

Lancashire Local Pension Board

Meeting to be held on Tuesday, 9 July 2019

Electoral Division affected: None;

Feedback from members of the Board on pension related training, conferences and events

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Executive Summary

This report relates to training which members of the Board have received since the last meeting and gives individuals an opportunity to provide feedback on their experience.

Recommendation

Individual members of the Board are asked to provide feedback on their experience of the pension related training referred to in the report.

Background and Advice

At the meeting on the 23rd March 2018 the Pension Fund Committee agreed a revised Training Policy which set out the Fund's approach to supporting the learning and development needs of individuals with responsibility for the strategic direction, governance and oversight of the Lancashire County Pension Fund through their membership of the Pension Fund Committee or the Lancashire Local Pension Board.

Since the last meeting Mr T Pounder, Mr C Gibson and Miss Y Moulton have all attended an internal **Workshop on Employer Covenant Risk and Emerging Issues** which was held at County Hall, Preston on the 15th May 2019.

Mr Thompson has also confirmed that he has viewed the recording of the **Workshop on Responsible Investment** held on the 23rd January 2019 at County Hall, Preston, with Frances Deakin from the Local Pensions Partnership which can be accessed via the Pensions Library.

Online training

S Thompson has also confirmed that he has completed the following online modules from The Pension Regulator Public Service Toolkit.

1. Conflict of interest.
2. Managing risk and internal controls;
3. Maintaining accurate member data;

The 2019/20 Training Record for the Lancashire Local Pension Board has been updated to reflect all of the above.

Consultations

N/A

Implications:

This item has the following implications, as indicated:

Risk management

Without the required knowledge and skills members of the Board may be ill-equipped to make informed considerations regarding the direction and operation of the Pension Fund.

Financial

Any attendance, travel or accommodation costs associated with external training are met by the Pension Board.

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

Paper	Date	Contact/Tel
Attendance sheet for pension workshop.	15 th May 2019	Mike Neville (01772 533431)

Reason for inclusion in Part II, if appropriate
N/A