

Although LRTA does not endorse candidates for public office, the association remains keenly interested in receiving support from elected officials on issues that are important to maintaining and improving the benefits needed to secure dignity and independence in retired life. LRTA would like to obtain your thoughts concerning its legislative priorities. Please take a moment to respond to the questions below.

Please return the signed survey **as soon as possible** to the LRTA office. Our mailing address is: 9412 Common St., Suite 5 Baton Rouge, LA 70809

You may also return this survey by fax (225-927-8838) or email (info@lrta.net).

1. LRTA supports the repeal of the Government Pension Offset (GPO) and the Windfall Elimination Provision (WEP). The GPO and the WEP are Social Security federal provisions that reduce retired public employee's individual Social Security and survivor benefits. Retired teachers in Louisiana are subject to the GPO and WEP. Given the opportunity, would you support the repeal of the GPO and WEP?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If no, please explain why on the back of this page.

Signature

Date

Print name

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