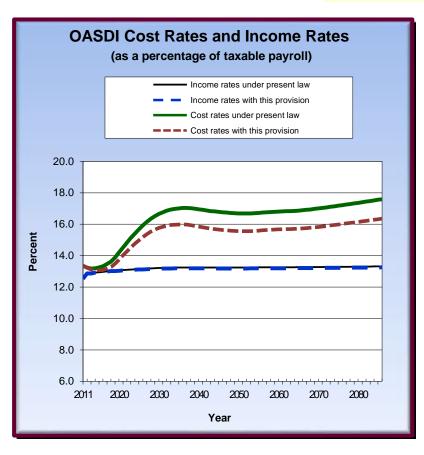
## Summary Measures and Graphs Category of Change: Cost-of-Living Adjustment

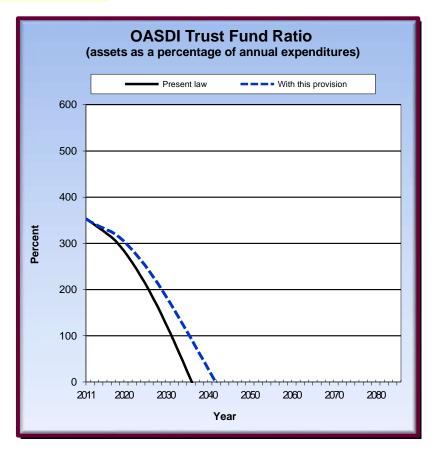
Proposed Provision: Starting December 2012, reduce the annual COLA by 0.5 percentage point.

<u>Present Law</u>		
Long-Range	Annual	
Actuarial	Balance in	
Balance	75th Year	
-2.22%	-4.24%	

Change From Present Law in		
Long-Range	Annual	
Actuarial	Balance in 75th	
Balance	Year	
0.85%	1.17%	

Results with this provision		
Long-Range	Annual	
Actuarial	Balance in	
Balance	75th Year	
-1.37%	-3.08%	





Estimates based on the intermediate assumptions of the 2011 Trustees Report

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