

WALES PENSION PARTNERSHIP JOINT GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

DATE 8 JULY 2022

SUBJECT

HOST AUTHORITY UPDATE

RECOMMENDATIONS / KEY DECISIONS REQUIRED:

To receive an update from the host authority

REASONS:

The host authority to provide a progress update in relation to the following key areas:

- Governance
- Ongoing establishment
- Operator services
- Communications and reporting
- Training and meetings
- Resources, budget and fees

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY JOINT GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

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BRIEF SUMMARY OF PURPOSE OF REPORT

The WPP Business Plan for 2021/22 was approved by the JGC on 24 March 2021. A Quarter 4 (1 January to 31 March 2022) update is attached showing WPP's progress in relation to the Workplan, Budget and Investments sections.

Work has continued to be developed in a number of key areas, including:

- Completing the 2021/22 year-end closure of accounts
- New policies and policy reviews
- Private Markets Allocator procurement process
- OWG Sub-Groups:
 - Private Markets sub-group
 - Responsible Investment sub-group
 - o Risk Register sub-group

Next Steps / Priorities:

- Development of Private Markets Sub-Funds:
 - March 2022 to December 2022 Private Debt and Infrastructure sub funds to be developed, approved and launched
 - o 21 September 2022 JGC to approve Private Equity Allocator appointment
- Operator contract procurement process
 - o Existing contract coming to an end in December 2024
 - Started discussions with Burges Salmon re legal requirements
 - Put a timeline in place
- Formulate the 2021/22 Annual Update and Annual Report
- Launch of the Active Sustainable Equity Sub-fund

Other key areas:

- Training training sessions continue to be undertaken virtually
- Website the website continues to be updated with relevant news and publications

DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED?	YES
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IMPLICATIONS

Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities	Legal	Finance	Risk Management Issues	Staffing Implications				
YES	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE				
Policy								
Policy and proced	Policy and procedure documents will be formal documents for the Wales Pension Partnership.							

CONSULTATIONS

Details of any consultations undertaken are to be included here

Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information List of Background Papers used in the preparation of this report: THESE ARE DETAILED BELOW				
at the papers are available for ction/WEBSITE LINK				