PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT BOARD 100 North Park Avenue, Room 201 Helena MT 59601

AGENDA Thursday, August 8, 2024 8:30 am

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8:30 am OPEN MEETING

- I. Notice of Audio Recording
- II. Roll Call
- **III. Public Introductions**
- IV. Public/Member Comment on any subject of interest to the Board not on the agenda

Education items (8:35-10:00)

- V. DC Plans Annual Vendor Updates (William Holahan)
 - A. RVK Elise Willey, Associate Consultant
 - B. PIMCO Matt Clark, CFA, CAIA, Senior Vice President; Henry Kao, Senior Vice President
 - C. Empower Retirement Marybeth Daubenspeck, Vice President Government Markets; Stephanie Biddle, Senior Relationship Manager

VI. Board Education

A. Ethics Presentation (William Holahan)

10:00 – 10:15 BREAK

Action items (10:15-10:45)

VII. Business

- A. Consent Agenda (President Peterson)
 - 1. Board Meeting Minutes June 13, 2024 (Audio Recording, Supplement-Open, Supplement-Closed)
 - 2. Special Board Meeting Minutes *June 12, 2024* (*Audio Recording, Supplement*)
- B. Board Committees (President Peterson, Committee Chairs)
 - 1. Committee Assignments
 - 2. Audit Committee Action Items
 - a. FY 2025 Audit Risk Assessment
 - b. FY 2025 Audit Plan
 - c. Completed Employer Audits
 - d. Internal Audit Results
 - 3. Policy Committee Meeting Minutes *June 12, 2024* (*Audio Recording, Supplement*)

- C. Legislative Planning (William Holahan, Nick Domitrovich)
 - 1. General Revisions Legislative Concepts
- D. Defined Contribution/Deferred Compensation Plans (*William Holahan, Hollie Resler*)
 - 1. Reducing Employer Contributions through 401(a) Forfeitures

Discussion items (10:45 – 11:05)

VIII. Discussion

- A. IT Systems Verbal Update (David Swenson)
- B. Budget Review (Hollie Resler)
- C. Investments Verbal Update (Maggie Peterson)
- D. Executive Director Verbal Update (William Holahan)

Informational items (11:05-11:10)

IX. Updates

A. Board Meeting – October 3; EIAC Meeting – October 24; SAVA Meeting – September 5; LFC Meeting – September 19

11:20 am CLOSED MEETING

Action items (11:20-12:30)

- I. Consent Agenda (President Peterson)
 - A. Closed Meeting Minutes June 13, 2024
 - B. Special Board Meeting Minutes June 12, 2024
 - C. Disability Report
 - 1. PERS S.B. (non-duty system)
 - 2. PERS M.B. (non-duty system)
 - 3. MPORS J.M. (non-duty system)
 - 4. MPORS T.L. (non-duty system)
 - D. Finalized Service Retirements/Death Benefits
- II. Disability Denials (Nick Domitrovich)

A. SRS - B.W.

III. Contested Cases

- A. Informal Consideration, PERS C.Q. (Nick Domitrovich)
- B. Informal Consideration, PERS P.D. (*Nick Domitrovich*)

12:30 pm PROJECTED ADJOURNMENT

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