IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL FIRST DISTRICT, STATE OF FLORIDA

FLORIDA LEAGUE OF CITIES, INC., CITY OF CASSELBERRY, CITY OF GREENACRES, CITY OF KISSIMMEE, and CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY,

NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO FILE MOTION FOR REHEARING AND DISPOSITION THEREOF, IF FILED.

Appellees,

CASE NO. 1D03-4556

v.

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES, DIVISION OF RETIREMENT.

Appellee,

03-1117RP

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and

FLORIDA PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS, INC., and FLORIDA POLICE BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION, INC.,

Intervenors,

Opinion filed August 23, 2004

An appeal from an order from the Department of Administrative Hearings.

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PER CURIAM.

AFFIRMED.

ERVIN, BOOTH and KAHN, JJ., CONCUR.