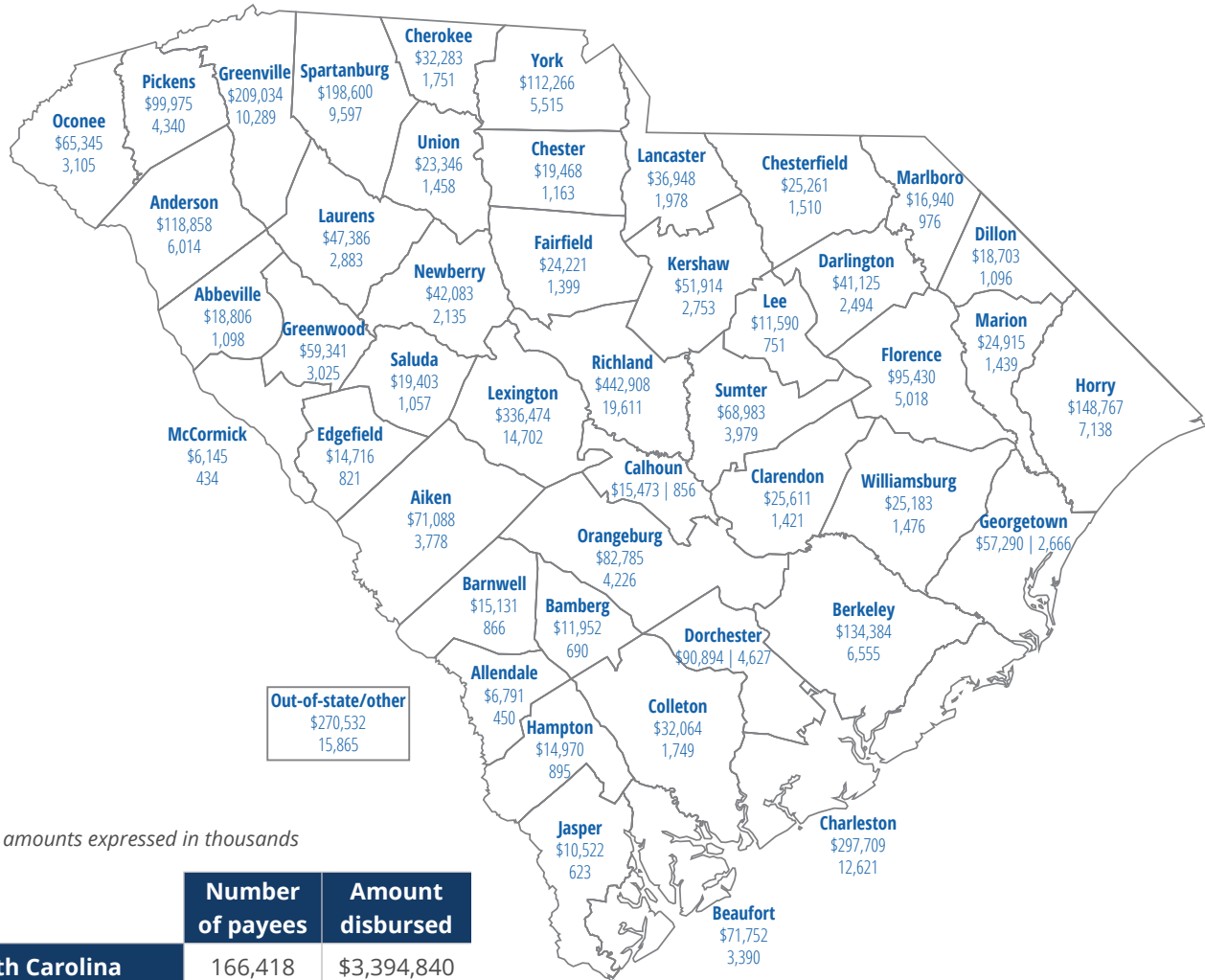


Economic Impact of Retirement Benefits



PEBA disbursed more than \$3.6 billion in retirement benefits in calendar year 2020 to more than 182,000 payees.¹ More than 91 percent of payments were made to individuals who live in South Carolina.



Dollar amounts expressed in thousands

	Number of payees	Amount disbursed
South Carolina	166,418	\$3,394,840
Out-of-state/other²	15,865	\$270,532
Total	182,283	\$3,665,371

¹Benefits disbursed includes monthly service, disability and survivor benefits; incidental death benefits; and refunds.

²Address either out-of-state or county code couldn't be assigned.