

From: Chairman Superannuation Fund Committee  
Corporate Director of Finance

To: Superannuation Fund Committee – 13 November 2020

Subject: Committee Member Training

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**Summary:**

To update the Committee on the results of the National Knowledge Assessment survey

**Recommendation:**

**The Committee is recommended to note the results of the survey and next steps**

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**1. Introduction**

- 1.1 Thank you to the 7 Committee members who responded to the National Knowledge Assessment Survey run by Hymans Robertson. This survey finally closed at the end of May and a copy of the results for the Kent Fund is attached at appendix 1.
- 1.2 In their report Hymans have highlighted that for Committee members procurement and financial markets have the highest levels of knowledge, but that the areas to focus any specific training on might be actuarial methods, administration, as well as the role of the Committee and Pensions Legislation.

**2. Next Steps**

- 2.1 Barnett Waddingham has been engaged to undertake the review of the Governance of the Pension Fund. In addition to completing this review they will be asked to follow up on the results of the survey and to provide training to members over the coming months.

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