

Report to Nottinghamshire Local Pension Board

16 December 2021

Agenda Item: 4

REPORT OF THE SERVICE DIRECTOR – CUSTOMERS, GOVERNANCE AND EMPLOYEES

LOCAL GOVERNMENT PENSION SCHEME (LGPS) - ACTUARY REPORT AND PRESENTATION

Purpose of the Report

1. The purpose of the report is to introduce training by the Fund Actuary on the next tri-ennial valuation commencing on 31 March 2022.

Information and Advice

Background

- 2. In accordance with the Local Government Pension Scheme regulations, a valuation of the Pension Fund must be carried out every 3 years.
- 3. The purpose of a valuation is to assess the Fund's financial position i.e. are the Fund's assets sufficient to meet its projected liabilities; set out the assumptions for future inflation and investment returns and review the employer contribution rates.
- 4. The employer contribution rates are set at a level sufficient to secure the ongoing liability of the fund and may be amended as a result of each valuation.
- 5. Member contribution rates are set in the scheme regulations and are not part of the valuation process.

Training

6. The Presentation objective is to provide training to the Board ahead of the next tri-ennial valuation commencing on 31 March 2022. The presentation will cover the purpose and objectives of the valuation, the approach as well as the importance of assumptions, including a look the recent data informing life expectancy. The presentation will also take a look back at the 2019 funding position and what the Fund might expect at 2022.

Financial Implications

7. There are no direct financial Implications.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended:

1. That the Nottinghamshire Pension Board accept the Presentation of the Scheme Actuary

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8. The proposal in this report is within the remit of the Nottinghamshire Local Pension Board.

Financial Comments (KP01/12/2021)

9. There are no financial implications in relation to this report.

Background Papers and Published Documents

Except for previously published documents, which will be available elsewhere, the documents listed here will be available for inspection in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972.

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