

# NewsFlash



*An electronic newsletter for SERS Retirement Coordinators*

## 2018 Statements

Member Account Statements (as of June 30, 2018) will be mailed mid-August. They are also available on our [Member Services website](#), which we will be notifying members by email in the next few days.

## Workshop schedule

The 2019 preretirement workshop schedule is listed in the current SERS-O-GRAM included with the statements, and we encourage those of you who have not attended to register. These programs are very beneficial to planning your financial security.

## Forms and applications

When completing any form on behalf of your employees, please be sure you are using the most current version of the form by checking our website regularly and printing from there rather than keeping a supply of printed forms.

## Website

Please be sure to remind your employees to sign up for our Member Services website by following the easy instructions [here](#).

## SERS is preparing to calculate backpay for benefit recipients

SERS is preparing to begin calculating any backpay amounts due to members who received retirement benefits, survivor benefits, disability benefits and death benefits during the time they would have received the original wages in the collective bargaining agreement prior to the wage freeze.

Please note that this will be a huge undertaking as we will be calculating these amounts in addition to our normal workload, and it may take us several months to finish. We understand the importance of receiving this back pay, so please know that we are working hard to provide the best service to our members.