

Subject	Feedback on Member Training	Status	For Publication
Report to	Local Pension Board	Date	23 rd July 2020
Report of	Clerk		
Equality Impact Assessment	Not Required	Attached	No
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1 **Purpose of the Report**

- 1.1 To provide members of the Board with the opportunity to provide feedback on recent training activity.
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2 **Recommendations**

- 2.1 Members are recommended to:
- a. Note the feedback provided on recent learning and development activity.**
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3 **Link to Corporate Objectives**

- 3.1 This report links to the delivery of the following corporate objectives:
Effective and Transparent Governance

To uphold effective governance showing prudence and propriety at all times.

Members of the Board are under a regulatory obligation to maintain their knowledge and understanding of LGPS and other pension related issues and a report of this sort allows progress in this area to be demonstrated with appropriate transparency.

4 **Implications for the Corporate Risk Register**

- 4.1 This report addresses the identified risk related to the effective operation of the Board.

5 **Background and Options**

- 5.1 It is good practice to reflect on learning and development activity undertaken, and also for members of the Board to share learning from specific events with those members of the Board who are unable to attend. This report provides a vehicle for that reflection and sharing.

- 5.2 The “lockdown” in response to the Covid-19 pandemic has, perhaps counter-intuitively, provided increased access to externally delivered learning and development opportunities as a result of much more of the activity being delivered on-line.
- 5.3 Members of the Board have been made aware of a number of specific free events through the regular updates including the webinar series that replaced the PLSA’s annual Local Government Conference. In addition two members of the Board attended the CIPFA/Barnett Wadingham Spring Event for Local Pension Board members. In addition an internal seminar focussed on property investment was run twice during the first part of this municipal year.
- 5.4 Members are invited to provide feedback on and share learning from their recent learning and development activity

6 Implications

6.1 The proposals outlined in this report have the following implications:

Financial	None directly. The Board has an appropriate budget for training based on previous levels of demand.
Human Resources	None directly
ICT	None directly
Legal	Members of the Board are obliged by the relevant regulations to maintain an appropriate and up to date level of knowledge and understanding of both LGPS and pension issues more generally.
Procurement	None directly

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Background Papers	
Document	Place of Inspection