Sec. 742.46. The granting of a benefit or pension to any person under sections 742.01 to 742.49, inclusive, 742.61 of the Revised Code, vests a right in such person to obtain and receive the amount of such benefit or pension granted to him THE PERSON subject to sections 742.01 to 742.49, inclusive, 742.61 of the Revised Code.

Such right may be enforced by an action in mandamus instituted in the court of common pleas in the county in which the person granted such benefit or pension resides.