)
- [Employer Service Center \(ESC\)](#)
- [Divorce Unit](#)
- [PERS Health Insurance Program](#)
- [UNUM Long-Term Care Insurance](#)
- [Additional Contacts](#)

## GASB Information Resources:



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## Actuarial & Financial Information

- PERS HOME
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[Valuation Letters and Reports](#)

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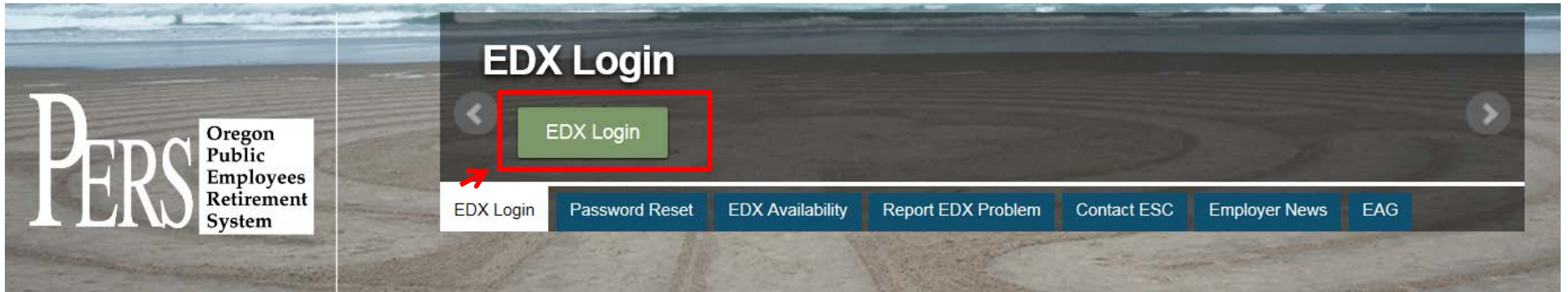
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## EDX Access:

When using the access tabs at the top of the page:

- 1) Click the access tab you want, then...
- 2) Click the green tab, which now has the access tab name.



The EDX “Welcome...” page will appear, with the standard EDX “Log In” link you’ve always seen:



This Web site provides online capabilities to:

- Access your account information
- Perform activities related to your account
- Update your contact information
- Link directly to the PERS web site to view Member Handbooks, FAQs, Forms and other information
- View the most recent messages from PERS

If you have questions not answered on this web site or questions about how to use this web site, please [CONTACT US](#).



## Access EDX Test:




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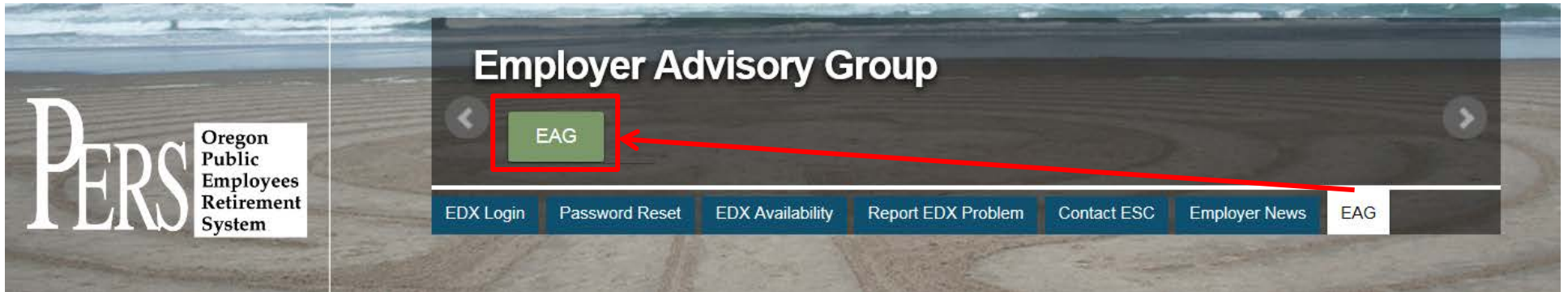
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- [EDX Test System](#)
- [EDX Test System Instructions](#) 
- [EDX Live](#)

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- [TRAINING AND PRESENTATION SCHEDULES](#)

The PERS Employer Advisory Group (EAG) was formed to provide an exchange of information regarding legislative and statutory determinations that affect the financial and administrative state of PERS and PERS-participating employers.

The [EAG Charter](#)  describes the group's purpose, authority, roles and responsibilities, membership, decision-making, and issue evaluation.

The [EAG Member List](#) is comprised of members from various associations throughout the state of Oregon. The EAG members will be responsible for reviewing and contributing to the discussion or plan administration issues as they develop.

Please [send us an email](#)  if you would like to be placed on the EAG Interested Parties List to receive EAG meeting notifications and updates.

Please contact the [Employer Advisory Group](#)  with any questions or comments.

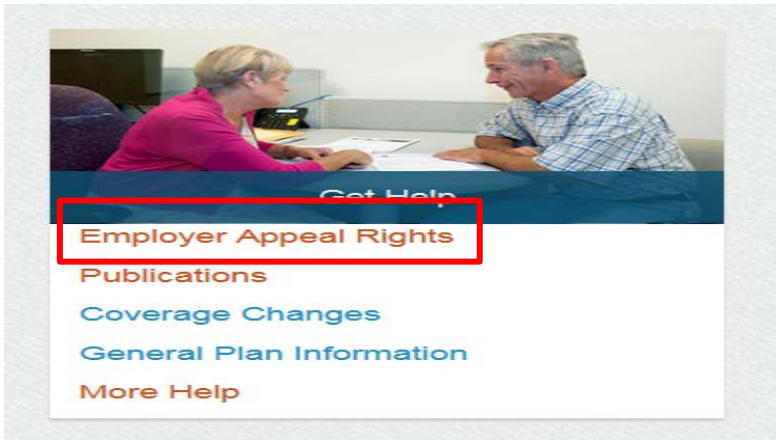
### 2015-2016 EAG Meeting Schedule

Meeting Dates	Meeting Agendas	Meeting Minutes	Meeting Materials
1/20/2017	<a href="#">Agenda</a>	<a href="#">Minutes</a> 	None available
10/21/2016	<a href="#">Agenda</a> 	<a href="#">Minutes</a> 	None available
7/15/2016	<a href="#">Agenda</a> 	<a href="#">Minutes</a> 	<a href="#">Materials</a> 
4/15/2016	<a href="#">Agenda</a> 	<a href="#">Minutes</a> 	<a href="#">Materials</a> 
1/22/2016	<a href="#">Agenda</a> 	<a href="#">Minutes</a> 	<a href="#">Materials</a> 
10/16/2015	<a href="#">Agenda</a> 	<a href="#">Minutes</a> 	None available
7/24/2015	<a href="#">Agenda</a> 	<a href="#">Minutes</a> 	<a href="#">Materials</a> 
4/24/2015	<a href="#">Agenda</a> 	<a href="#">Minutes</a> 	<a href="#">Materials</a> 
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### Your Appeal Rights as a PERS Employer

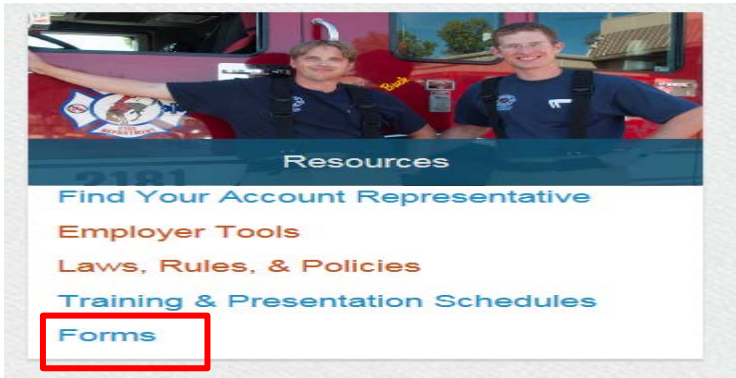
PERS employers may appeal PERS staff actions and determinations. The appeal process may be applied to any staff action or determination affecting you, as an employer, including eligibility determinations and invoices for contributions.

The employer appeal process is described in Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 459-001-0032: Review of Staff Actions and Determinations Regarding Public Employers. If you disagree with a staff action or determination, you may request a review (appeal) by sending an email or writing to your PERS employer account representative within 60 days of the date the staff action or determination was sent to you. Your request will be denied if it is received after the 60-day period has expired. Your request for review must include:

1. a description of the action or determination you want reviewed;
2. a short statement describing how and why you think the action or determination is wrong;
3. a statement of facts that you believe show the action or determination is wrong;
4. a list of any statutes, rules, or court decisions that you believe support your position;
5. a statement of the action you seek; and
6. a request for review.

Your request for a review may be denied if it does not contain the required information. PERS staff will mail a response letter within 45 days after receipt of your request for review.

## Employer Forms:



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## Employer forms

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<a href="#">TRAINING AND PRESENTATION SCHEDULES</a>

### Important Notice - Instructions

Please follow these instructions. If you do not, we may not be able to process your form(s).

- **Step 1:** Click on the appropriate link to the right to select the desired form.
- **Step 2:** Refer to the instructions attached to the form. You can also refer to the [Employer Manual](#) for specific instructions for the form and to determine any additional documentation that may be needed.
- **Step 3:** Submit the form and additional documentation to the Oregon Public Employees Retirement System.
- **Step 4:** Complete and sign the form in blue or black ink. **Do not** use pencil.

### How to Submit the Forms

- **By mail:** Mail the form(s) and documentation to the Oregon Public Employees Retirement System, PO Box 23700, Tigard, OR 97281-3700.
- **By Fax:** 503-603-7626 (Attention: Membership and Employer Relations)
- **In person:** Deliver the form(s) and documentation to the Oregon Public Employees Retirement System offices at: 11410 SW 68th Parkway, Tigard, Oregon.

### Caution

- We will not accept electronic (email) documents.
- Material should not be sent via email for confidentiality reasons.

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### Forms

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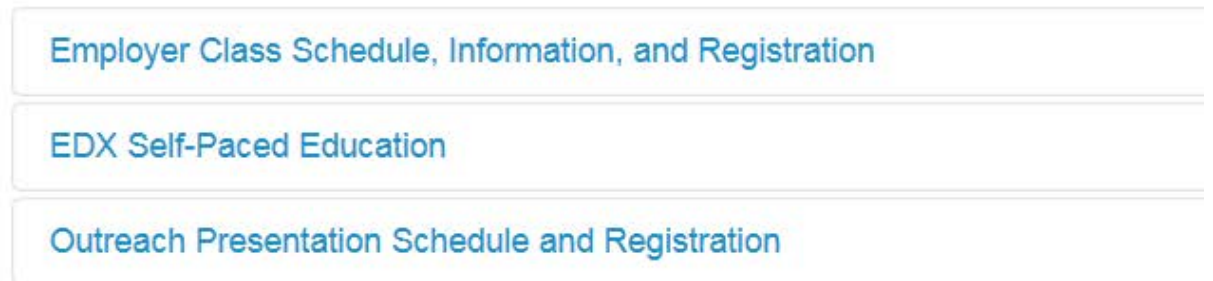
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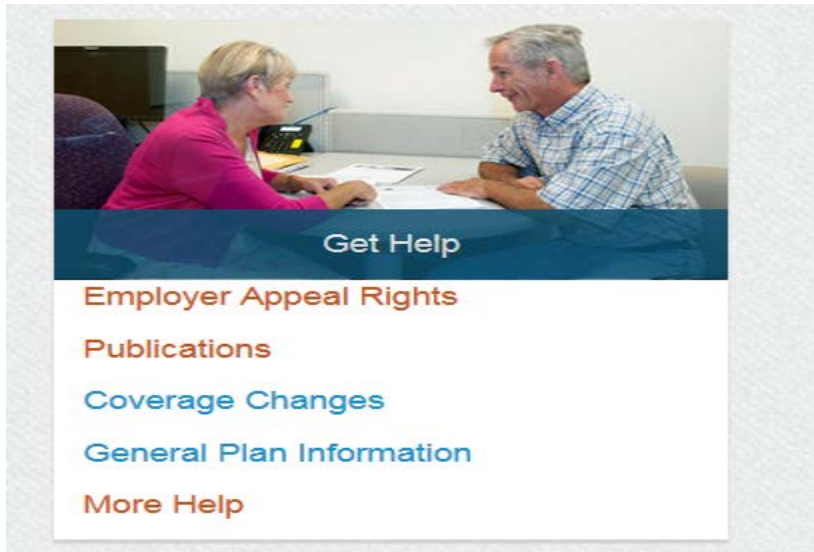


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# Training and Presentation Schedules



## Employer Publications:



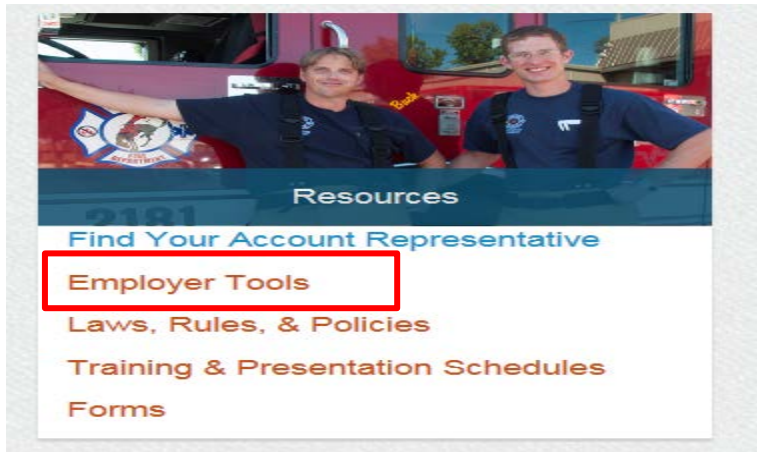
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# Employer Publications





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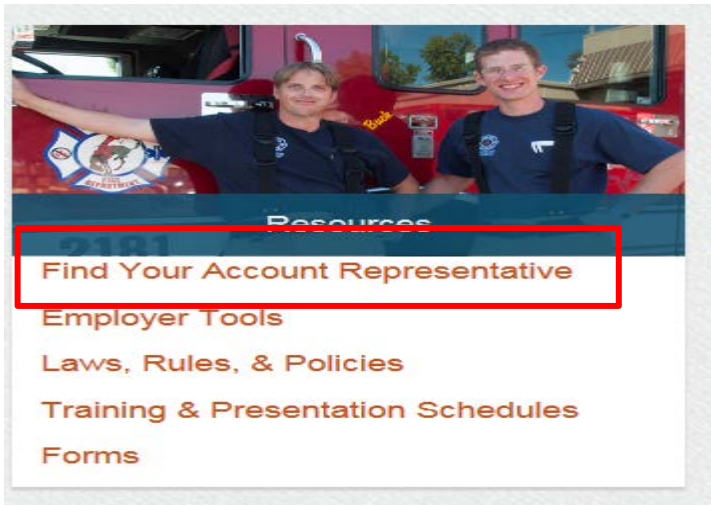


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# Employer Tools



## Find Your ESC Account Team:



This page will appear. Determine which category identifies your organization and click that category link. We'll use "Local Government Employment Team" as an example:

## Employer Service Center Representatives

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### Overview

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If you're calling long distance, you can contact your ESC Account Team members by following the instructions below. Be sure you have your team member's extension before you begin. The extension is the last four digits of your team member's phone number.

- Dial 1-888-320-7377.
- Wait for the third option "...if you know the extension of the person you are calling, or to access the company directory..." and press 3.
- At the prompt, enter the last four digits of the team members phone number, and then press the # key. Leave a message if there is no answer.

Employer Service Center Manager  
Laurel Galego  
503-603-7628  
Email: [laurel.galego@pers.state.or.us](mailto:laurel.galego@pers.state.or.us)

### ESC Account Representatives

[Local Government Employment Team](#)

[State Agency Teams](#)

[Schools, Oregon University System, and Community Colleges](#)

## ESC Account Representatives

### Local Government Employment Team

Employer Numbers 2000 - 2899, excluding OHSU 2880

Adrienne Southard (team captain)

503-431-8930

Email: [adrienne.southard@pers.state.or.us](mailto:adrienne.southard@pers.state.or.us) 

Don Abbott

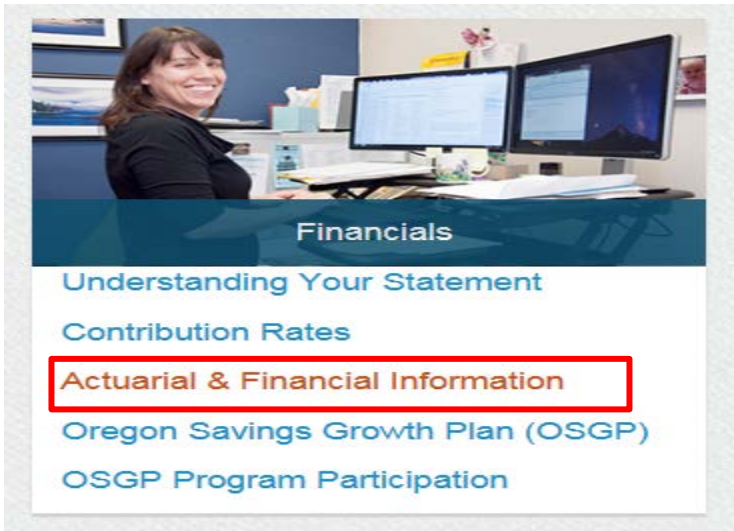
503-603-7569

Email: [donald.abbott@pers.state.or.us](mailto:donald.abbott@pers.state.or.us) 

### State Agency Team

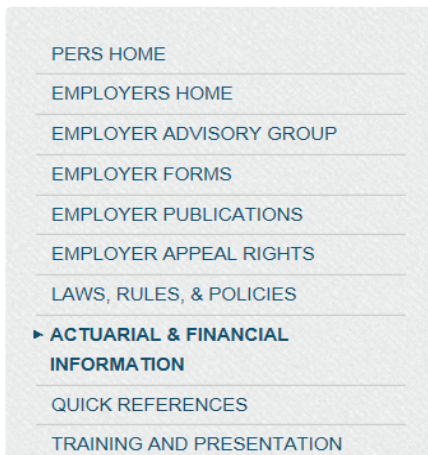
Schools, Oregon University System, and Community Colleges

## Actuarial/Financials:



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## Actuarial & Financial Information



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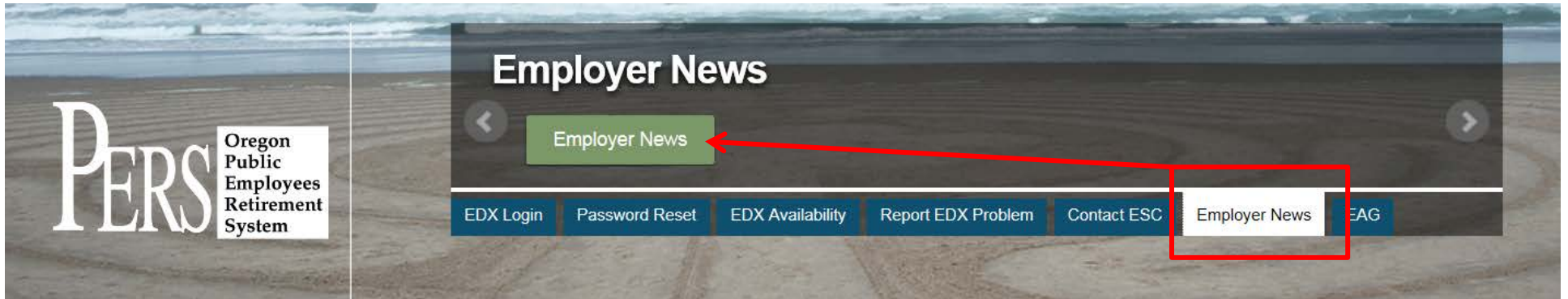
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## General Information:



Click the “Employer News” tab in the page heading, then click the green tab now labelled “Employer News” and this screen will appear:

# Employer News



- [GASB 68 Audited Schedules \(Updated 2/22/17\)](#)
- [2017-19 Employer Rate Summary \(9/30/16\)](#)
- [Town Hall Meetings with Employers \(12/7/15\)](#)
- [Actuarial Valuation Reports](#)
- [2015 - 17 Employer Contribution Rates](#)
- [More](#)

Click the “More” link and this screen will appear:

# Employer General Information

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[2015-17 Employer Contribution Rates](#)

[Notice of Proposed Dismissal and of Procedure for Objecting to Dismissal](#) 

[Managing Consolidated Employers](#) 

[Outreach Presentation Schedule and Registration](#)

[Break-In-Service Removal from EDX](#) 

[Upcoming EDX Class Dates](#)

[Prior-Year Earnings Invoicing](#)

[Working After Retirement](#)

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Moving from left to right across the current PERS Employer Web Page, we come the “EDX” column:

## EDX

### **EDX Online Availability:**

**EDX online is normally available 6 a.m. - 9 p.m., Monday - Friday, and 6 a.m. - 4 p.m. each Saturday.**

**Each Saturday, 4 p.m. - Monday, 6 a.m., is reserved for network maintenance, and EDX online CANNOT be guaranteed.**

**Scheduled deviations from the normal 9 p.m. downtime and 6 a.m. availability can be found in the employer's EDX home page "Messages from PERS" area. Employers will be informed by email of any unscheduled deviations from normal availability or scheduled unavailability.**

**EDX online will normally be available during scheduled holiday PERS office closures (click the "PERS Office Closure Dates" link on this page). EDX batch will be run the evening of the business day before and after a scheduled holiday office closure but NOT run the evening of a scheduled holiday office closure.**

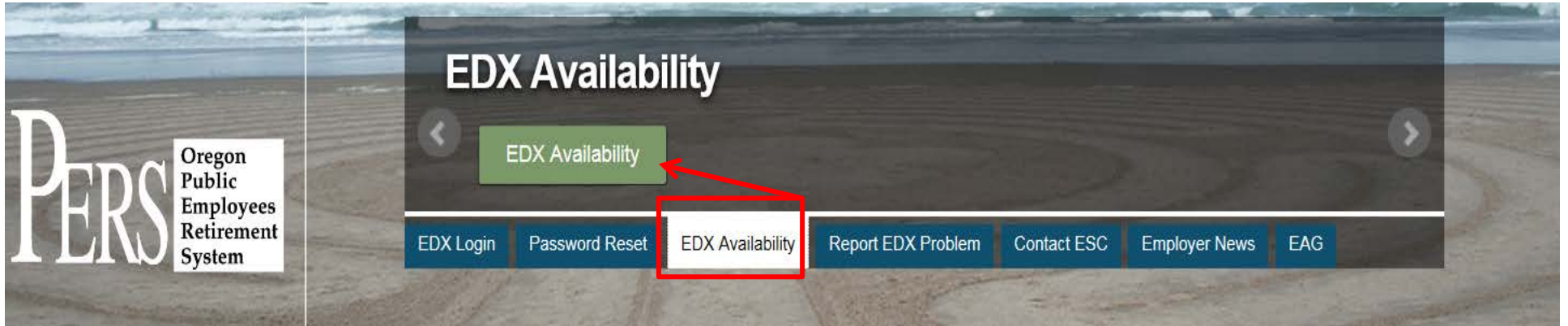
[Click here to log onto EDX Online.](#)  
[Click here to report an EDX problem.](#)

[EDX Employer Resources](#)

[EDX Reporting Quick Reference Guide](#)

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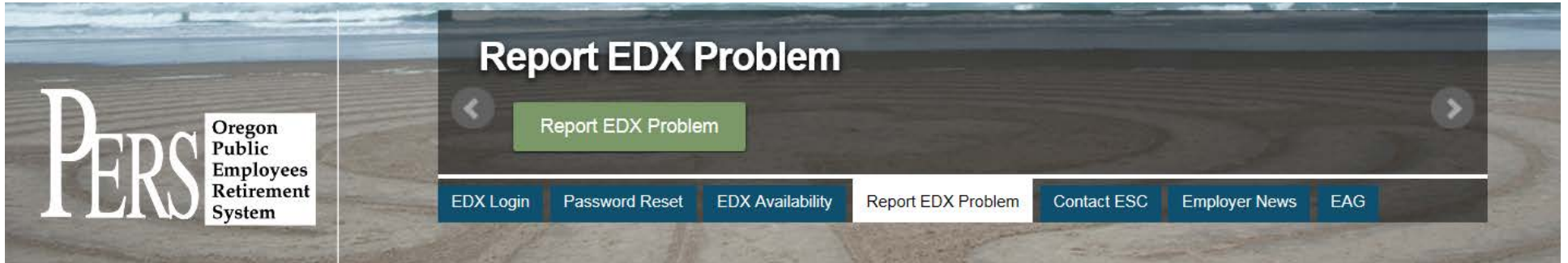
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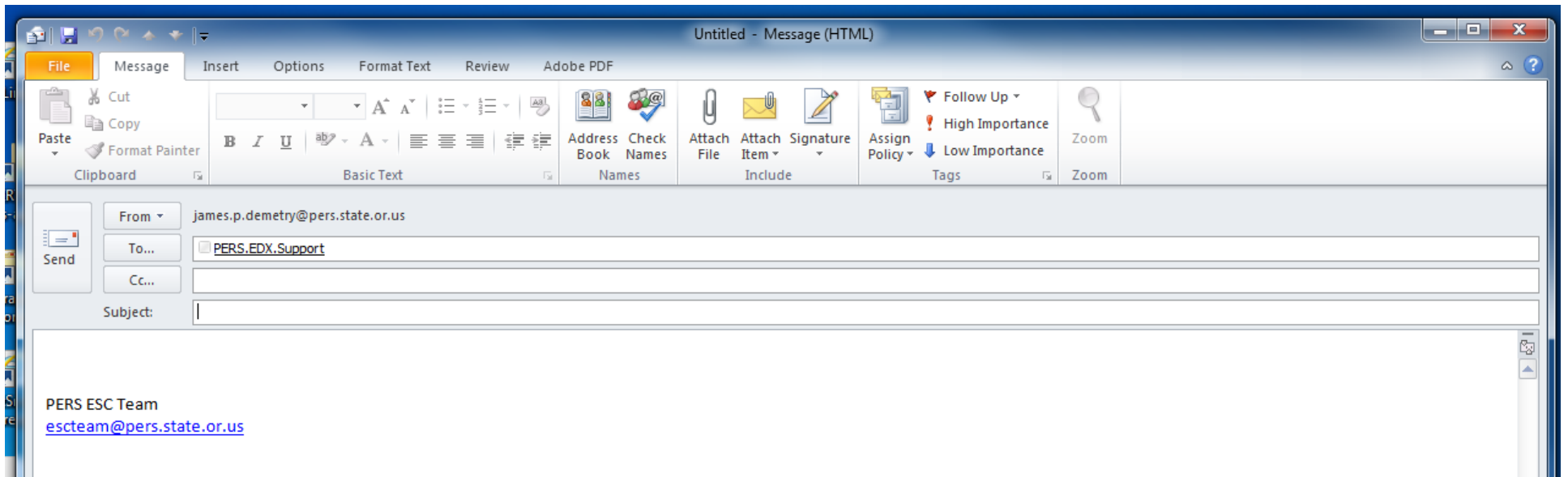


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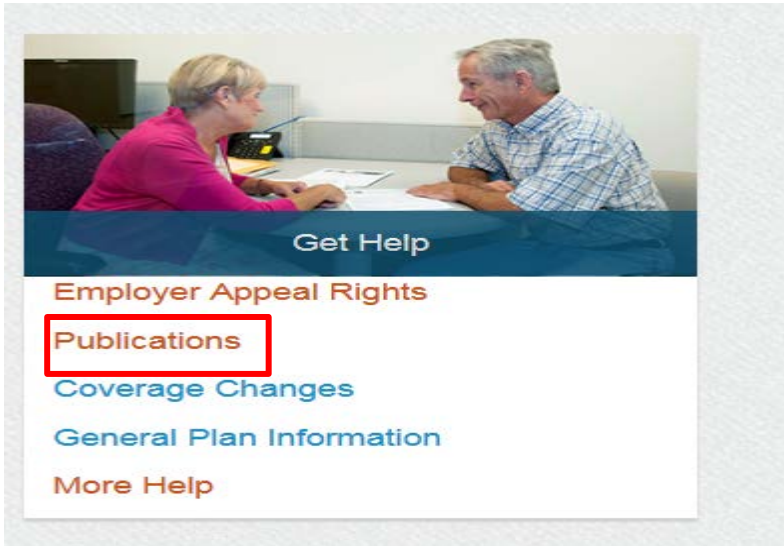
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Click the green tab now labelled “Report EDX Problem” and this e-mail format will appear. Add a “Subject” title describing the problem, enter an explanation of the problem, then click “Send”:



**EDX Employer Resources:  
EDX Reporting Quick Reference Guide:**



Click the “Publications” tab and this page will appear:

## Employer Publications



Click the link for the information you need and the tab will expand to show the information. Click the tab again to “collapse” the tab back to the original choices:

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[Employer Manual](#) 

[EDX User Guide](#) 

[EDX Reporting Quick Reference Guide](#) 

[Employer Announcements](#)

[Employer Monthly Updates](#)

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## Employer Resources

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[Find Your ESC Account Team](#)

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### Actuarial Services

[Actuarial/Financial Information](#)

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## ESC Account Team Locator: Find Your ESC Account Team:



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Determine which category describes your organization, then click the link for that category. The Account Team representatives for that organization type will appear. You can expand and collapse the link by clicking the link (ex: State Agency Team):

### **ESC Account Representatives**

[Local Government Employment Team](#)

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[State Agency Team](#)

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Employer Numbers 1000 - 1999, excluding Oregon University System 1249 - 1256

**Paul Scholes (team captain)**

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## PERS Office Closure Dates:



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## EDX Availability



EDX online is normally available 6 a.m. - 9 p.m., Monday - Friday, and 6 a.m. - 4 p.m. each Saturday.

Each Saturday, 4 p.m. - Monday, 6 a.m., is reserved for network maintenance, and EDX online CANNOT be guaranteed.

Employers will be informed by email of any unscheduled deviations from normal availability or scheduled unavailability.

EDX online will normally be available during **scheduled holiday PERS office closures**. An EDX batch will run the evening of the business day before and after a scheduled holiday office closure but NOT run the evening of a scheduled holiday office closure.

On this page click the “scheduled holiday PERS office closures” link and this page will appear:

# Office Closures

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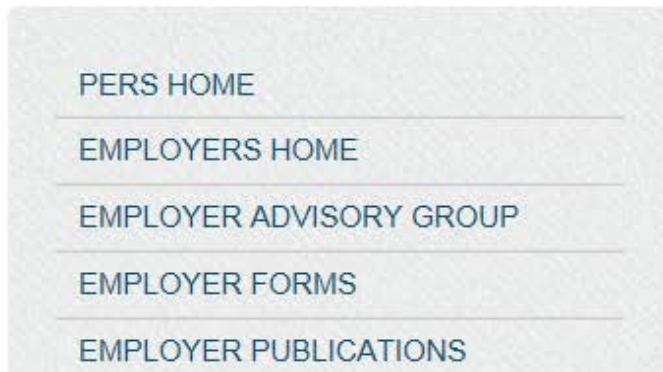
May 29, 2017	Memorial Day
July 4, 2017	Independence Day
September 4, 2017	Labor Day
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# Training and Presentation Schedules



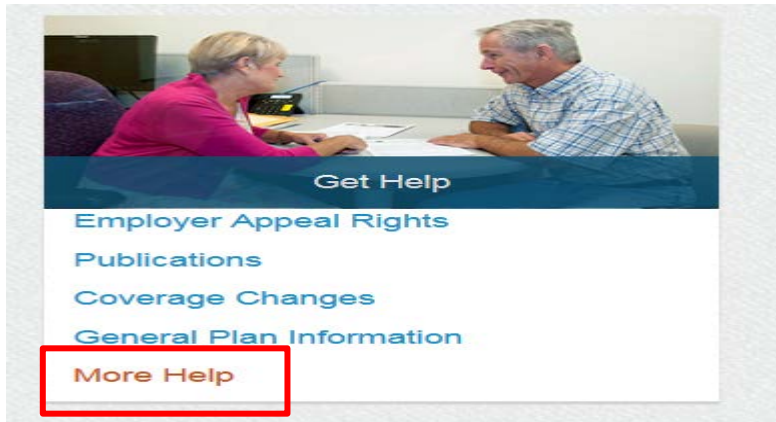
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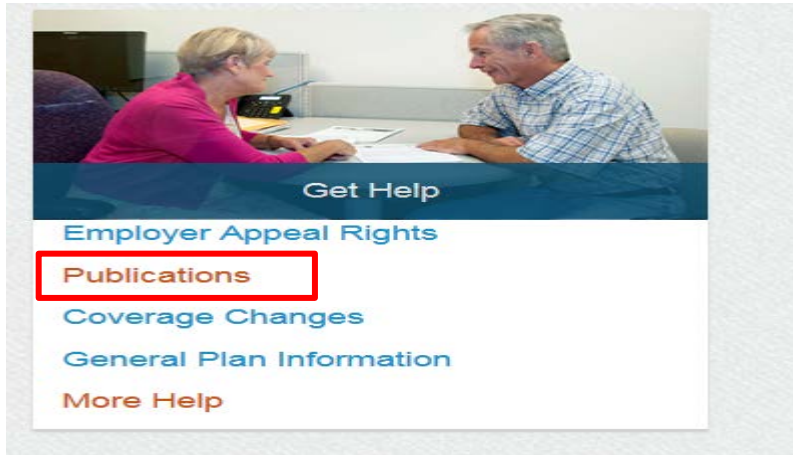
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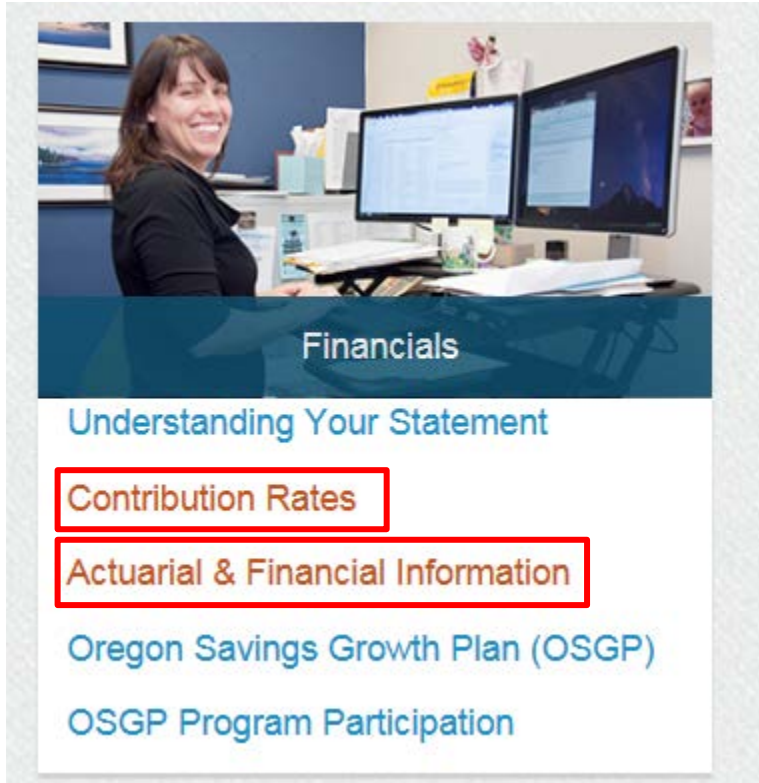
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Employer contribution rates change every other odd year (example: 2013, 2015, 2017). The new rates are made available during the third or fourth quarter of the previous calendar year. Current and previous employer contribution rates can be found through the links below.

## Current Employer Contribution Rates

- [Contribution Rates 2017-2019](#) 
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### PERS Contributions

The money given to a retirement system to fund a member's benefits. Contributions are made by both members and employers.

### Member Contributions

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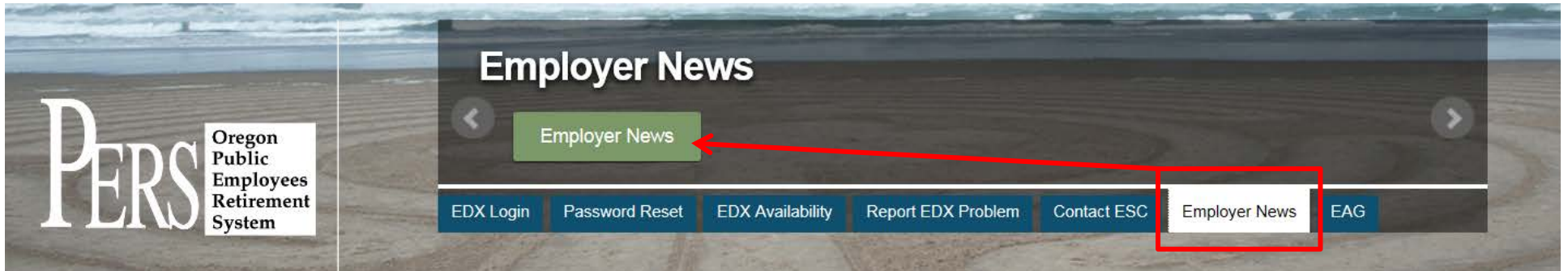
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