Pension Fund Committee

Meeting to be held on Friday, 27 November 2020

Electoral Division affected: (All Divisions);

Local Pensions Partnership: Governance Charter

(Appendix 'A' refers)

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Executive Summary

The Local Pensions Partnership have developed a 'Governance Charter' document to summarise the governance arrangements for the pool.

Recommendation

The Committee is asked to note the 'Governance Charter' document which is set out at Appendix 'A'.

Background and Advice

Many of the newly created pools within the Local Government Pension Scheme have developed and agreed a 'Governance Charter' document. These documents seek to summarise the governance arrangements for the pool, including the structure, roles and responsibilities of the following:

- The Administering Authorities;
- Local Pension Board;
- The Local Pensions Partnership (LPP);
- Shareholders;
- Clients.

Draft versions of the document have been presented to members of the Pension Fund Committee for feedback at a training workshop on the 11th March 2020 and at the Lancashire Local Pension Board on the 13th October 2020.

The finalised version of LPP's 'Governance Charter' is set out at Appendix 'A'.

Consultations

The development of the document has involved consultation with the Local Pension Partnership, the London Pensions Fund Authority (LPFA), Lancashire County



Pension Fund (LCPF), the Pension Fund Committee and the Local Pension Boards of LPFA and LCPF respectively.

Implications:

This item has the following implications, as indicated:

Risk management

Effective governance arrangements with LPP are vital to ensure that oversight responsibilities are both communicated and discharged effectively for the Fund.

Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985 List of Background Papers

Paper

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Reason for inclusion in Part II, if appropriate

N/A