- (2) Credited past service is service credited under the Employees' Retirement System of the State of Maryland or the Montgomery County Police Relief and Retirement Fund Law. A member will not receive credited past service unless an election to transfer to this Retirement System was filed on or before December 31, 1966. Any member who had membership in the Police Relief and Retirement Fund of Montgomery County, and upon discontinuance of coverage prior to August 15, 1955 was unable to receive the return of member contributions, shall receive credit for service covered by such contributions.
- (3) Credited past service for service as a fire alarm dispatcher or firefighter in Montgomery County. Any member shall have the opportunity to obtain credit for any period of full-time paid service as a fire alarm dispatcher or firefighter in a Montgomery County fire department (including the Takoma Park Fire Department) or as a rescue squadsman in a Montgomery County rescue squad if such service has not otherwise been credited. Before receiving this credited service the member shall pay the amount of contributions that would have been deducted during this period of prior service plus interest at the rate of four and one-half percent per annum to June 30, 1970, and six and one-half percent thereafter for each year from July 1, 1970, to date of full payment.
- A fire alarm dispatcher who was the incumbent of a fire alarm dispatcher position brought into the County service prior to August 15, 1965, shall receive credit without additional charge, for the full period of time serviced in the position or as a firefighter in the same fire department, if the service was continuous.
- (b) Procedures for determining credited future service. The County Personnel Board will determine how much service in a twelve month period constitutes one year of credited future service, except:
- (1) in no case will more than one year of credited future service be allowed for any twelve month fiscal year period;
- (2) for members, with the exception of elected or appointed officials, service rendered during the full normal working time in a twelve month period, including paid authorized leave or other leave specifically provided herein, or in the Personnel Regulations, will equal one year of credited future service;
 - (3) for members holding elected or appointed