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Agenda

Name of meeting LOCAL PENSION BOARD

Date TUESDAY 17 JANUARY 2023

Time **2.00 PM**

Venue COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNTY HALL, ISLE OF WIGHT

Board Members M Doyle (Chairman), N Cain, A Curzon, L Kingston, Cllr M Lilley,

B Milton and T Ould

Democratic Services Officer: Megan Tuckwell

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1 **Minutes** (Pages 5 – 10)

To confirm as a true record the Minutes of the meeting held on 26 October 2022.

2 Declarations of Interest

To invite Members to declare any interest they might have in the matters on the agenda.

3 **Report from the Pension Fund Committee** (Pages 11 – 16)

To receive the draft minutes of the meeting of the Pension Fund Committee held on 23 November 2022.

4 **Report from the ACCESS Joint Committee** (Pages 17 – 18)

To receive an update from the board members who attended the Joint Committee meeting on 5 December 2022 as observers.

5 **Report from the Pensions Administration Team** (Pages 19 – 38)

To consider a report on administration statistics and employer compliance with end of month reporting and payment deadlines for the year 2022-23 to date, and to be advised on any complaints recorded and potential breaches of the law identified since the last meeting.

6 External Audit Update

To receive a verbal update on the progress of the 2021-22 audit for the Pension Fund accounts.

7 **Annual Report and Accounts (Draft)** (Pages 39 – 154)

To receive and note the draft annual report and accounts for the pension fund for the year ended 31 March 2022.

8 Policy for the Recording and Reporting of Breaches of the Law

To receive a verbal update on the revision of the fund's Policy for the Recording and Reporting of Breaches of the Law (formerly the Reporting Breaches of the Law to the Pensions Regulator Policy) and the timetable for its recommendation to the Pension Fund Committee.

9 **Funding Strategy Statement** (Pages 155 – 194)

To receive a copy of the draft Funding Strategy Statement 2023, as part of the consultation process prior to adoption by the Pension Fund Committee in February 2023.

10 Risk Management

To discuss the committee's request to separate the pension fund resourcing risk into two –resilience (key person risk) and capacity (insufficient resources). To further note that there has been no work undertaken on the risk register since the last committee meeting.

11 Knowledge and Understanding (Pages 195 – 212)

To receive the record of Board members' training and an update on any training events (including development sessions and fund manager presentations), and to consider the output from the National Knowledge Assessment.

12 **Items circulated for Members Attention** (Pages 213 – 214)

To note items circulated to board members since the papers were published for last board meeting, for information.

13 **Workplan** (Pages 215 – 222)

To receive and note the workplan for future board and committee meetings, and to note the dates for meetings in 2023-24:

Local Pension Board (2pm start)	Pension Fund Committee (10am start)
5 April 2023	8 February 2023
21 June 2023	24 May 2023
13 September 2023	26 July 2023
13 December 2023	22 November 2023
6 March 2024	14 February 2024

14 Other matters for the Board's attention

Members to raise any other matters.

CHRISTOPHER POTTER Monitoring Officer Monday, 9 January 2023

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