

AGENDA

Meeting: Wiltshire Pension Fund Committee

Place: County Hall, Bythesea Road, Trowbridge, BA14 8JN

Date: Tuesday 17 December 2019

Time: 10.30 am

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Membership:

Cllr Steve Allsopp Cllr George Jeans
Cllr Tony Deane (Chairman) Cllr Gordon King

Cllr Brian Ford Cllr Christopher Newbury Cllr Simon Jacobs

Substitutes:

Cllr Derek Brown OBE Cllr Robert Jandy
Cllr Matthew Dean Cllr Bob Jones MBE

Cllr Sarah Gibson Cllr Fleur de Rhé-Philipe MBE

Cllr Gavin Grant Cllr Ian Thorn

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Part I

Items to be considered when the meeting is open to the public

1 Membership

To note any changes to the membership of the Committee.

2 Attendance of non-members of the Committee

To note the attendance of any non-members of the Committee.

3 Apologies for Absence

To receive any apologies for absence or substitutions for the meeting.

4 **Minutes** (*Pages 7 - 18*)

To confirm the Part 1 minutes of the meeting held on 3 October and 25 October.

5 Review of Actions Log

6 **Declarations of Interest**

To receive any declarations of disclosable interests or dispensations granted by the Standards Committee.

7 Chairman's Announcements

To receive any announcements through the Chairman.

8 **Public Participation**

The Council welcomes contributions from members of the public.

Statements

If you would like to make a statement at this meeting on any item on this agenda, please register to do so at least 10 minutes prior to the meeting. Up to 3 speakers are permitted to speak for up to 3 minutes each on any agenda item. Please contact the officer named on the front of the agenda for any further clarification.

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later than 5pm on Thursday 12 December 2019. Please contact the officer named on the front of this agenda for further advice. Questions may be asked without notice if the Chairman decides that the matter is urgent.

Details of any questions received will be circulated to Committee members prior to the meeting and made available at the meeting and on the Council's website.

9 Minutes and Key Decisions of the Local Pensions Board

To consider the Part 1 minutes, and recommendations arising, from the Local Pension Board meeting held on 14 November.

10 Scheme, Legal, Regulatory and Fund Update (Pages 19 - 24)

A report from officers updating the Committee on various developments.

11 Fund Benchmarking (Pages 25 - 28)

A paper showing the results of benchmarking exercise on costs per member of Funds within the Brunel PP group.

12 **Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)** (Pages 29 - 42)

A report summarising the latest KPIs for the period 1 July 2019 to 30 September 2019.

13 **Budget Monitoring Report** (Pages 43 - 48)

A paper by Officers providing a quarterly update on progress against the Fund's budget.

14 **Pension Fund Risk Register** (Pages 49 - 56)

An updated Risk Register is brought to the Committee for its consideration.

15 Good Governance Report (Phase 2) (Pages 57 - 74)

A paper summarising the phase 2 summary report from Hymans Robertsons, on behalf of the SAB, in relation to *Good Governance*.

16 Administration Strategy (Pages 75 - 120)

A revised Administration Strategy is presented to Committee for approval.

17 **Communication Strategy** (Pages 121 - 132)

A revised Communications Strategy is presented to Committee for approval.

18 Annual Training Review (Pages 133 - 146)

An update on the Fund's training strategy and a present a new training strategy for officers.

19 **Audit Plan 2020-2021** (Pages 147 - 150)

A paper proposing the Audit's Plan for 2020-2021

20 Contract Management Review (Pages 151 - 154)

A summary of the contracts review during the year and those due for review in the future.

21 Date of Next Meeting

To note that the next regular meeting of the Committee will be held on 26 March 2020.

22 Urgent Items

Any other items of business which, in the opinion of the Chairman, should be considered as a matter of urgency. Urgent items of a confidential nature may be considered under Part II of this agenda.

23 Exclusion of the Public

To consider passing the following resolution:

To agree that in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 to exclude the public from the meeting for the business specified in Item Numbers 24-27 because it is likely that if members of the public were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 1 & 3 of Part I of Schedule 12A to the Act and the public interest in withholding the information outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information to the public.

Part II

Item(s) during consideration of which it is recommended that the public should be excluded because of the likelihood that exempt information would be disclosed

24 Brunel Pension Partnership update

A verbal update by the Investment Manager on the progress of the implementation of the Brunel Pension Partnership.

25 Investment Quarterly Progress Report (Pages 155 - 184)

Four confidential reports are circulated updating the Committee on the performance of the Fund's investments. These were considered by the Investment Sub-Committee at

its meeting on 5 September and are circulated for information only.

26 Investment Sub-Committee Minutes (Pages 185 - 198)

To confirm the Part 2 (confidential) minutes of the meeting held on 3 October and 25 October.

27 Brunel Oversight Board Meeting Minutes

Finalised and draft minutes from the most recent meeting.