# Agenda Tampa Fire & Police Pension Board

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- 1. Approval of the minutes of the June 21, 2023 regular board meeting.
- 2. Approval of the minutes of the June 21, 2023 Investment/Steering committee meeting.

Consent Agenda: Items on the consent agenda shall be acted upon in one motion. If an item requires additional discussion, that item shall be removed from the consent agenda for discussion. [Items 3 - 18]

- 3. Ratification of pension benefits.
- 4. Approve billing for services rendered by Klausner, Kaufman, Jensen & Levinson during June 2023:

a. General counsel: \$5,800.00

c. Whitter: \$880.00

b. Artz: \$360.00

d. Sanzone: \$1,810.00

5. Approve billing for services rendered by Klausner, Kaufman, Jensen & Levinson during July 2023:

a. General counsel: \$2,690.00

c. Whitter: \$1,210.00

b. Artz: \$80.00

- d. Sanzone: \$950.00
- 6. Approve billing for services rendered by Klausner, Kaufman, Jensen & Levinson during August 2023:

a. General counsel: \$5.317.00

c. Sanzone: \$630.00

b. Charles: \$275.00

- 7. Approve 112.664 Compliance Report prepared by the Fund's actuary for fiscal year ending 09/30/2022.
- 8. Approve Staff Pension Plan 112.664 Compliance Report prepared by the Fund's actuary for fiscal year ending 09/30/2021.
- 9. Approve GASB 68 Disclosures prepared by Foster & Foster for fiscal year ending 09/30/2023.
- 10. Note receipt of independent performance measurement report prepared by IPS for the quarter ended 06/30/2023.
- 11. Note receipt of email from the Division of Retirement approving the Fund's annual report, dated 07/26/2023.
- 12. Note receipt of letters from the Division of Retirement regarding the state premium tax money dated 08/14/2023.
  - a. Spreadsheet reflecting historical Chapter 175/185 state premium tax money received, including this year's receipt of \$10,576,095.74, an increase of \$2,367,840.61, or +28.85%, over the prior year.

- 13. Note receipt of memo from the Division of Retirement regarding implementation of HB3, dated 09/15/2023.
- 14. Note receipt of Disability Process Timeline of disabilities in process as of 09/19/2023.
- 15. Admit Tampa Police Department new hires to pension fund effective 07/24/2023, contingent upon 1) furnishing a list of all medical providers and authorizations to obtain such medical records and 2) passing a complete medical examination:

Funchess-Glisson, Terrance Alvarez-Garcia, Angel Monani, Michael Brown, Antonio Garcia Ferrer, Talia Rivera, MarcAnthony Chavez-Baldini, Dominick Giglio, Marcus Santana, Shaylin Schloer, Brett Gonzalez, Eric Dorvilus, Noubenson Hackett, Trae Velez, Austin Euler, Jeni Hadsell, Dakota Fellows, Philip Vogel, Austin Ferreras, Alejandro Zimmerman, Jason Henderson, Joseph Fox, Travis Hopkins, Landen

16. Admit Tampa Fire Rescue new hires to pension fund effective 08/07/2023, contingent upon 1) furnishing a list of all medical providers and authorizations to obtain such medical records and 2) passing a complete medical examination:

Culbreath, Hunter O'Grady, Patrick Valencia, Luis Diaz, Javier Rivers, Maliek Walker, Riley

Dyer, Brandon Schaer, Nathan Martinez, Angel-Emmanuel Shone, Christopher

- 17. Note receipt of Police Trustee Election notice dated 09/12/2023. Qualification deadline is 09/26/2023, election date is 10/10/2023. [Trustee P. Messmer's term is expiring 10/31/2023.]
- 18. Note receipt of Firefighter Trustee Election notice dated 09/19/2023. Qualification deadline is 10/03/2023, election date is 10/17/2023. [Trustee J. Stock's term is expiring 10/31/2023.]
- 19. <u>Investment Management Presentation</u> by Jay Bowen of Bowen, Hanes & Co. Inc. Note receipt of the following:
  - a. Investment management report for the month ended 06/30/2023. Market value of *investments* was \$2,588,129,585.70, with an investment return of +21.2% on the total portfolio.
  - b. Investment management report for the month ended 07/31/2023. Market value of *investments* was \$2,635,263,654.27, with an investment return of +23.9% on the total portfolio.
  - c. Investment management report for the month ended 08/31/2023. Market value of *investments* was \$2,610,661,027.73, with an investment return of +22.8% on the total portfolio.
  - d. Investment Summary written by Jay Bowen, dated 07/03/2023.
  - e. Bond portfolio information and recommendation to hold.
  - f. Proxies voted during quarter ended 06/30/2023.
  - g. "A Winning Bet for Pension Funds Goes Cold" article dated 07/25/2023.
  - h. Addendum to be distributed at the meeting.

## **Medical Disability**

- 20. Informal hearing for LOD disability applicant G. Thomas, TFR. Note receipt of disability application, qualifying letter, notice of injury reports, pre-employment physical, job description, sample letter to Medical Board, Medical Board reports, Medical Director's summary, medical records, and other documents related to the case.
- 21. Informal hearing for LOD disability applicant L. Bunn, TPD. Note receipt of disability application, qualifying letter, notice of injury reports, pre-employment physical, job description, sample letter to Medical Board, Medical Board reports, Medical Director's summary, medical records, and other documents related to the case.
- 22. Rescheduling of Formal Hearing for disability applicant T. Vidovic, formerly of TFR.
- 23. Scheduling of Formal Hearing for disability applicant T. Smith, formerly of TPD. Deadline to hold formal hearing is 05/11/2024.
- 24. <u>Financial Reporting Presentation</u> by Mark Lenker, CPA of Nobles, Decker, Lenker & Cardoso. Financial statements prepared by Mr. Lenker:
  - a. Month ended 03/31/2023 market value of assets was \$2,444,646,291.82
  - b. Month ended 04/30/2023 market value of assets was \$2,453,058,073.90
  - c. Month ended 05/31/2023 market value of assets was \$2,435,141,482.64
  - d. Month ended 06/30/2023 market value of assets was \$2,607,132,837.52
  - e. Month ended 07/31/2023 market value of assets was \$2,655,347,885.38
  - f. Month ended 08/31/2023 market value of assets was \$2,633,171,500.11

### Old Business

- 25. Investment/Steering committee.
  - a. Policy 702 Investment Policy redline
  - b. Policy 703 Securities Litigation Policy new draft
- 26. Committee #3.

## New Business

- 27. Note receipt of listing of upcoming conferences. Disclosure of planned attendance, if any.
- 28. Approval of Staff Pension Plan actuarial valuation report for fiscal year ending 09/30/2022.
- 29. Discussion on draft administrative expense budget.
- 30. Chair's call for any new business items from trustees to be placed on next agenda.
- 31. Chair's report.
- 32. Plan Administration: workshops, fiscal year end, request from Tampa Retired Firefighters Association
- 33. Attorney's report.

<u>Litigation Report</u> – Update by attorney, if any. [Items 22 - 26]

34. Artz Lawsuit 2<sup>nd</sup> District Court of Appeals Case No. 2D15-1342 Hillsborough County Circuit Court Case No.07-012048

Timisoorough County Circuit Court Case No.07-012046

a. Final Order and Judgment Granting Board of Trustees... Motion for Attorneys' Fees, dated 07/05/2023.

35. Appel Petition for Writ of Certiorari 2<sup>nd</sup> District Court of Appeals Case No. 2D18-4443

Hillsborough County Circuit Court Case No.17-CA-10758

36. Charles Petition for Writ of Certiorari Hillsborough County Circuit Court Case No.22-CA-010538

37. Whitter Petition for Writ of Certiorari Hillsborough County Circuit Court Case No. 22-CA-10495

38. Sanzone Small Claims Lawsuit Hillsborough County Circuit Court Case No.23-CC-019963

<u>Securities Litigation Report</u> – Update by attorney, if any. [Item 27]

39. Generac United States District Court Case No. 2:22-cv-01436-BHL

United States District Court Case No. 2:23-cv-00081-BHL

a. Litigation report for Q2 2023.

b. Consolidated Complaint for Violations of the Federal Securities Laws, dated 07/31/2023.

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2023 Board meeting schedule – meetings begin at 9:30 a.m.

October 25, 2023 November <u>15</u>, 2023 – early due to holidays December <u>13</u>, 2023 – early due to holidays