Essex Pension Fund Investment Steering Committee

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Date: 26 June 2019

Baillie Gifford 3 Day Event October 2019

Joint Report by Compliance Manager and Director for Essex Pension Fund Enquiries to Kevin McDonald on 0333 0138 488

1. Purpose of the Report

1.1 To provide the Committee with a draft itinerary for the Baillie Gifford 3 Day Event for the 8, 9 and 10 October 2019.

2. Recommendation

2.1 It is recommended that the Committee note the draft itinerary.

3. Delegates

- 3.1 The Fund currently acknowledge the following delegates to attend the 3 Day event in October 2019:
 - Cllr S Barker;
 - Cllr A Goggin;
 - Cllr A Hedley;
 - Cllr L Scordis;
 - Cllr M Platt;
 - Cllr M Maddocks;
 - Cllr C Riley; and
 - Mrs S Child.
- 3.2 The Baillie Gifford Conference is open to all of its investor client base, as such they have limited the number of places offered to each of their investors. Essex Pension Fund has been allocated 10 places. At present all places have been allocated. However, if any Member is unable to attend, their place will be offered to the substitute Member.
- 3.3 Officers attending include:
 - Kevin McDonald; and
 - Samantha Andrews.
- 4. 8 October 2019

Time Event

- 12:55 Committee Members to meet in ECC Atrium
- 13:00 Take Minibus to London City Airport
- 14:30 Arrive at London City Airport and check into flight
- 17:10 British Airways flight to Edinburgh

- 18:30 Arrive at Edinburgh Airport
- 19:00 Taxi(s) to Conference Hotel
- 19:45 Arrive at hotel
- 20:30 Dinner

5. 9 October 2019

- <u>Time</u> Event
- 08:30 Breakfast
- 09:45 Walk/Taxi to The Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh
- 10:30 Registration and Coffee
- 11:00 Training Session 1
- 11:50 Training Session 2
- 12:45 Buffet Lunch
- 13:40 Life is Good
- 13:55 Working Life
- 14:40 Life of an Investment
- 15:20 Coffee
- 15:50 The Spice of Life
- 16:20 For Life to Remain the Same, Everything Must Change ... the Evolving LGPS
- 17:00 Close Walk/Taxi back to the hotel
- 18:30 Walk/Taxi to the National Museum of Scotland
- 19:00 Dinner
- 22:00 Walk/Taxi back to the hotel

6. 10 October 2019

Time	Event

- 07:00 Breakfast
- 08:00 Check out of hotel followed by walk/taxi to The Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh
- 08:45 Arrival Coffee
- 09:00 Life Today
- 09:15 Responsible Investing
- 10:00 Strategy Sessions
- 11:00 Coffee
- 11:15 Paying Your Pensions
- 12:00 2040 Vision Life for the Members of Tomorrow
- 12:45 Lunch and Depart
- 13:30 Taxi/Complimentary Bus to Edinburgh Airport
- 14:15 Arrive at Edinburgh Airport and check into flight
- 16:30 British Airways flight to London City Airport
- 18:00 Arrive at London City Airport
- 18:30 Minibus to ECC

7. Recommendation

- 7.1 Committee Members to note the Draft itinerary for the event and confirm their attendance.
- 7.2 Committee members to agree for ECC Officers to book their flights on their behalf.