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### **Webster Board of Health joins state 457 plan**

**CHARLESTON** – The Webster County Board of Health has become the latest entity to join West Virginia Retirement Plus, state government’s official 457 deferred compensation plan.

State Treasurer John Perdue’s office provides oversight for the plan.

Board of Health employees are free to invest in any number of ING offerings. ING is the West Virginia Retirement Plus administrator. An investor’s 457 assets grow tax-deferred until retirement.

West Virginia Retirement Plus has become a popular vehicle for counties and municipalities looking for either a supplemental or full-time retirement plan. A total of 47 counties, 46 municipalities and 41 other entities now belong to the plan.

“We welcome the Webster Board of Health aboard,” said Treasurer Perdue. “We’re pleased that they see what many other organizations and political subdivisions have seen – West Virginia Retirement Plus is a quality investment vehicle.”

Both total assets and active participants have doubled since the Treasurer’s Office took over the plan in 2006.

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