Form 5500

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.**

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 10/01/2024 and ending 09/30/2025

A This return/report is for:
- [ ] a multiemployer plan
- [ ] a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must provide participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)
- [X] a single-employer plan
- [ ] a DFE (specify) ____

B This return/report is:
- [ ] the first return/report
- [ ] the final return/report
- [X] an amended return/report
- [ ] a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)

C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. . . . . ▶ [X]

D Check box if filing under:
- [X] Form 5558
- [ ] automatic extension
- [ ] the DFVC program
- [ ] special extension (enter description)

E If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here. . . . . ▶ [ ]

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan
VANCOUVER FIREFIGHTERS UNION HEALTH AND WELFARE TRUST PLAN

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 535

1c Effective date of plan 09/16/2011

2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan)
Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box)
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions)
VANCOUVER FIREFIGHTERS UNION HEALTH AND WELFARE TRUST PLAN

P.O. BOX 570
VANCOUVER, WA 98666

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VANCOUVER, WA 98666

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) 45-3280396

2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number 360-254-3528

2d Business code (see instructions) 525100

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	07/15/2026	NICK LAZZARETTO
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	07/15/2026	NICK LAZZARETTO
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address [X] Same as Plan Sponsor

3b Administrator's EIN

3c Administrator's telephone number

4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report:

a Sponsor's name

c Plan Name

4b EIN

4d PN

5	Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	**5**	271
6	Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines **6a(1), 6a(2), 6b, 6c,** and **6d**).		
a(1)	Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year	**6a(1)**	227
a(2)	Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	**6a(2)**	225
b	Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	**6b**	40
c	Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	**6c**	
d	Subtotal. Add lines **6a(2)**, **6b**, and **6c**.	**6d**	265
e	Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.	**6e**	
f	Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**.	**6f**	
g(1)	Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g(1)**	
g(2)	Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g(2)**	
h	Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.	**6h**	
7	Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	**7**	

8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:

b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:

4A 4D 4E 4H 4Q 4U

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)

- **(1)** [ ] Insurance
- **(2)** [ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
- **(3)** [X] Trust
- **(4)** [ ] General assets of the sponsor

9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)

- **(1)** [X] Insurance
- **(2)** [ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
- **(3)** [X] Trust
- **(4)** [ ] General assets of the sponsor

10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules

- **(1)** [ ] **R** (Retirement Plan Information)
- **(2)** [ ] **MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- **(3)** [ ] **SB** (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- **(4)** [ ] **DCG** (Individual Plan Information) – Number Attached _____
- **(5)** [ ] **MEP** (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)

b General Schedules

- **(1)** [X] **H** (Financial Information)
- **(2)** [ ] **I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
- **(3)** [X] **A** (Insurance Information) – Number Attached 4
- **(4)** [X] **C** (Service Provider Information)
- **(5)** [ ] **D** (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
- **(6)** [ ] **G** (Financial Transaction Schedules)

Part III Form M-1 Compliance Information (to be completed by welfare benefit plans)

11a If the plan provides welfare benefits, was the plan subject to the Form M-1 filing requirements during the plan year? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ..... ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes" is checked, complete lines 11b and 11c.

11b Is the plan currently in compliance with the Form M-1 filing requirements? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2024 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2024 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code_____

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Insurance Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).

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B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 535

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
VANCOUVER FIREFIGHTERS UNION HEALTH AND WELFARE TRUST PLAN

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
45-3280396

Part I **Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions** Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
13-5581829	65978	TS05374417	683	10/01/2024	09/30/2025

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid
0	0

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		(e) Organization code
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

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Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end	5	

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.	6d	

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity

(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee

(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶

b	Balance at the end of the previous year			7b	
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)			
	(2) Dividends and credits	7c(2)			
	(3) Interest credited during the year	7c(3)			
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4)			
	(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)			
	▶				
	(6)Total additions			7c(6)	0
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**).			7d	
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)			
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	7e(2)			
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3)			
	(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)			
	▶				
	(5) Total deductions			7e(5)	0
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)			7f	

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- **a** [ ] Health (other than dental or vision)
- **b** [X] Dental
- **c** [ ] Vision
- **d** [ ] Life insurance
- **e** [ ] Temporary disability (accident and sickness)
- **f** [ ] Long-term disability
- **g** [ ] Supplemental unemployment
- **h** [ ] Prescription drug
- **i** [ ] Stop loss (large deductible)
- **j** [ ] HMO contract
- **k** [ ] PPO contract
- **l** [ ] Indemnity contract
- **m** [ ] Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:				
a Premiums: (1) Amount received	**9a(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	**9a(2)**			
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	**9a(3)**			
(4) Earned (**(1)** + **(2)** - **(3)**)			**9a(4)**	
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	**9b(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	**9b(2)**			
(3) Incurred claims (add **(1)** and **(2)**)			**9b(3)**	
(4) Claims charged			**9b(4)**	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --				
(A) Commissions	**9c(1)(A)**			
(B) Administrative service or other fees	**9c(1)(B)**			
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	**9c(1)(C)**			
(D) Other expenses	**9c(1)(D)**			
(E) Taxes	**9c(1)(E)**			
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	**9c(1)(F)**			
(G) Other retention charges	**9c(1)(G)**			
(H) Total retention			**9c(1)(H)**	
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were [ ] paid in cash, or [ ] credited.)			**9c(2)**	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement			**9d(1)**	
(2) Claim reserves			**9d(2)**	
(3) Other reserves			**9d(3)**	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line **9c(2)**.)			**9e**	
10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:				
a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier			**10a**	364869
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount.			**10b**	

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? [ ] Yes [X] No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

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1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
CONTINENTAL AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
57-0514130	71730	0000028301	232	10/01/2024	09/30/2025

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid
23829	0

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

LIBERTY BENEFITS GROUP LLC
20715 95TH AVE SE.
SNOHOMISH, WA 98296

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	(e) Organization code
23723			3

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

DAVID ROJAS
169 EAGLE RIDGE DRIVE E
PUYALLUP, WA 98374

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	(e) Organization code
106			3

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

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a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.	6d	

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity

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f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee

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b	Balance at the end of the previous year			7b	
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	(3) Interest credited during the year	7c(3)			
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4)			
	(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)			
	▶				
	(6)Total additions			7c(6)	0
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**).			7d	
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)			
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	7e(2)			
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	▶				
	(5) Total deductions			7e(5)	0
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)			7f	

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(B) Administrative service or other fees	**9c(1)(B)**			
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	**9c(1)(C)**			
(D) Other expenses	**9c(1)(D)**			
(E) Taxes	**9c(1)(E)**			
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	**9c(1)(F)**			
(G) Other retention charges	**9c(1)(G)**			
(H) Total retention			**9c(1)(H)**	
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were [ ] paid in cash, or [ ] credited.)			**9c(2)**	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement			**9d(1)**	
(2) Claim reserves			**9d(2)**	
(3) Other reserves			**9d(3)**	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line **9c(2)**.)			**9e**	
10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:				
a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier			**10a**	290085
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount.			**10b**	

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? [ ] Yes [X] No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

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(a) Name of insurance carrier
STANDARD INSURANCE COMPANY

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
93-0242990	69019	763003	185	10/01/2024	09/30/2025

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid
0	0

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

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	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end	5	

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.	6d	

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity

(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee

(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶

b	Balance at the end of the previous year			7b	
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)			
	(2) Dividends and credits	7c(2)			
	(3) Interest credited during the year	7c(3)			
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4)			
	(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)			
	▶				
	(6)Total additions			7c(6)	0
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**).			7d	
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)			
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	7e(2)			
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3)			
	(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)			
	▶				
	(5) Total deductions			7e(5)	0
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)			7f	

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- **a** [ ] Health (other than dental or vision)
- **b** [ ] Dental
- **c** [ ] Vision
- **d** [ ] Life insurance
- **e** [ ] Temporary disability (accident and sickness)
- **f** [X] Long-term disability
- **g** [ ] Supplemental unemployment
- **h** [ ] Prescription drug
- **i** [ ] Stop loss (large deductible)
- **j** [ ] HMO contract
- **k** [ ] PPO contract
- **l** [ ] Indemnity contract
- **m** [ ] Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:

a Premiums: (1) Amount received	9a(1)	150493		
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	9a(2)			
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	9a(3)			
(4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3))			9a(4)	150493
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	9b(1)	9472		
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	9b(2)	43340		
(3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2))			9b(3)	52812
(4) Claims charged			9b(4)	52811
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --				
(A) Commissions	9c(1)(A)			
(B) Administrative service or other fees	9c(1)(B)			
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	9c(1)(C)	535		
(D) Other expenses	9c(1)(D)	22043		
(E) Taxes	9c(1)(E)	3010		
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	9c(1)(F)	18060		
(G) Other retention charges	9c(1)(G)	54034		
(H) Total retention			9c(1)(H)	97682
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were [ ] paid in cash, or [ ] credited.)			9c(2)	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement			9d(1)	
(2) Claim reserves			9d(2)	98017
(3) Other reserves			9d(3)	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line 9c(2).)			9e	

10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:

a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier	10a	
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount.	10b	

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? [ ] Yes [X] No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Insurance Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).

OMB No. 1210-0110

2024

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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 10/01/2024 and ending 09/30/2025

A Name of plan
VANCOUVER FIREFIGHTERS UNION HEALTH AND WELFARE TRUST PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 535

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
VANCOUVER FIREFIGHTERS UNION HEALTH AND WELFARE TRUST PLAN

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
45-3280396

Part I **Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions** Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
STANDARD LIFE & ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
73-0994234	86355	UMESLA000108		10/01/2024	09/30/2025

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid
19524	0

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

BUCKINGHAM STOP LOSS
1250 BETHLEHEM PIKE, SUITE S212
HATFIELD, PA 19440

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	(e) Organization code
19524			3

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	(e) Organization code

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

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4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	
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6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.	6d	

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity

(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee

(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶

b	Balance at the end of the previous year			7b	
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)			
	(2) Dividends and credits	7c(2)			
	(3) Interest credited during the year	7c(3)			
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4)			
	(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)			
	▶				
	(6)Total additions			7c(6)	0
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**).			7d	
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)			
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	7e(2)			
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3)			
	(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)			
	▶				
	(5) Total deductions			7e(5)	0
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)			7f	

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- **a** [ ] Health (other than dental or vision)
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- **g** [ ] Supplemental unemployment
- **h** [ ] Prescription drug
- **i** [X] Stop loss (large deductible)
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- **m** [ ] Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:				
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(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	9a(2)			
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	9a(3)			
(4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3))			9a(4)	
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	9b(1)			
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	9b(2)			
(3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2))			9b(3)	
(4) Claims charged			9b(4)	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --				
(A) Commissions	9c(1)(A)			
(B) Administrative service or other fees	9c(1)(B)			
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	9c(1)(C)			
(D) Other expenses	9c(1)(D)			
(E) Taxes	9c(1)(E)			
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	9c(1)(F)			
(G) Other retention charges	9c(1)(G)			
(H) Total retention			9c(1)(H)	
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were [ ] paid in cash, or [ ] credited.)			9c(2)	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement			9d(1)	
(2) Claim reserves			9d(2)	
(3) Other reserves			9d(3)	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line **9c(2)**.)			9e	
10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:				
a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier			10a	399103
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount.			10b	

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? [ ] Yes [X] No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500)	Service Provider Information	OMB No. 1210-0110
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**	**2024** **This Form is Open to Public Inspection.**

For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 10/01/2024 and ending 09/30/2025

A Name of plan
VANCOUVER FIREFIGHTERS UNION HEALTH AND WELFARE TRUST PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 535

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
VANCOUVER FIREFIGHTERS UNION HEALTH AND WELFARE TRUST PLAN

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
45-3280396

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions).. . . . . ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

LBG ADVISORS, LLC

92-0193132

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
15 16 23 50 70	NONE	172715	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

THE LOOMIS COMPANY

P.O. BOX 7011
WYOMISSING, PA 19610-6011

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
10 12 13 14 15 36 38 49 50 64	NONE	88452	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

NICK LAZZARETTO

30502 NE. 182ND AVE
YACOLT, WA 98675

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
13 14 15 16 38 50 70	TRUST MANAGER	66695	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

FORVIS MAZARS, LLP

44-0160260

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
10 50	NONE	31238	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

PAYER MATRIX

1400 N. PROVIDENCE RD. BLDG 2.
MEDIA, PA 19063

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
10 12 13 14 15 36 38 49 50 64	NONE	20867	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

6 DEGREES

1600 NW. COMPTON DR, STE 208
BEAVERTON, OR 97006

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
10 12 13 14 15 36 38 49 50 64	NONE	20679	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

FIRST CHOICE HEALTH NETWORK, INC.

91-1272766

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
10 12 13 14 15 36 38 49 50 64	NONE	19923	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

SMB ACCOUNTING SERVICES, LLC

4562 SW. 11TH STREET
GRESHAM, OR 97080

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
10 15 50	NONE	14400	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

MEDWATCH LLC

400 COLONIAL CENTER PKWY, STE. 230
LAKE MARY, FL 32746

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
10 12 13 14 15 36 38 49 50 64	NONE	13057	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

BARLOW & COUGHRAN, P.S.

1325 FOURTH AVENUE, SUITE 910
SEATTLE, WA 98101

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
29 50	NONE	12326	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

HINES & ASSOCIATES, INC.

115 E HIGHLAND AVE
ELGIN, IL 60120

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
10 12 13 14 15 36 38 49 50 64	NONE	7661	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3. If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received $1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	**(e)** Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

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Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

4 Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	(b) Nature of Service Code(s)	(c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide

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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)

(complete as many entries as needed)

a	Name: FORVIS MAZARS, LLP	**b** EIN:	44-0160260
c	Position: CPA - AUDITOR		
d	Address: 111 S. TEJON STREET, SUITE 800 COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80903	**e** Telephone:	719-471-4290

Explanation: THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES ELECTED TO PUT THE AUDIT ENGAGEMENT IN AN RFP PROCESS.

a	Name:	**b** EIN:	
c	Position:		
d	Address:	**e** Telephone:	

Explanation:

a	Name:	**b** EIN:	
c	Position:		
d	Address:	**e** Telephone:	

Explanation:

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Explanation:

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Financial Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

OMB No. 1210-0110

2024

This Form is Open to Public Inspection

For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 10/01/2024 and ending 09/30/2025

A Name of plan
VANCOUVER FIREFIGHTERS UNION HEALTH AND WELFARE TRUST PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 535

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
VANCOUVER FIREFIGHTERS UNION HEALTH AND WELFARE TRUST PLAN

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
45-3280396

Part I Asset and Liability Statement

1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. **Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.** MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a	1330295	2273141
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	33835	33456
(3) Other	1b(3)		17198
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	0	2128976
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)		
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)		
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	11548361	9212484
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)		
(15) Other	1c(15)		

		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
1d Employer-related investments:			
(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	12912491	13665255
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable	1g	1615000	2260000
h Operating payables	1h	4372	17804
i Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j Other liabilities	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through1j)	1k	1619372	2277804
Net Assets			
l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	11293119	11387451

Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

Income		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: **(A)** Employers	2a(1)(A)	7587453	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	1353191	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)		
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)**	2a(3)		8940644
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)	109415	
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)		
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines **2b(1)(A)** through **(F)**	2b(1)(G)		109415
(2) Dividends: **(A)** Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	409162	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines **2b(2)(A)**, **(B)**, and **(C)**	2b(2)(D)		409162
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: **(A)** Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)	1254542	
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)	1254542	
(C) Subtract line **2b(4)(B)** from line **2b(4)(A)** and enter result	2b(4)(C)		0
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: **(A)** Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines **2b(5)(A)** and **(B)**	2b(5)(C)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		-6154
c Other income	2c		
d Total income. Add all **income** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		9453067
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	7601246	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)	813479	
(3) Other	2e(3)	398991	
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines **2e(1)** through **(3)**	2e(4)		8813716
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)	155147	
(3) Recordkeeping fees	2i(3)	14644	
(4) IQPA audit fees	2i(4)	31238	
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)		
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)	2267	
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)		
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)	12326	
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)		
(11) Other expenses	2i(11)	329397	
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(11)**	2i(12)		545019
j Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		9358735
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d**	2k		94332
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) [X] Unmodified **(2)** [ ] Qualified **(3)** [ ] Disclaimer **(4)** [ ] Adverse

b Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) [ ] DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 **(2)** [ ] DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) **(3)** [X] neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: ANASTASI, MOORE, & MARTIN, PLLC **(2)** EIN: 20-8149084

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** as part of Schedule H because:

(1) [ ] This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, DCG or MTIA. **(2)** [ ] It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l. DCGs do not complete lines 4e, 4f, 4k, 4l, and 5, and DCGs generally complete the rest of Part IV collectively for all plans in the DCG, except as otherwise provided (see instructions).

During the plan year:

		Yes	No	Amount
a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)	**4a**		X	
b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)	**4b**		X	
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)	**4c**		X	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)	**4d**		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	**4e**	X		2000000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	**4f**		X	
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	**4g**		X	
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	**4h**		X	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	**4i**	X		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)	**4j**	X		
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?	**4k**		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	**4l**		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	**4m**		X	
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.	**4n**		X	

5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? [ ] Yes [X] No

If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year _____.

5b If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)

5b(1) Name of plan(s)	**5b(2)** EIN(s)	**5b(3)** PN(s)

5c Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined

If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____.

Vancouver Firefighters Union
Health and Welfare Trust

Financial Statements and
Independent Auditors' Report

September 30, 2025 and 2024

Anastasi | Moore | Martin
Certified Public Accountants & Consultants PLLC

Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust

September 30, 2025 and 2024

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Trustees
Vancouver Firefighters Union
Health and Welfare Trust
Vancouver, Washington

Opinion on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust (the Plan), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits and of plan's benefit obligations as of September 30, 2025, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits and of changes in plan's benefit obligations for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits and plan's benefit obligations of the Plan as of September 30, 2025, and the changes in its net assets available for benefits and changes in plan's benefit obligations for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Prior Year Financial Statements

The financial statements of the Plan as of September 30, 2024, were audited by other auditors whose report, dated October 7, 2025, expressed an unmodified opinion on those statements.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments; administering the plan; and determining that the plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and, therefore, is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we—

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.

- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Supplemental Schedules Required by ERISA

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The supplemental schedules of assets held for investment, reportable transactions, and administrative expenses are presented for purposes of additional analysis. The supplemental schedules of assets held for investment and reportable transactions are not a required part of the financial statements but are supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements.

The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedules of assets held for investment and reportable transactions, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedules, including their form and content, are presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion, the information in the accompanying schedules is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole. The form and content of the schedules held for investment and reportable transactions are presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Anastasi, Moore & Martin, PLLC

Spokane, Washington
July 15, 2026

Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

September 30, 2025 and 2024

	2025	2024
ASSETS:		
Investments, at fair value	$ 11,341,460	$ 11,548,361
Accrued interest income	17,198	-
Receivables, participant contributions	33,456	33,835
Cash	2,273,141	1,330,295
Total assets	13,665,255	12,912,491
LIABILITIES:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	17,804	4,372
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	$ 13,647,451	$ 12,908,119

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust

Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

Years Ended September 30, 2025 and 2024

	2025	2024
ADDITIONS:		
Investment income, net:		
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments	$ (6,154)	$ 33,212
Interest and dividends	518,577	555,258
	512,423	588,470
Less investment expense	(2,126)	(12)
Investment income, net	510,297	588,458
Contributions:		
Employer contributions, net	7,587,453	7,019,883
Participant contributions, net	1,353,191	1,374,376
Total contributions	8,940,644	8,394,259
Total additions	9,450,941	8,982,717
DEDUCTIONS:		
Benefits paid to or for participants, net	6,956,246	5,323,420
Stop-loss premiums paid	398,991	332,268
Insurance premiums paid	813,479	934,416
Administrative expenses	542,893	519,297
Total deductions	8,711,609	7,109,401
NET INCREASE	739,332	1,873,316
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS:		
Beginning of year	12,908,119	11,034,803
End of year	$ 13,647,451	$ 12,908,119

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust

Statements of Plan's Benefit Obligations

September 30, 2025 and 2024

	2025	2024
AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE TO OR FOR PARTICIPANTS, BENEFICIARIES, AND DEPENDENTS:		
Claims payable	$ 500,000	$ 445,000
OTHER OBLIGATIONS FOR CURRENT BENEFIT COVERAGE, AT ESTIMATED AMOUNTS:		
Claims incurred but not reported	1,760,000	1,170,000
TOTAL PLAN BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS	$ 2,260,000	$ 1,615,000

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust

Statements of Changes in Plan's Benefit Obligations

Years Ended September 30, 2025 and 2024

	2025	2024
AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE TO OR FOR PARTICIPANTS, BENEFICIARIES, AND DEPENDENTS:		
Balance at beginning of year	$ 445,000	$ 92,000
Claims reported and approved for payment	7,011,246	5,621,681
Claims paid	(6,956,246)	(5,268,681)
Insurance premiums obligated	1,212,470	1,266,684
Insurance premiums paid	(1,212,470)	(1,266,684)
Balance at end of year	500,000	445,000
OTHER OBLIGATIONS FOR CURRENT BENEFIT COVERAGE, AT ESTIMATED AMOUNTS:		
Balance at beginning of year	1,170,000	276,000
Net change during the year in:		
Claims incurred	7,601,246	6,515,681
Claims reclassified to amounts currently payable	(7,011,246)	(5,621,681)
Balance at end of year	1,760,000	1,170,000
TOTAL PLAN BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS	$ 2,260,000	$ 1,615,000

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust

Notes to Financial Statements

Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust
Notes to Financial Statements

Note 1 – Description of the Plan

The following description of the Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the plan documents, summaries and other descriptive plan literature for a complete description of the Plan's provisions, which is available from the plan administrator.

a. **General** – The Plan was established effective September 16, 2011, by the International Association of Firefighters Local No. 452 (Local 452) to provide health benefits for its eligible members and their covered dependents. The Plan provides health and welfare benefits to qualified participants. Qualified participants include active and retired members of Local 452 and their dependents. Plan assets are held in a trust. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (ERISA).

b. **Benefits** – Benefits are provided through a self-funded arrangement as well as through insurance contracts. During the years ended September 30, 2025 and 2024, medical, prescription drug, and vision benefits were self-funded by the Plan. The Plan also provides continuation of certain benefits upon termination of employment through the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA).

c. **Insured benefits** – During the years ended September 30, 2025 and 2024, the Plan fully insured dental benefits through an insurance contract with Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, long-term disability benefits through an insurance contract with Standard Insurance Company, and hospital indemnity/critical illness/accident benefits through an insurance contract with AFLAC Continental American Insurance Company.

d. **Self-funded benefits** – All other plan benefits are self-funded. The Loomis Company provided claims administration services and contract administration services, including for the health reimbursement arrangement (HRA) accounts. The claims processor pays claims directly to or on behalf of participants which are reimbursed by the Plan. Despite the Plan's utilization of third-party claim processors, the ultimate responsibility for payments to participants and providers is retained by the Plan. The Plan contracted with Self Insured Services Company (SisCo) for claims administration services and contract administration services, including for the HRA accounts, for claims incurred October 1, 2025, and thereafter.

   The Plan utilized ProAct, Inc., and Magellan RX Management, Inc., respectively, for the years ended September 30, 2025 and 2024, for the provision of prescription benefit management (PBM) services. The PBM periodically makes refunds to the Plan based on the Plan's actual utilization pattern of specific drugs.

e. **Stop-loss coverage** – The Plan has entered into a stop-loss insurance arrangement with Garden State Life Insurance Company in an effort to limit its exposure for self-funded benefits with both an aggregating specific deductible and an individual specific deductible. In the event such self-funded benefits exceed the limits, the excess is covered by the stop-loss arrangement.

Note 1 – Description of the Plan (Continued)

f. **Health reimbursement arrangement** – The Plan has an HRA that is funded solely through contributions from the City of Vancouver as the employer. The HRA allows eligible participants to be reimbursed tax-free for qualified medical expenses subject to a specified ceiling. Amounts remaining at the end of the year can generally be carried over to the next year. The account cannot be used for anything other than reimbursements for qualified medical expenses. Included in the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits are amounts available to reimburse participants for qualifying medical expenses as of September 30, 2025 and 2024, of approximately $4,300,000 and $4,000,000, respectively.

g. **Contributions** – Participants contribute specified amounts, set by the Plan, based on applicable monthly premiums for their respective benefit elections. For active employees, the Plan requires that the employer make monthly contribution payments to the Plan for each participant. The City of Vancouver contribution rates are determined through a collective bargaining process. Any deficiency of the Plan's net assets over benefit obligations is funded on a pay-as-you-go basis. Retiree and other separated COBRA participants are responsible for paying 100% of their required premium.

h. **Plan termination** – Although it has not expressed intention to do so, the Board of Trustees, following the written approval of Local 452, has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time; to modify the benefits provided to, and contributions required of, participants; and to terminate the Plan, subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of termination of the Plan, remaining assets will be applied in a uniform and nondiscriminatory manner toward the provision of benefits for or on account of the participants. No assets of the Plan may revert to the employer, Local 452, or be used for purposes other than for the exclusive benefit of the Plan's participants.

Note 2 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

a. **Basis of accounting** – The accompanying financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

b. **Use of estimates** – The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, benefit obligations and changes therein, claims payable, claims incurred but not reported (IBNR), and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

c. **Valuation of investments and income recognition** – The Plan's investments are stated at fair value. Securities traded on a national securities exchange are valued at the last reported sales price on the last business day of the plan year.

   Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation (depreciation) includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold, as well as held, during the year.

Note 2 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

d. **Payment of benefits** – Insurance premiums paid by the Plan are recorded as premium payments. Claim payments are recorded when paid by the third-party processor. Amounts due to claims processors that have yet to be reimbursed by the Plan are recorded as payable to claims processors.

e. **Rebates** – Rebates are recorded when earned. Pharmacy rebates totaling $179,685 and $203,780 have been netted with benefits paid in the accompanying statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years ended September 30, 2025 and 2024, respectively.

f. **Stop-loss premiums** – Premiums for stop-loss insurance are included in the accompanying statements of changes in net assets available for benefits. Stop-loss refunds are recorded when received and are netted with benefits paid to or for participants. During the years ended September 30, 2025 and 2024, stop-loss refunds received totaled $79,020 and $503,750, respectively.

g. **Administrative expenses** – Administrative expenses are paid by the Plan.

h. **Plan obligations** – Plan obligations for claims incurred but not reported are estimated based upon historic claims experience and actual claims reported subsequent to the plan year end.

i. **Reclassifications** – Certain amounts in the 2024 financial statements have been reclassified for comparative purposes to conform with the 2025 presentation with no effect on previously reported net assets available for benefits.

j. **Subsequent events** – Subsequent events have been evaluated through July 15, 2026, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

Note 3 – Income Tax Status

The trust established under the Plan to hold the assets of the Plan is qualified as a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). The trust obtained its latest tax determination letter dated July 18, 2014, with an effective date of exemption of October 1, 2011. In the letter, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) stated that the trust, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. The Board of Trustees and legal counsel believe the trust and related plan are designed and have been operated through September 30, 2025, in accordance with applicable provisions of the IRC.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be substantiated upon examination by the IRS. The plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan and has concluded that as of September 30, 2025 and 2024, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability (or asset) or disclosure in the financial statements.

The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions, and the Plan could be subject to income tax if certain issues were found by the IRS that could result in the disqualification of the tax-exempt status; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

Note 4 – Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

The Plan maintains its cash balances in high credit quality financial institutions. Accounts at these institutions are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to $250,000 through September 30, 2025, at which time the insured coverage amount may be changed. At times, such cash balances may be in excess of the insurance limit.

Note 5 – Fair Value Measurements

Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) *Accounting Standards Codification* (ASC) 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, provides the framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described as follows:

Level 1 – Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.

Level 2 – Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

- quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; and
- inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 – Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The asset's or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies and inputs used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at September 30, 2025 and 2024.

Level 1 – Investments in money market and short-term funds are valued at the closing price in the active markets in which the individual securities are traded.

Note 5 – Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

Level 2 – Investments in certificates of deposits are valued using the latest bid price or based on yields currently available on comparable securities of issuers with similar credit ratings.

Level 3 – The Plan had no investments that are classified as Level 3 at September 30, 2025 and 2024.

The preceding methods described may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, although the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value:

	As of September 30, 2025			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Short-term funds	$ 101,798	$ -	$ -	$ 101,798
Money market funds	9,212,484	-	-	9,212,484
Certificates of deposit	-	2,027,178	-	2,027,178
	$ 9,314,282	$ 2,027,178	$ -	$ 11,341,460

	As of September 30, 2024			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Money market funds	$ 9,515,029	$ -	$ -	$ 9,515,029
Certificates of deposit	-	2,033,332	-	2,033,332
	$ 9,515,029	$ 2,033,332	$ -	$ 11,548,361

Note 6 – Party-in-interest Transactions

Party-in-interest transactions include those with fiduciaries or employees of the Plan, any person who provides services to the Plan, an employer whose employees are covered by the Plan, an employee organization whose members are covered by the Plan, a person who owns 50% or more of such an employer or employee association, or relatives of such persons.

The Plan has a number of service providers. Such providers are parties-in-interest under ERISA.

Note 7 – Reconciliation of Financial Statements to Form 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the accompanying financial statements to the Schedule H of Form 5500:

	September 30, 2025	September 30, 2024
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	$ 13,647,451	$ 12,908,119
Claims payable	(500,000)	(445,000)
Claims incurred but not reported	(1,760,000)	(1,170,000)
Net assets available for benefits per Form 5500	$ 11,387,451	$ 11,293,119

The following is a reconciliation of benefits paid to or for participants per the accompanying financial statements to the Schedule H of Form 5500 for the year ended September 30, 2025:

Benefits paid per the financial statements	$ 6,956,246
Add: claims payable and claims incurred but not reported in current year	2,260,000
Less: claims payable and claims incurred but not reported in prior year	(1,615,000)
Benefit payments paid per Form 5500	$ 7,601,246

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Supplementary Information

Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust

Form 5500, Schedule H - Part IV, Line 4i EIN: 45-3280396 PN: 535

September 30, 2025

Assets Held for Investment

(a)	(b) Identity of Issue	(c) Description of Investment	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
Short-term funds:				
	Cash balance with Fidelity Investments		$ 101,798	$ 101,798
Money market funds:				
	Vanguard Federal Money Market Fund	Money market fund	9,212,484	9,212,484
Certificates of deposit:				
	U.S. Metro Bank Garden Grove CA CD	4.95%, due 12/29/2025	250,002	250,507
	Wells Fargo Bank NA CD	4.35%, due 03/09/2026	100,000	100,161
	Bank of America NA CD	4.75%, due 07/06/2026	250,006	251,630
	First Bank of the Lake CD	4.10%, due 06/14/2027	100,000	100,690
	Valley National Bank Passaic NJ CD	4.70%, due 06/28/2027	250,009	254,152
	Medallion Bank Utah CD	4.10%, due 06/09/2028	100,000	101,152
	Carter Bankshares Inc CD	4.65%, due 07/05/2028	250,011	256,563
	Toyota Financial Savings Bank Henderson NV CD	4.50%, due 06/28/2029	250,011	256,615
	Morgan Stanley Bank NA CD	4.30%, due 07/02/2029	100,000	101,977
	Celtic Bank Salt Lake City UT CD	4.00%, due 06/12/2030	100,000	101,076
	State Bank India New York NY CD	4.00%, due 08/21/2030	250,000	252,655
			2,000,039	2,027,178
			$ 11,314,321	$ 11,341,460

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Vancouver Firefighters Union Health and Welfare Trust

Form 5500, Schedule H - Part IV, Line 4j EIN: 45-3280396 PN: 535

Year Ended September 30, 2025

Reportable Transactions							
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)		(g)	(h)	(i)
Identity of Party Involved	Description of Asset	Purchase Price	Selling Price	Expenses Incurred with Transaction	Cost of Asset	Current Value of Asset on Transaction Date	Net Gain
Category (i) - A Single Transaction in Excess of 5% of Plan Assets:							
Money market mutual funds:							
Vanguard Federal Money Market Fund	Money Market Fund	$ -	$ 700,000	$ -	$ 700,000	$ 700,000	$ -
Category (iii) - A Series of Transactions in Excess of 5% of Plan Assets:							
Money market mutual funds:							
Vanguard Federal Money Market Fund	Money Market Fund	$ 404,285	$ -	$ -	$ 404,285	$ 404,285	$ -
Fidelity Government Money Market Fund	Mutual Fund	547,713	-	-	547,713	547,713	-
Fidelity Government Money Market Fund	Mutual Fund	-	554,542	-	554,542	554,542	-

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Administrative Expenses

Years Ended September 30, 2025 and 2024

	2025	2024
Accounting and audit fees	$ 45,882	$ 49,049
Administrative fees	88,452	93,321
Bank service charges	141	158
Conferences, conventions, meetings, and travel	57,955	39,777
Consultant fees	172,715	150,000
Dues	5,107	1,095
Insurance and bonding	7,354	7,097
Legal fees	12,326	5,860
Pricing services and Healthcare Blue Book fees	62,094	100,595
Postage, printing, and supplies	794	1,318
Taxes and assessments	2,610	4,542
Trust manager fees	66,695	52,250
Utilization management fees	20,768	14,235
	$ 542,893	$ 519,297

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September 30, 2025

Assets Held for Investment

(a)	(b) Identity of Issue	(c) Description of Investment	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
Short-term funds:				
	Cash balance with Fidelity Investments		$ 101,798	$ 101,798
Money market funds:				
	Vanguard Federal Money Market Fund	Money market fund	9,212,484	9,212,484
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Year Ended September 30, 2025

Reportable Transactions							
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)		(g)	(h)	(i)
Identity of Party Involved	Description of Asset	Purchase Price	Selling Price	Expenses Incurred with Transaction	Cost of Asset	Current Value of Asset on Transaction Date	Net Gain
Category (i) - A Single Transaction in Excess of 5% of Plan Assets:							
Money market mutual funds:							
Vanguard Federal Money Market Fund	Money Market Fund	$ -	$ 700,000	$ -	$ 700,000	$ 700,000	$ -
Category (iii) - A Series of Transactions in Excess of 5% of Plan Assets:							
Money market mutual funds:							
Vanguard Federal Money Market Fund	Money Market Fund	$ 404,285	$ -	$ -	$ 404,285	$ 404,285	$ -
Fidelity Government Money Market Fund	Mutual Fund	547,713	-	-	547,713	547,713	-
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