Dyfed Pension Fund									
Budget Monitoring									
				1s	st April 2017 - 28t	h February 2018			
	Budget Type	Actual 2016-17	Budget 2017-2018	Total income/ expenditure to date	Forecast Commitments	Actual income/ expenditure at year end	End of year variance		Assumptions/Comments
	Controllable / Non Controllable	£ '000 (a)	(b) £ '000	£ '000	£ '000 (d)	£ '000 (e)	£ '000 (f)	%	
Expenditure		(4)	(3)	(5)	(4)	(0)	(-)		
Benefits Payable	Both	71,900	72,201	66,571	6,108	72,679	478	0.7	
Pensions Payable	Controllable	57,025	59,201	54,326	4,938	59,264	63		2.5% additional budget includes new pensioners and pension increase. Forecast increase now estimated at
Commutation and lump sum retirement benefits	Non Controllable	13,041	11,500	10,993	1,000	11,993	493		2.5%. Forecast based on activity to date
Lump sum death benefits	Non Controllable	1,834	1,500	1,252	170	1,422	-78		Forecast based on activity to date
Payments to and account of leavers	Non Controllable	3,452	4,100	1,881	160	2,041	-2,059	-50.2	Forecast based on activity to date
Management Expenses		5,531	6,199	5,371	1,171	6,542	343	5.5	
Computer Software	Controllable	205	300	526	-280	246	-54		
Printing charges	Controllable Controllable	21 76	25 71	11 60	4 4	15 64	-10 -7		
Subscriptions, Legal fees, Conf Exps, Med Exps	Controllable	76	7 1	60	4	04	-1		
Fund Managers BlackRock	Controllable	1,085	1,360	1,085	380	1,465	105		The US and Corporate Bond which are actively managed have performed well over a rolling 3 years. This has resulted in higher than budgeted Performance fees.
Baillie Gifford	Controllable	980	1,040	897	315	1,212	172		Quarterly fee projected based on December 17 invoices
Columbia Threadneedle	Controllable	860	900	724	245	969	69		Quarterly fee projected based on December 17 invoices
Schroders	Controllable	469	480	363	125	488	8		Quarterly fee projected based on December 17 invoices
Partners Group Custodian	Controllable	599	700	557	190	747	47		Quarterly fee projected based on December 17 invoices
Northern Trust	Controllable	50	56	22	8	30	-26		Pooled funds results in lower transactional activity through the Custodian.
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Mercer Performance Manager	Controllable	90	68	47	30	77	9		
National Framework Providers Independent Advisor	Controllable	4	20	1	31	32	12		Northern Trust selected as the Performance provider. £20k fees for 17-18 which includes backloading data to
E. Lambert Other	Controllable	19	19	26	5	31	12		£10k Strategic Asset Allocation work.
Euraplan, LSE, Pension Board	Controllable	26	21	26	3	29	8		£5k included for Pension Board Insurance
All Wales Pooling	Controllable	89	100	49	50	99	-1		
Central recharges	Non Controllable	929	1,010	956	54	1,010	0		
Audit fees	Controllable	29	29	21	7	28	-1		
Total Expenditure		80,883	82,500	73,823	7,439	81,262	-1,238		
<u>Income</u>									
Contributions									
Employer	Controllable	-47,261	-48,187	-42,658	-6,036	-48,694	-507	1.1	2017-18 budget based on January 17 contributions including 1% pay increase and amendments to contribution rates and past service deficit amounts as per valuation results
Member	Controllable	-17,815	-17,823	-15,129	-3,002	-18,131	-308	1.7	2017-18 budget based on January 17 contributions including 1% pay increase and amendments to
									contribution rates and past service deficit amounts as per valuation results
Investment Income	Controllable	-18,595	-16,166	-11,567	-8,498	-20,065	-3,899	24.1	Investment Income based on actuals and commitments to maintain a cash neutral position ensuring expenditure is covered. Budget was based on historic dividend income.
Other Income	Controllable	-58	-60	-4	0	-4	56	-93.2	3rd Party Provider invoices now raised through Pensions Administration budget within Carmarthenshire's accounts.
Transfers in from other pension funds	Non Controllable	-1,889	-2,000	-1,171	-150	-1,321	679	-34.0	
Total Income		-85,618	-84,236	-70,529	-17,686	-88,215	-3,979		
Cash Transfer to Fund Managers	Cash	2,500	0	6,900	0	6,900	6,900		£5m BlackRock and £1.9m Partners Group
Net Total of Cash Related Items		-2,235	-1,736	10,194	-10,247	-53	1,683		Maintaining a cash neutral position by calling sufficient cash to cover expenditure.
Indirect Transactional Management Fees	Non Cash	1,898	650	0	1,500	1,500	850		New CIPFA Management cost guidance. Estimate based on 16-17 with a reduction due to the move from segregated passive to pooled funds
Investment Income	Non Cash	-12,866	-8,150	-1,563	-1,705	-3,268	4,882	-59.9	Schroders income now paid out as cash rather than re-invested.
Realised gain/loss	Non Cash	-52,245	-50,000	-136,811	0	-136,811	-86,811	173.6	Realised gains from the passive portfolio transition from segregated to pooled in April 17.
Net Total of Non-Cash Related Items	-	-63,213	-57,500	-138,374	-205	-138,579	-81,079		