AGENDA

Meeting: Wiltshire Pension Fund Committee

Place: Room CR1, Swindon Borough Council Offices, Euclid Street,

SN1 2JH

Date: Wednesday 12 December 2018

Time: <u>10.30 am</u>

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<u>Wiltshire Council Members:</u> Cllr Steve Allsopp Cllr Tony Deane (Chairman) Cllr Timothy Swinyard

Cllr Gordon King
Cllr Christopher Newbury
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Cllr Tom Rounds

Employer Body Representatives

Mrs Diane Hall

Cllr Roy While (Vice-Chairman)

Non-voting Membership

Substitute MembersObserversCllr Derek Brown OBEMike PankiewiczCllr Sarah GibsonStuart Dark

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Cllr Ian Thorn

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Items to be considered

PART I

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

1 Apologies for Absence

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

2 <u>Minutes</u> (Pages 7 - 14)

To confirm the Part 1 minutes of the meeting held on 20 September 2018.

3 **Declarations of Interest**

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

4 Chairman's Announcements

To receive any announcements through the Chairman.

5 **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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To receive any questions from members of the public or members of the Council received in accordance with the constitution.

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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.

6 <u>Minutes and Key Decisions of the Local Pensions Board</u> (Pages 15 - 24)

To consider the Part 1 minutes, and recommendations arising, from the Local Pension Board meeting held on 11 October 2018.

The Board's current Work Plan is available here

7 Scheme, Legal, Regulatory and Fund Update (Pages 25 - 30) 10:30

A report from the Head of Pensions Administration updates the Committee on the latest regulatory and legal updates for the LGPS.

8 Pension Fund Risk Register (Pages 31 - 38)

10:40

An update from the Head of Pensions Administration on the Wiltshire Pension Fund Risk Register is circulated for Members' to note.

9 <u>LPB Code of Conduct Policy</u> (Pages 39 - 46)

10:50

Members are asked to consider the revised LPB Code of Conduct Policy.

10 Review of other Funds' Committee arrangements:

11:00

A verbal update by the Independent Governance Advisor.

11 Training Review (Pages 47 - 76)

11:10

A review by the Fund Governance and Performance Manager on training and the results of the recent exercises on Knowledge Assessment and Effectiveness.

12 Date of Next Meeting

To note that the next regular meeting of the Committee will be held on 14 March 2019.

13 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.

14 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 15 - 20 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

15 Review of key contract costs (Pages 77 - 84)

11:25

The report presented by the Fund Governance and Performance Manager on the approximate costs incurred in relation to the Fund's key contracts.

16 **Brunel Pension Partnership update** (Pages 85 - 98)

11:40

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

17 Investment Quarterly Progress Report (Pages 99 - 116)

11:50

A confidential report is circulated updating the Committee on the performance of the Fund's investments as to 30 September 2018. This was considered by the Investment Sub-Committee at its meeting on 22 November 2018 and is circulated for information only.

Minutes and Key Decisions of the Investment Sub Committee (Pages 117 - 122)

An update on other matters considered at the last Investment Sub Committee meeting.

19 **Minutes** (*Pages 123 - 130*)

To confirm the Part 2 (confidential) minutes of the meeting held on 20 September 2018.

20 <u>Investment Strategy, Employer Investment Strategies and Triennial Valuation training</u>

12:10

Presentations from Hymans-Robertson and the Investment Manager.