

## MCNTGOMERY COUNTY

Montgomery County for any period of service under a qualified retirement system for which the employee is receiving retirement pay or for which he has received vesting benefits.

(s) Limitation on credited service. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Section or of this article, any credited service earned, given or purchased by a member may not be used for qualifying that member for normal retirement before he has attained the age of forty-six (46) with at least twenty (20) years of credited County service.

(t) Credited service for a period of prior County service. Each present or former full-time employee of Montgomery County before March 1, 1948 and who was subsequently appointed to a full-time County position on or before July 1, 1970 shall be eligible to be credited for such period of full-time County service pursuant to the provisions of Section 94-65(e) "Recredited service for period of County service", or Section 94-65(g) "Payment of contributions for County service not credited under the Employees' Retirement System of the State of Maryland". Such present or former employee retiring on or after May 1, 1970 must exercise this option within ninety days (90) of the effective date of this law or immediately upon reappointment to the County Service.

(v) Purchase of qualified part-time service credits. Except for the part-time employees covered under the provisions of Section 94-61(b), part-time employees on August 15, 1965, each qualified part-time employee employed before the effective date of the amendments to this article is eligible to receive retirement service credit for any period of qualified County service or qualified service in a participating agency provided he pays into the Employees' Retirement System of Montgomery County not less than six percent (6%) of the salary he earned during the period which he wishes to have credited for retirement purposes, plus four percent (4%) interest per annum. This option must be exercised within ninety (90) days of the date qualified part-time employees are approved for coverage, or be forfeited. If a member wishes to purchase such credited service on an extended payment basis he must obtain the approval of the County Personnel Board and interest of not less than six and one-half (6 1/2%) percent per annum, as determined by the County Personnel Board, shall be paid. A