



Pensions In Partnership

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SPF Committee

The committee had its quarterly meeting on 4th September. As well as approving the audited annual report, the committee approved:

- 2 x £50m investments in UK social and energy efficiency infrastructure with investment manager Equitix;
- A further review of climate related risks and opportunities; and
- A deadline of 31st March 2021 for all employers to adopt the SPF data management solution *i-connect*.

Fund value as at 31st July was £23.2 billion (£22.7 billion at end June).

2019 Annual Report

Our 2019 annual report and audited accounts are now available together with Audit Scotland's Annual Audit Report.

Annual Benefit Statements

During August we issued Annual Benefit Statements and *Fundnews* to all employee members – close to 100,000 in total.

Employer Forum

Our next 6-monthly Employer Forum for **non-local authorities** will be held in our offices on Thursday 3rd October.

We will hold 2 sessions at 10am and 2pm.

Please email:

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by Friday 13th September if you wish to attend, stating your preferred session.

Scottish LGPS – Board Vacancy

There is a vacancy on the Scottish LGPS Scheme Advisory Board (see: <https://lgpsab.scot/>) for a member to represent the interests of 3rd sector and charitable employers in the scheme. Anyone interested should contact Kimberly Linge, Policy Manager at SPPA.

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For Reference

LGPC has published [Bulletin 188](#).

This bulletin contains a number of updates for LGPS administering authorities, scheme employers and software providers, whilst also providing a general update for all stakeholders.

Note that 188 contains nothing of immediate concern for the scheme in Scotland.