



**To: Head of Reporting Entity**

**From: Ronnie Jung, TRS Executive Director**

**Subject: TRS.TV Program – “State of the TRS Fund”**

As part of our commitment to enhancing direct and candid communications with our members, we are moving our positively-received program ‘Chalk Talk’ online and launching ‘TRS.TV,’ a new section of our web site.

TRS.TV will provide members with important and timely information through audio and video content. This offering is in direct response to our members’ interest in multi-media tools and an ability to access information “on-demand.”

To access TRS.TV, you can go to our web site at: <http://www.trs.state.tx.us> and click on the new ‘TRS.TV’ icon shown above. You will see an explanation of TRS.TV, a video player with our first episode and an archive section with some of the programs we offered last fall. Importantly, the web page offers two features requested by members: a) a transcript of the episode and, b) an ability to submit feedback via e-mail at [ChalkTalk@trs.state.tx.us](mailto:ChalkTalk@trs.state.tx.us).

In the first episode, called ‘State of the Fund,’ I am joined by our Chief Investment Officer Britt Harris addressing issues related to the current status of the TRS fund, specifically how it’s being impacted by the turbulence in the financial markets and how this is impacting members. The video is about 12 minutes long. Future episodes will showcase different formats like Q&A<sup>s</sup>, panel discussions, and virtual tours. Some episodes will be offered live and then archived.

Many thanks to you and your members. Your participation and feedback enable us to continue providing timely information on topics of importance.