

## minutes

Meeting NOTTINGHAMSHIRE PENSIONS FUND COMMITTEE

Date Thursday 8 March 2018 at 10.00 am

#### membership

Persons absent are marked with 'A'

#### COUNCILLORS

Eric Kerry (Chairman)
Stephen Garner (Vice Chairman)

Reg Adair Francis Purdue-Horan
Chris Barnfather Helen-Ann Smith
Sheila Place A - Parry Tsimbiridis
Mike Pringle

## **Nottingham City Council**

A Councillor Graham Chapman

Councillor Anne Peach

A Councillor Sam Webster

## **Nottinghamshire Local Authorities' Association**

A Councillor Richard Jackson – Broxtowe Borough Council Kate Allsop – Executive Mayor Mansfield District Council

## **Trades Unions**

Mr A Woodward Mr C King

## **Scheduled Bodies**

A Mrs Sue Reader

## **Pensioners**

Vacancy Mr T Needham

#### **Independent Advisor**

William Bourne

## Officers in Attendance

Pete Barker (Resources)
Jon Clewes (Resources)
Keith Palframan (Resources)
Tamsin Rabbitts (Resources)
Sarah Stevenson (Resources)
Marj Toward (Resources)

#### 1. MINUTES

That the minutes of the last meeting held on 11 January 2018 be signed as a true and correct record.

## 2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Tsimbiridis, Councillor Chapman, Councillor Webster and Mrs Reeder.

Committee wished Councillor Tsimbiridis a speedy recovery from his illness.

#### 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST BY MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

None.

## 4. WORKING PARTY

Mr Palframan introduced the report and on a motion by the Chairman, duly seconded it was:-

#### **RESOLVED 2018/010**

- 1. That the intention of Nottinghamshire Pension Fund to work towards an RI policy that is consistent to that adopted by LGPS Central be approved.
- 2. That the asset allocation benchmarks be approved.
- 3. That the proposed amendments to the ISS as set out in Appendix B to the report be approved.

# 5. <u>LOCAL GOVERNMENT PENSION SCHEME - GUARANTEED MINIMUM PENSION</u> RECONCILIATION EXERCISE WITH HMRC

Mr Clewes introduced the report and on a motion by the chairman, duly seconded it was:

#### **RESOLVED 2018/011**

- 1. That the creation of the GMP Reconciliation Project and the allocation of the required resources as set out in the body of the report be approved to ensure the Fund is able to meet its statutory requirements and the HMRC deadline for GMP data reconciliation.
- 2. That Committee receive regular update reports as set out in the body of the report.

#### **6. WORK PROGRAMME**

Mr Palframan introduced the report. The Chair requested that the dates for future meetings be forwarded to members of the Committee.

On a motion by the Chairman, duly seconded it was:-

#### **RESOLVED 2018/012**

That no further actions are required as a direct result of the contents of the report.

## 7. FUND VALUATION AND PERFORMANCE

Mrs Rabbitts introduced the report and on a motion by the chairman, duly seconded it was:

#### **RESOLVED 2018/013**

That no further actions are required as a direct result of the contents of the report.

## 8. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

#### **RESOLVED: 2018/014**

That the public be excluded for the remainder of the meeting on the grounds that the discussions are likely to involve the disclosure of exempt information as described in paragraph 3 of the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006 and the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

And that Mr William Bourne, the Independent Advisor, be permitted to stay in the meeting during the exempt items

#### **EXEMPT INFORMATION ITEMS**

#### 9. FUND VALUATION AND PERFORMANCE

On a motion by the Chairman, duly seconded it was:-

**RESOLVED: 2018/015** 

That no further actions are required as a direct result of the contents of the report.

## 10. REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT ADVISOR

Mr Bourne gave an update on issues that affect the pensions investments of Nottinghamshire

**RESOLVED: 2018/016** 

That no further actions are required as a direct result of the contents of the report.

## 13. FUND MANAGERS' REPORTS

Lyndon Bolton from Schroders was attending his last meeting of the Committee as he was retiring. Committee thanked Lyndon for all his hard work over the years and wished him a long and happy retirement.

**RESOLVED: 2018/017** 

That no further actions are required as a direct result of the contents of the fund managers' reports received from Aberdeen Standard Investments. Schroders Investment Management, and Kames Capital.

The meeting concluded at 1.17pm

**CHAIRMAN**