



Employees' Retirement System
of the State of Hawaii

Thinking about a 2027 retirement? Here are some important dates

Members or former members who are eligible and considering retirement in 2027 should prepare by familiarizing themselves with the deadlines for filing an application. Your retirement date can be the first of the month, or on Dec. 31. Applications can be filed as early as 150 days prior to – but not fewer than 30 days before – your retirement date.

For more information, go to ers.ehawaii.gov/members/planning-for-retirement or contact the ERS: ers.ehawaii.gov/resources/contact-us.

Here's a list of application deadlines for retirement in 2027. The ERS must receive applications by the deadlines listed (not postmarked, if mailed). Applications must be notarized or signed in front of an ERS representative.

Filing Window					
<u>I would like to retire on:</u>	<u>The first day you can file:</u>			<u>The last day you can file:</u>	
January 1, 2027	August 4, 2026	Tues		December 2, 2026	Wed
February 1, 2027	September 4, 2026	Fri		December 31, 2026	Thurs
March 1, 2027	October 2, 2026	Fri		January 29, 2027	Fri
April 1, 2027	November 2, 2026	Mon		March 2, 2027	Tues
May 1, 2027	December 2, 2026	Wed		April 1, 2027	Thurs
June 1, 2027	January 4, 2027	Mon		April 30, 2027	Fri
July 1, 2027	February 1, 2027	Mon		June 1, 2027	Tues
August 1, 2027	March 4, 2027	Thurs		July 2, 2027	Fri
September 1, 2027	April 5, 2027	Mon		August 2, 2027	Mon
October 1, 2027	May 4, 2027	Tues		September 1, 2027	Wed
November 1, 2027	June 4, 2027	Fri		October 1, 2027	Fri
December 1, 2027	July 6, 2027	Tues		November 1, 2027	Mon
December 31, 2027	August 3, 2027	Tues		December 1, 2027	Wed