



## Iowa Retirement Investors' Club (RIC)

457/401a Plans

Look *forward* to retirement!

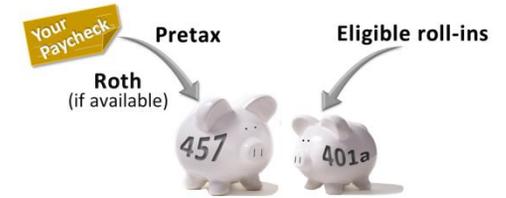
# RIC At-A-Glance

## Public Sector Employees

Program Basics

The Iowa Retirement Investors' Club (RIC) is your employer's supplemental retirement savings benefit designed to help eligible\* employees save a portion of current wages for future income needs. RIC contains two plans: a 457 plan to hold employee contributions and a 401a plan to hold qualified roll-in assets. Participants enjoy:

- Contributions through payroll deduction - minimum \$25/mo, maximum \$18,000/yr, \$24,000/yr if age 50+ (ability to contribute up to \$36,000 with the 3-Year Catch-Up limit if available in your plan\*)
- Tax advantages (pretax and Roth, if offered in your plan), including a possible tax credit of up to \$1,000
- Diversified, no-load, low-cost investment options
- Flexible payment options (once eligible) with no surrender penalties or product restrictions



Eligible outside retirement plan assets such as non-Roth IRAs, 401ks, 403bs, 457s, etc. may be rolled into/out of RIC at any time.

Enroll/Change



**Enrollment** is year-round. Options for enrollment include meeting with a RIC provider representative (no additional cost), using a provider's online resources (if available), or requesting a kit by mail. The provider has everything you need to open the 457/401a accounts, select investments, and begin payroll deductions (provider contact information below). Local advisor information for each provider is available under *Providers & Investments* on the RIC website.

**Changes** to payroll deductions, investment/ provider election, and advisors may be made at anytime without fees or restrictions. To change existing payroll deductions, complete the *RIC Account Form* available from your employer's plan details page\* on the RIC website.

Distributions

**While employed**, distributions are only available due to approved unforeseeable emergency withdrawals, inactive small account cashouts, or attainment of age 70 ½. Requests for distributions while employed are submitted to the RIC office.



**Once separated from employment**, distributions are not required until age 70 ½. Options include staying invested in RIC, taking cash, or rolling to an outside retirement plan (including IPERS). Cash distributions may be taken as lump sums, flexible periodic payments, lifetime annuities, or any combination. RIC products have no surrender charges or restrictions. 457 plan assets have no early withdrawal penalty due to age. Taxable distribution of 401a plan assets prior to age 59 ½ may result in IRS 10% penalty. Requests for distributions after separating from employment are submitted directly to the RIC provider.

Investment Provider



Your employer chose one or more of the providers to the right to offer diversified investment options to participants in RIC. Options include fixed rate accounts, no-load mutual funds (index, actively managed, target-date) and brokerage accounts. RIC providers have advisors available to explain the investments and answer questions at no extra cost. Providers must meet RIC plan requirements and undergo annual investment reviews.

You may make changes to your investment options online, by phone, or with an advisor at any time. There are no annual contract fees or transfer fees within the provider offerings or between RIC providers.

Horace Mann® **877-602-1861**

MassMutual FINANCIAL GROUP **800-743-5274**

VALIC **800-448-2542**

VOYA FINANCIAL™ **800-555-1970**

All funds listed on reverse side.



\* Information specific to your plan is available on your employer's plan details page accessed from [https://das.iowa.gov/RIC/PSE/plan\\_details](https://das.iowa.gov/RIC/PSE/plan_details).



Visit the RIC website at <https://das.iowa.gov/RIC/PSE> to access program education, provider websites, advisor information, historical fund performance, fixed rates, plan documents, and more. Contact an RIC provider directly or the RIC office at 866 460-4692 if you have questions.

# RIC Investment Options

There are 2 types of investments offered by RIC providers (see illustration to the right). This chart is designed to show the variety of investment categories available through each provider with more conservative fund options at the top.

**Fixed Rate**

- Declared rate-fixed period
- Guaranteed by provider
- Always liquid
- No market risk
- No restrictions/maturities
- No fees

**Variable Rate**

- "Mutual Funds"
- No guarantees
- Always liquid
- Degrees of market risk
- No restrictions/maturities
- Fund management fees

Fund Categories		Horace Mann (877-602-1861)		MassMutual (800-743-5274)		VALIC (800-945-6763)		Voya (800-555-1970)	
Safety	Fixed Rate	HM Grp Unallocated Fixed Interest Ann		MassMutual GIA		VALIC Fixed Interest Option		Voya Fixed Plus Account III / 457/401 II	
	Money Market	Vanguard Federal Money Mkt (Inv) VMFXX				Vanguard Federal Money Mkt (Inv) VMFXX		Voya Gov't Money Mkt Portf (I) IVMXX	
Income	Core Bond	Loomis Sayles Core Plus Bd (N) NERNX		JPMorgan Core Plus Bd (R6) JCBUX		PIMCO Total Return (Inst'l) PTRRX		Voya Intermediate Bd Portf (S) IPISX	
		Vanguard Total Bd Mkt Index (Adm) VBTXL		Vanguard Total Bd Mkt Index (Adm) VBTXL		Vanguard Total Bd Mkt Index (Adm) VBTXL		Voya US Bd Index Portf (I) ILBAX	
	Inflation Protect	Van Infla Protected Securities (Adm) VAIPX		PIMCO Real Return (Inst'l) PRRIX		DFA Infla Protected Securities (Inst'l) DIPSX		BlackRock Infla Protected Bd (Inst'l) BPRIX	
	High Yield	Prudential High Yield Bd (Q) PHYQX		Eaton Vance Income Fd of Boston (R6) EIBRX		Invesco High Yield (R6) HYIFX		Ivy High Income (Inst'l) IVHIX	
	Foreign	Amer Fds Capital World Bd (R6) RCVGX						Templeton Global Bd (Adv) TGBAX	
Balanced	Trad'l Balanced	Vanguard STAR (Inv) VGSTX		Amer Fds Amer Balanced (R6) RLBGX		Amer Fds Amer Balanced (R6) RLBGX		Amer Fds Amer Balanced R4 RLBEX	
	Target Date	Vanguard Target Retire Income (Inv) VTINX		BlackRock LifePath Index Retire (K) LIRKX		Vanguard Target Retire Income (Inv) VTINX		Amer Fds 2010 Target Date Retire (R4) RDATX	
		Vanguard Target Retire 2015 (Inv) VTXVX		BlackRock LifePath Index 2020 (K) LIMKX		Vanguard Target Retire 2015 (Inv) VTXVX		Amer Fds 2015 Target Date Retire (R4) RDBTX	
		Vanguard Target Retire 2020 (Inv) VTWNX		BlackRock LifePath Index 2025 (K) LIBKX		Vanguard Target Retire 2020 (Inv) VTWNX		Amer Fds 2020 Target Date Retire (R4) RDCX	
		Vanguard Target Retire 2025 (Inv) VTVX		BlackRock LifePath Index 2030 (K) LINKX		Vanguard Target Retire 2025 (Inv) VTVX		Amer Fds 2025 Target Date Retire (R4) RDDTX	
		Vanguard Target Retire 2030 (Inv) VTHRX		BlackRock LifePath Index 2035 (K) LIJXX		Vanguard Target Retire 2030 (Inv) VTHRX		Amer Fds 2030 Target Date Retire (R4) RDETX	
		Vanguard Target Retire 2035 (Inv) VTTHX		BlackRock LifePath Index 2040 (K) LIKXX		Vanguard Target Retire 2035 (Inv) VTTHX		Amer Fds 2035 Target Date Retire (R4) RDFTX	
		Vanguard Target Retire 2040 (Inv) VFORX		BlackRock LifePath Index 2045 (K) LIHXX		Vanguard Target Retire 2040 (Inv) VFORX		Amer Fds 2040 Target Date Retire (R4) RDGTX	
		Vanguard Target Retire 2045 (Inv) VTIKX		BlackRock LifePath Index 2050 (K) LIPKX		Vanguard Target Retire 2045 (Inv) VTIKX		Amer Fds 2045 Target Date Retire (R4) RDHTX	
		Vanguard Target Retire 2050 (Inv) VFIFX		BlackRock LifePath Index 2055 (K) LIVKX		Vanguard Target Retire 2050 (Inv) VFIFX		Amer Fds 2050 Target Date Retire (R4) RDITX	
		Vanguard Target Retire 2055 (Inv) VFFVX				Vanguard Target Retire 2055 (Inv) VFFVX		Amer Fds 2055 Target Date Retire (R4) RDJTX	
	Vanguard Target Retire 2060 (Inv) VTSX				Vanguard Target Retire 2060 (Inv) VTSX		Amer Fds 2060 Target Date Retire (R4) RDKTX		
Domestic Equity	Large Value	JPMorgan Equity Income (R6) OIEJX		MFS Val (R5) MEIKX		Vanguard Equity-Income (Adm) VEIRX		RidgeWorth Large Cap Val Equity (I) STVTX	
	Large Blend			Hartford Capital Appreciation (R6) ITHVX		JPMorgan Disciplined Equity (R6) JDEUX		Parnassus Core Equity (Inv) PRBLX	
				MM Select Harris Focused Val (Inst'l) MFSVZK		DFA US Sustainability Core 1 DFSIX			
	Large Cap Index	Vanguard 500 Index (Adm) VFIAX		Vanguard 500 Index (Adm) VFIAX		Vanguard Inst'l Index (Inst'l) VINIX		Voya Russell Large Cap Index Portf (S) IRLCX	
		Vanguard Total Stock Mkt Index (Adm) VTSAX		Vanguard FTSE Social Index (Inv) VFTSX				Vanguard Total Stock Mkt Index (Inst'l) VITSX	
	Large Growth	MFS Gro (R5) MFEKX		MassMut Select Blue Chip Gro (Inst'l) MBCZX		Amer Fds AMCAP (R6) RAFGX		Voya Large Cap Gro Portf (S) IEOSX	
	Mid Value	Victory Sycamore Established Val (R6) VEVRX		MFS Mid Cap Val (R5) MVCCKX		WellsFargo Advan Spec Mid Cap Val (R6) WFPKX		Invesco Amer Val (R5) MSAJX	
	Mid Cap Index	Vanguard Mid Cap Index (Adm) VIMAX		Vanguard Mid Cap Index (Adm) VIMAX		Vanguard Mid Cap Index (Inst'l) WMCIX		Voya Russell Mid Cap Index Portf (S) IRMCX	
	Mid Growth	Voya Mid Cap Opportunities Portf (R6) IMOZX		JPMorgan Mid Cap Gro (R6) JMGMX		AB Discovery Gro (Z) CHCZX		VY® T Ro Prc Divers Mid Cap Gro (Adv) IAXAX	
	Small Value	JPMorgan Sm Cap Val (R6) JSVUX		Amer Century Sm Cap Val (R6) ASVDX		DFA US Targeted Val (Inst'l) DFFVX		Victory Integrity Sm Cap Val (Y) VSVIX	
Small Cap Index	Vanguard Sm Cap Index (Adm) VSMAX		Vanguard Sm Cap Index (Adm) VSMAX		Vanguard Sm Cap Index (Adm) VSMAX		Voya Russell Sm Cap Index (I) IIRSX		
Small Growth	JPMorgan Sm Cap Gro (R6) JGSMX		MassMut Select Sm Cap Gro Eq (Inst'l) MSGZX		ClearBridge Sm Cap Gro (IS) LMOIX		Voya Sm Cap Opportunities Portf (I) IVSOX		
International	Foreign Stock	Amer Fds Europacific Gro (R6) RERGX		MFS® Int'l Value (R5) MINIX		Amer Fds EuroPacific Gro (R6) RERGX		Dodge & Cox Int'l Stock DODFX	
		Vanguard Total Int'l Stock Index (Adm) VTIAK		Vanguard Total Int'l Stock Index (Adm) VTIAK		Vanguard Total Int'l Stock Index (Inst'l) VTSNX		Voya Int'l Index Portf (I) IIIIX	
	Emerging Mkts	Amer Fds New World (R6) RNWGX		Oppenheimer Developing Mkts (Inst'l) ODVIX					
World Stock					Amer Fds Capital World Gr & Inc (R6) RWIGX		Amer Fds New Perspective (R4) RNPEX		
Sector	Real Estate	Vanguard REIT Index (Adm) VGSIX		Vanguard REIT Index (Adm) VGSIX		Vanguard REIT Index (Adm) VGSIX		VY® Clarion Real Estate Portf (Inst'l) IVRIX	
Total range of fees*		0.25% - 1.08%		0.25% - 1.10%		0.22% - 0.99%		0.04% - 1.28%	
Self-Directed Brkg Account		TD Ameritrade (fees vary)		Schwab PCRA (fees vary)		Schwab PCRA (fees vary)		TD Ameritrade (fees vary)	

\*Fixed rate accounts have no fees or maturities. RIC variable rate funds have no sales charges. Individual fund fees are available on the RIC website at <https://das.iowa.gov/RIC>.

