DF/23/75 Devon Pension Board 6th July 2023

FUTURE WORK PROGRAMME

Report of the Director of Finance and Public Value

Please note that the following recommendations are subject to consideration and determination by the Committee before taking effect.

1) Recommendation

That the Board be asked to:

(a) review the work programme and provide any suggestions for future work items.

2) Introduction

2.1 The Devon Pension Board will meet four times per year to review and discuss issues concerning the Devon Pension Fund. In order to ensure that appropriate areas are covered going forwards it was agreed at the first meeting of the Board to implement a Future Work Programme.

3) Future Work Programme

3.1 A proposal for the Future Work Programme of the Pension Board is set out below:

Standing items

- Minutes of the Investment and Pension Fund Committee
- Devon Pension Fund Risk Register
- Peninsula Pensions Administration Performance
- Attendance register
- Actions and recommendations Tracker
- Future work programme
- Breaches log
- Contribution monitoring
- LGPS update

October 2023

- Budget monitoring
- Terms of reference review
- Communication policy review
- TPR data scores improvement plan

January 2024

- Scheme Advisory Board Governance review
- Scheme Advisory Board Knowledge and skills framework
- TPR Code of Practice
- Governance policy review
- Audit Plan 2024/25

April 2024

- Budget monitoring
- Annual Pension Board Report
- Internal Audit report for 2023/24
- 2023/24 Training Review and 2024/25 Training plan

4) Conclusion

- 4.1 The Future Work Programme aims to set out a clear agenda for future areas of review and discussion for the Pension Board. This will help to provide assurance that the Devon Pension Fund is managed and administered affectively and efficiently, ensuring that it complies with the code of practice on the governance and administration of public service pension schemes issued by the Pensions Regulator.
- 4.2 The Board is asked to review and approve the future work programme and make suggestions for other areas of consideration going forward.

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Electoral Divisions: All

Local Government Act 1972: List of background papers

Nil

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