Norfolk Pension Fund Pensions Oversight Board

Norfolk Pension Fund

Date: **Tuesday 2 September 2025**

Time: **10:00am**

Venue: Via Teams

Membership

Chairman Brian Wigg

Employer Representatives

Sally Albrow Norfolk County Council
Julie Brown Broadland District Council
Vacancy Employer Rep (non-levying)

Scheme Member representatives

Frances Crum Active / Deferred member

Peter Baker Pensioner member

Robin Konieczny Trade Union

Agenda

- 1. Welcome and Introduction
- 2. Apologies

To receive apologies

3. Minutes and matters arising

To agree the minutes of the meeting on the 20th of May 2025.

4. Declarations of interest

Members to declare any conflict of interest. For the purposes of a member of a Local Pension Board (the Pension Oversight Board), a 'conflict of interest' may be defined as a financial or other interest which is likely to prejudice a person's exercise of functions of a Local Pension Board. (A conflict does not include a financial or other interest arising merely by virtue of being a member of the LGPS / Norfolk Pension Fund).

Therefore, a conflict of interest may arise when a member of a Local Pension Board:

- must fulfil their legal duty to assist the Administering Authority; and
- at the same time, they have:
 - o a separate personal interest (financial or otherwise); or
 - another responsibility in relation to that matter, giving rise to a possible conflict with their first responsibility as a Local Pension Board member.
- 5. Board Membership update

To note latest updates on Board membership and recruitment.

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6. Pensions Oversight Board Terms of Reference
To note the proposed updates to the Board's Terms of Reference.

7. Items of urgent business

To receive any items of business which the Chairman decides should be considered as a matter of urgency.

8. Pensions Committee

Feedback from the Pensions Committee meeting on 10 June 2025 and items to be raised at the 23 September 2025 meeting.

9. LGPS Reform

Update on latest reform:

- General reform (e.g. dashboard preparation)
- Fit for the Future (pooling and governance)
- Devolution and Local Government Reform

10. Norfolk Pension Fund Operational Update

An update on operational performance and issues (including ACCESS operational update).

Break

11. Triennial Valuation

Presentation by Hymans Robertson, Fund Actuary

- 12. Operational Review: The Pension Regulator's General Code of Practice Update on compliance with The Pension Regulator's General Code of Practice.
- 13. Operational Review: Annual Report and Accounts 2024 2025 Presented by Charlotte Freeman, Pension Fund Accountant

14. Risk Management

An update on the Norfolk Pension Fund's risk management framework, to include the latest risk update and heat map.

15. Internal Audit reports

To receive the latest internal audit reports.

16. Knowledge, skills and training

To include November training update

- 17. Forward work programme for the Pensions Oversight Board.
- 18. Date of next meeting: 4th November, Council Chamber, County Hall