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TO: Gardner Retirement Board

FROM: William T. Keefe, Executive Director BIC

RE: Appropriation for Fiscal Year 2026

DATE: November 26, 2024

Required Fiscal Year 2026 Appropriation: **$6,578,807**

This Commission is hereby furnishing you with the amount to be appropriated for your retirement system for Fiscal Year 2026 which commences July 1, 2025.

Attached please the portion of the Fiscal Year 2026 appropriation to be paid by each of the governmental units within your system.

The current schedule is due to be updated by Fiscal Year 2027.

As we indicated in PERAC Memo #29/2024, we are sending this letter only to the Retirement Board. Upon receipt, please forward this letter to the appropriate governmental bodies.

If you have any questions, please contact PERAC's Actuary, John Boorack, at (617) 666-4446 Extension 935.

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Gardner Retirement Board
Appropriation by Governmental Unit

Fiscal Year 2026 - July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026

Aggregate amount of appropriation: **$6,578,807**

UNIT	Percent of Aggregate Amount	Funding Schedule (excluding ERI)	ERI	Total Appropriation
City of Gardner	95.88%	$6,307,760	$0	$6,307,760
Housing Authority	4.12%	$271,047	$0	$271,047
UNIT TOTAL	**100%**	**$6,578,807**	**$ 0**	**$6,578,807**

The Total Appropriation column shown above is in accordance with your current funding schedule and the scheduled payment date(s) in that schedule. Whenever payments are made after the scheduled date(s), the total appropriation should be revised to reflect interest at the rate assumed in the most recent actuarial valuation. Payments should be made before the end of the fiscal year.