Hi «First_name»,

The MTRS has tried contacting you several times to make a RetirementPlus (R+) election by 6/30/23 that will affect your future pension as a public educator in MA. R+ is an enhanced retirement benefit that can allow certain members to reach their maximum benefit of 80% sooner.

We realize there are many scams and phishing attempts circulating via email, and you may be suspicious of the volume and sense of urgency in our R+ emails. I highly encourage you to Google search the MTRS, visit our home page, and click on our R+ Resource Center for more information.

Critical points to know about this election and your status:

- **If you think you are all set, you are not and must make an election**
- You are currently **NOT PARTICIPATING in R+, regardless of the rate you are contributing to the system**
- You must make an election by **Friday, June 30, 2023**
- This is your **final chance** to make an election to participate in R+
- Not responding is the equivalent of voting not to participate and will result in possibly having your rate changed to the lower, non-R+ contribution rate and losing the potential R+ benefits

On 4/13/23, 5/8/23, and most recently on 6/7/23, your election credentials were emailed to you from YesElections (help@yeselections.com). Please check your junk and spam folders and make an election to either participate or not participate in R+. By doing this, you will help us process any changes to your account in a timely fashion and expedite any changes to your MTRS member status in the future.

Please make your election prior to 6/30! If you have any questions or need your election credentials, reply to this email or visit our website. We are happy to help.

Thank you for your time.

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