# AMENDED OAKLAND COUNTY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT AND DEFERRED COMPENSATION BOARD INVESTMENT SUB-COMMITTEE MINUTES

A meeting of the Oakland County Employees' Retirement and Deferred Compensation Board Investment Sub-Committee was held on October 18, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. in the Pernick Aaron Conference Room of the Board of Commissioners building.

## I. Call to Order/ Roll Call

Members Present:

James VanLeuven, Jeffrey Phelps, Robert Wittenberg

Members Absent

With Notice: Joseph Rozell

Others Present:

Carly Webster, Human Resources Kelly Pena, Human Resources Ambria Ellis, Human Resources

Chris Kuhn, AndCo Peter Brown, AndCo Ben Baldridge, AndCo

#### II. Approval of the Agenda

A. Moved by Wittenberg, seconded Van Leuven to approve the agenda as submitted. Motion carried.

## III. Public Comment

None

## IV. Regular Agenda

## V. Reports

- A. Jerry Moffitt and Michael Vandenbossche of Boyd Watterson presented on Intermediate Fixed Income Strategies. Discussion followed.
- B. Raymond Caprio and Mark Anderson of National Investment Services presented on Intermediate Fixed Income Strategies. Discussion followed.

Moved by Van Leuven, seconded by Wittenberg to recommend to the full board to enter into agreement with Boyd Watterson and National Investment Services (NIS) to provide Intermediate Fixed Income investment management services for a 3% allocation (each) of the Oakland County VEBA Fund, to be funded overtime and subject to legal review. Motion carried.

C. Ben Baldridge of AndCo Consulting presented the Distressed Manager Search report and provided comments summarizing highlights contained in the report. Discussion followed.

Moved by Van Leuven, seconded by Wittenberg to interview Marathon Asset Management, L.P. and Strategic Value Partners, LLC to provide Distressed Fixed Income investment management services for the Oakland County Employees' Retirement System and VEBA Funds. Motion carried.

D. Chris Kuhn of AndCo Consulting presented the Asset/Manager Summary – October 21, 2023, and provided comments summarizing highlights contained in the report. Discussion followed.

Moved by Wittenberg, seconded by Van Leuven to recommend to the full board the new target allocations for small/mid-cap as presented by AndCo on the Asset/Manager Summary for both the OCERS and VEBA Funds. Motion carried.

VI. Unfinished Business

None

- VII. New Business
- VIII. Trustee Comment
  - A. Vice-Chairperson Phelps noted the next meeting of this Board will be Thursday, November 16, 2023, at 10am in the Waterford Room of the Executive Office Building.
  - B. Vice-Chairperson Phelps adjourned the meeting without objection at 1:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Zeff Phelos Vice-Chairperson

Carly Webster, Secretary