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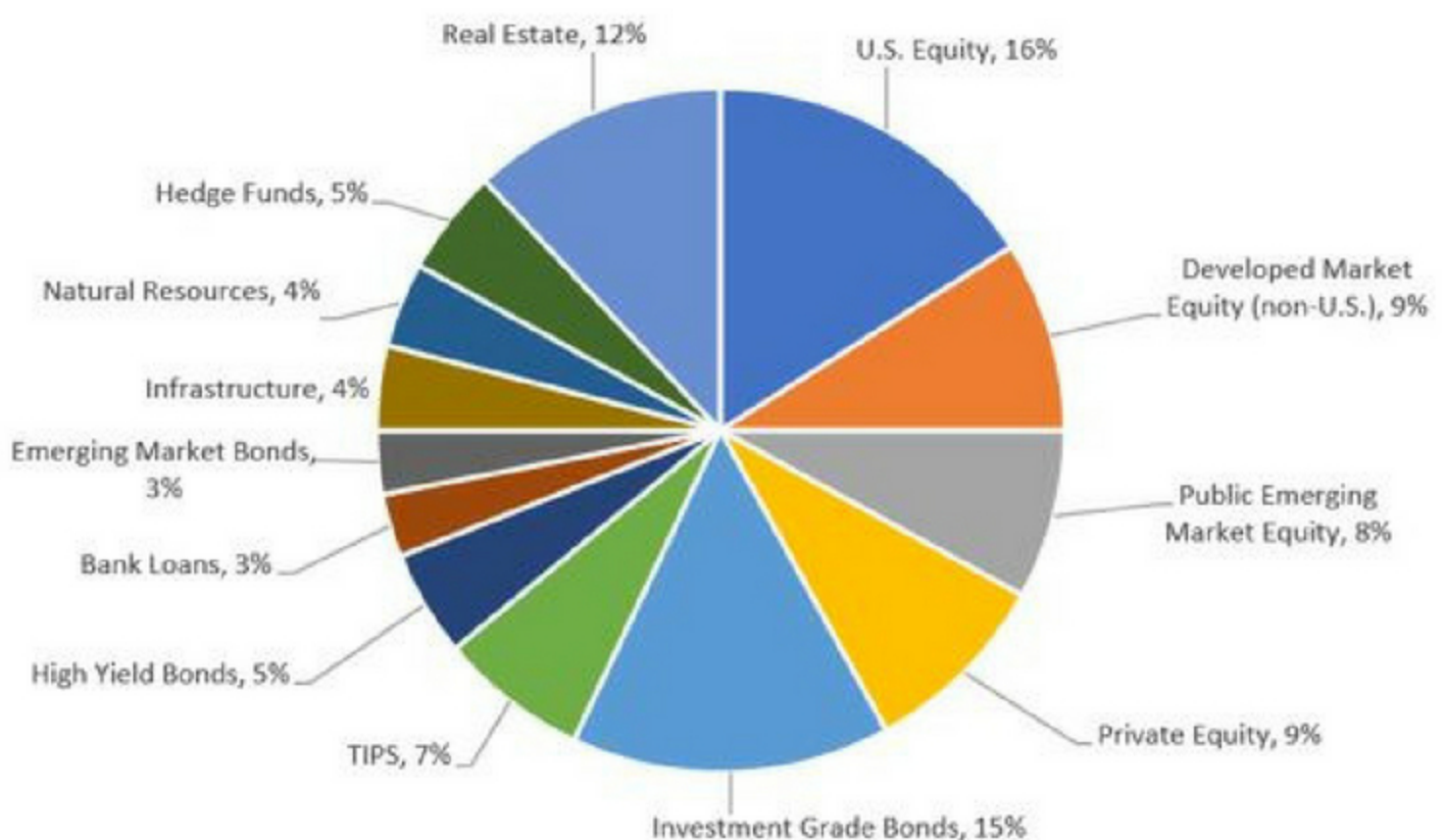
WHERE DOES YOUR MONEY GO?

Did you know, over the last 60 years COPERS assets have grown from around \$1.7 million to over \$2.5 billion? The program's goal is to ensure that contributions from members and the city are invested wisely. COPERS works to continue growing assets held by the trust through investments and delivering promised benefits when the time comes.

To aid the COPERS Board in making investment decisions, an in-house investment officer works with many outside investment managers and consultants to develop an asset allocation and invest in ways that will help the COPERS fund to grow and meet future obligations.

The goal is to invest funds across different markets or asset classes in an attempt to dampen the overall volatility of COPERS' investment returns. The chart below outlines COPERS' current asset allocation.

You can read more about each of the asset classes, performance, and quarterly returns on the COPERS website.



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