



Pensions Fund Committee

A meeting of the Pensions Fund Committee will be held at the The Court Room, The Guildhall, Northampton, NN1 1DE on Wednesday 29 March 2023 at 4.00 pm

Agenda

1.	Apologies for Absence and Notification of Substitute Members
2.	Declarations of Interest Members are asked to declare any interest and the nature of that interest which they may have in any of the items under consideration at this meeting.
3.	Minutes (Pages 5 - 10) To confirm the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 12 December 2022.
4.	Chair's Announcements To receive communications from the Chair.
5.	Administration Report (Pages 11 - 22)
6.	Governance and Compliance Report (Pages 23 - 32)
7.	Annual Business Plan and Medium-Term Strategy (Pages 33 - 70)
8.	Overpayment of Pension Entitlement Policy (Pages 71 - 114)
9.	Communication Strategy and Plan (Pages 115 - 150)

10.	Employers Admissions and Cessations (Pages 151 - 156)
11.	Northamptonshire Pension Fund Forward Agenda Plan (Pages 157 - 158)
12.	<p>Exclusion of Press and Public</p> <p>The following report(s) contain exempt information as defined in the following paragraph(s) of Part 1, Schedule 12A of Local Government Act 1972.</p> <p>Paragraph 3 – Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).</p> <p>Members are reminded that whilst the following item(s) have been marked as exempt, it is for the meeting to decide whether or not to consider each of them in private or in public. In making the decision, members should balance the interests of individuals or the Council itself in having access to the information. In considering their discretion members should also be mindful of the advice of Council Officers.</p> <p>Should Members decide not to make a decision in public, they are recommended to resolve as follows:</p> <p>“That under Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972, the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the following item(s) of business on the grounds that, if the public and press were present, it would be likely that exempt information falling under the provisions of Schedule 12A, Part I, Paragraph(s) 3 would be disclosed to them, and that in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.”</p>
13.	<p>Private Minutes (Pages 159 - 166)</p> <p>To confirm the Private Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 12 December 2022.</p>
14.	Valuation Update (Pages 167 - 262)
15.	Investment Strategy Review (Pages 263 - 312)
16.	ACCESS Update (Pages 313 - 334)
17.	<p>Urgent Business</p> <p>The Chairman to advise whether they have agreed to any items of urgent business being admitted to the agenda.</p>

Proper Officer
21 March 2023

Pensions Fund Committee Members:

Councillor Malcolm Longley (Chair)	Councillor Charles Morton (Vice-Chair)
Councillor Phil Bignell	Councillor Lloyd Bunday
Councillor Paul Joyce	Councillor Jamie Lane
Councillor Graham Lawman	Councillor Peter Matten
Councillor Cathrine Russell	Robert Austin
Peter Borley-Cox	Paul Wheeler
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Information about this Agenda

Apologies for Absence

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Declarations of Interest

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