

PENSIONS COMMITTEE AGENDA

6.30 pm

Tuesday 26 March 2013 Town Hall, Main Road, Romford

Members 7: Quorum 3

COUNCILLORS:

Conservative Group
(4)

Residents' Group
(1)

Labour Group (1)

Independent Residents' Group

(1)

Melvin Wallace

(Chairman)

Becky Bennett (Vice-

Chair)

Eric Munday Roger Ramsey Ron Ower

Pat Murray

Jeffrey Tucker

Trade Union Observers

Admitted/Scheduled Bodies

Representative

(No Voting Rights) (2)

(Voting Rights) (1)

John Giles, (Unison) Andy Hampshire, GMB Marian Clay

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AGENDA ITEMS

1 CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chairman will announce details of the arrangements in case of fire or other events that might require the meeting room or building's evacuation.

2 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND ANNOUNCEMENT OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

(if any) - receive

3 DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS

Members are invited to disclose any pecuniary interest in any of the items on the agenda at this point of the meeting.

Members may still disclose any pecuniary interest in any item at any time prior to the consideration of the matter.

4 MINUTES OF THE MEETING (Pages 1 - 8)

To approve as correct the minutes of the Special meeting held on 27 November 2012 and of the meeting held on 12 December 2012 and authorise the Chairman to sign them.

5 AUTOMATIC ENROLMENT (Pages 9 - 14)

Report attached.

6 REVIEW OF COMMUNICATION STRATEGY (Pages 15 - 34)

Report attached.

7 PUBLIC SERVICE PENSIONS BILL (Pages 35 - 42)

Report attached.

8 PENSION FUND PERFORMANCE MONITORING FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012 (Pages 43 - 56)

Report attached.

9 REVIEW OF THE STATEMENT OF INVESTMENT PRINCIPLES (Pages 57 - 92)

Report attached.

10 URGENT BUSINESS

To consider any other item in respect of which the Chairman is of the opinion, by reason of special circumstances which shall be specific in the minutes that the item should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency.

11 EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

To consider whether the public should now be excluded from the remainder of the meeting on the grounds that it is likely that, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, if members of the public were present during those items there would be disclosure to them of exempt information within the meaning of paragraph 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972; and, if it is decided to exclude the public on those grounds, the Committee to resolve accordingly on the motion of the Chairman.

12 EXEMPT MINUTES

To approve as correct the exempt minutes of the Special meeting held on 27 November and the meeting of the Committee held on 12 December 2012.

13 PENSION FUND PERFORMANCE MONITORING FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

To consider the exempt report from Hymans Robertson and receive presentations from the following Fund Managers:

- Standard Life,
- Royal London, and
- · Baillie Gifford.

14 REVIEW OF STATEMENT OF INVESTMENT PRINCIPLES

To consider the exempt Appendices 'C' and 'D'.

Ian Buckmaster Committee Administration & Member Support Manager