# **West Seneca Central Schools**

### **ARE YOU AWARE OF YOUR 403(b) BENEFIT?**

#### THE OPPORTUNITY

You have the opportunity to save for retirement by participating in your Employer's 403(b) retirement plan. A 403(b) plan is a retirement plan for certain employees of public schools, tax-exempt organizations and ministries. We recommend that all employees visit our education page which can be found here:

# https://www.omni403b.com/Employees/Education WHY SAVE WITH 403(b)?

- 1. You do not pay income tax on allowable contributions until you begin making withdrawals from the plan, usually after your retirement.
- 2. Pre-tax investment gains in the plan are not taxed until distribution and eligible ROTH investment gains are tax free.
- Generally, retirement assets can be carried from one employer to another.

## Future retirement savings value assuming 6% growth

Monthly Contributions	5 Year	15 Years	20 Years
\$50	\$3,489	\$14,541	\$23,102
\$200	\$13,954	\$58,164	\$92,408
\$500	\$34,885	\$145,409	\$231,020

#### **HOW CAN I PARTICIPATE?**

Prior to contributing you must open an account with an investment provider authorized in the Plan, a list of which is available on the right. You may then complete a Salary Reduction Agreement (SRA) online at: https://www.omni403b.com/SRA

If you are already contributing to your Employer's Plan and you want to change your contribution amount or investment provider, simply complete and submit a new SRA. Once we are in receipt of the newly completed SRA, we will notify your employer to begin contributions.

### **HOW MUCH CAN I CONTRIBUTE ANNUALLY?**

In 2024, you may contribute up to \$23,000 if you are 49 years of age or below and up to \$30,500 if you are 50 years of age and over. You may also be entitled to additional catch-up provisions like the 15 Year Service Catch-up. Please contact OMNI's Customer Care Center at 877.544.6664 for further details.

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<b>Contribution Limits</b>		15 Yr.	Maximum	Combined Limit					
	Age 49 & below	Age 50 & above	Service Catch-up (if eligible)	Employer Contributions	Age 49 & below	Age 50 & above			
٦	\$23,000	\$30,500	\$3,000	\$69,000	\$69,000	\$76,500			
Click the link below for an investment professional to reach out to you.  https://www.omni403b.com/PlanDetail									

# New accounts may be opened with the following approved service providers.

AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL RIVERSOURCE
ASPIRE FINANCIAL SERVICES
EQUITABLE FORMERLY AXA
INVESCO OPPENHEIMERFUNDS
METLIFE
METLIFE FC
ORION PORTFOLIO SOLUTIONS LLC FORMERLY FTJ FUNDCHOICE
PENSERV SMARTSAV FORMERLY FORESTERS
SGROI FINANCIAL LLC
THE LEGEND GROUP A LINCOLN INVESTMENT COMPANY
VANGUARD FIDUCIARY TRUST CO
VOYA FINANCIAL NATL
NEW YORK STATE DEFERRED COMP PLAN 457
ROTH NYS DEFERRED COMP PLAN 457