

# City and County of San Francisco Employees' Retirement System

# RETIREMENT BOARD MEETING CALENDAR

# Wednesday, November 13, 2019

1145 Market Street, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor San Francisco, CA 94103 1:00 p.m.

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#### **OPENING CALENDAR**

- 1. Pledge of Allegiance
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. 111319-03 Action Item CLOSED SESSION

Public comment.

Possible Recommendation and/or Action on Sale and Purchase of Particular, Specific Pension Fund Investment under California Government Code Section 54956.81 (4 investments).

Enter closed session.

Return to open session.

**Action:** Vote whether to disclose discussions held in closed session under San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.12(a).

#### 4. 111319-04

#### General Public Comment - Not earlier than 2:30 PM

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5. 111319-05 Action Item Approval of the Minutes of the October 9, 2019 Meeting

Documents provided to the Retirement Board prior to the current meeting: Draft Minutes of the October 9, 2019 Retirement Board Meeting

**Action:** Approve Minutes of the October 9, 2019 Retirement Board Meeting.

# **CONSENT CALENDAR**

All matters listed hereunder constitute a Consent Calendar, are considered to be routine by the Retirement Board and will be acted upon by a single vote of the Retirement Board. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a member of the Retirement Board so requests, in which event the matter shall be removed from the Consent Calendar and considered as a separate item.

6.	111319-06	Action Item	Consent Calendar
	111319-06b	Action Item	Voluntary Retirement Board List No. 5-19
	111319-06c	Action Item	Decisions of Hearing Officers
	Irma Aceves Effective Date: PERS	8306 Senior Deputy Sheriff Sheriff	Cal-PERS - Disability Retirement Certified
	Robert J. Biernat Effective Date: 4/11/18	Q4 Police Officer III Police	Industrial Disability Retirement Granted
	Yolanda C. Clifton Effective Date: 9/1/13 Richard C. Hooper Effective Date: 2/25/17	9110 Fare Collections Receiver MTA 2320 Registered Nurse DPH-SFGH	Ordinary Disability Retirement Denied Ordinary Disability Retirement Granted
	Gimli L. Klein Effective Date: 7/1/17	8202 Security Guard Sheriff	Ordinary Disability Retirement Granted
	James E. Mellberg Effective Date: 9/1/17	H2 Firefighter (H20 Acting) Fire	Industrial Disability Retirement Granted
	Rachelle D. Shannon Effective Date: 11/25/17	8238 Public Safety Comm. Dispatcher Emergency	Ordinary Disability Retirement Granted
	Rizaldy T. Tabada Effective Date: PERS	8304 Deputy Sheriff Sheriff	Cal-PERS - Disability Retirement Certified
	Salvatore Taormina Effective Date: 6/14/17	H33 Captain, Emergency Med Svcs Fire	Industrial Disability Retirement Granted

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111319-06d

**Action Item** 

**Travel Requests** 

Request travel approval for Commissioner Joseph Driscoll to attend Strategic Decisions Group's Decision Science for Data Science Leaders Course, December 3-4, 2019, Santa Clara, CA.

111319-06e

**Discussion Item** 

Retirement Board Member Reports and Comments

Action: This is a discussion only item.

Documents provided to the Retirement Board prior to the current meeting: Voluntary Retirement Board List, Hearing Officer Decisions, Travel Request.

**Action:** Approve Consent Calendar.

# **INVESTMENT CALENDAR**

**7.** 111319-07

**Action Item** 

**Recommendation to Hire NEPC as General Investment** 

Consultant

Documents provided to the Retirement Board prior to the current meeting: Staff Memorandum

Action: Approve Recommendation that NEPC be retained as SFERS' investment consultant.

**8.** 111319-08

**Action Item** 

Consideration and adoption of amendments to the Environmental, Social, and Governance Procedures (ESG) for the San Francisco City and County Employees' Retirement System

Documents provided to the Retirement Board prior to the current meeting: Staff Memorandum, Draft Environmental, Social, and Governance Procedures (ESG) for the San Francisco City and County Employees' Retirement System

**Action:** Approve the recommended amendments to the "Environmental, Social, and Governance Procedures (ESG) for the San Francisco City and County Employees' Retirement System."

9. 111319-09

Discussion Item

**Chief Investment Officer Report** 

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Documents provided to the Retirement Board prior to the current meeting: CIO Report

Action: This is a discussion only item.

# **DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN CALENDAR**

10. 111319-10 Discussion Item SFDCP Committee Report

Documents provided to the Retirement Board prior to the current meeting: Deferred Compensation Committee Report for September 17, 2019

**Action:** This is a discussion only item.

11. 111319-11 Discussion Item SFDCP Quarterly Manager Report

Documents provided to the Retirement Board prior to the current meeting: SFDCP Manager Memorandum, Quarterly Activity Report and SFDCP 2019 Seminar Results

Action: This is a discussion only item.

#### **ADMINISTRATION CALENDAR**

12. 111319-12 Discussion Item Travel Expense Report for the Quarter Ended September 30, 2019

Documents provided to the Retirement Board prior to the current meeting: Travel Expense Report for the Quarter Ended September 30, 2019

**Action:** This is a discussion only item.

13. 111319-13 Action Item Review and Approval of Request for Proposals for Actuarial Consulting Services

Documents provided to the Retirement Board prior to the current meeting: Staff Memorandum, Draft Request for Proposals for Actuarial Consulting Services

**Action:** Approve the Request for Proposals for Actuarial Consulting Services.

# 14. 111319-14 Discussion Item Executive Director's Report

Documents provided to the Retirement Board prior to the current meeting: Executive Director's Report

# Administrative Update:

- > SFERS Operations Management Dashboard September 2019
- > Briefing on Carroll v. City and County of San Francisco

#### Attachments:

- SFERS Operations Management Dashboard September 2019
- Carroll v. City and County of San Francisco materials
- Retirement Board Forward Calendar for November 2019 to January 2020
- Request for Proposal in Progress Blackout Period
- Public Retirement Conferences and Training Programs for SFERS Trustees Nossaman LLP
- The Cortex Report Conferences and Training Events listing

**Action:** This is a discussion only item.

# 15. 111319-15 Discussion Item Retirement Board Member Good of the Order

Retirement Board members may request that any matter be calendared at a future meeting. All such requests shall be calendared in a reasonable time. (Board Operations Policy ¶24.) The Board will not discuss any items requested to be calendared until a subsequent meeting when the matter is included on the agenda with the required public notice.

**Action:** This is a discussion only item.

16. 111319-16 Adjournment