# Non-Executive Cover Report of the:

#### **Pension Board**

Monday, 16 September 2024

TOWER HAMLETS

Classification:

Open (Unrestricted)

Report of: Julie Lorraine, Corporate Director, Resources

Cover Report of:

**Employer Engagement and Communications Report** 

Originating Officer(s)	Paul Audu, Head of Pensions and Treasury (Interim)
Wards affected	All

#### Reasons for urgency

The report was not published five clear days in advance of the meeting. Therefore, before this item can be considered at this meeting, the Chair of the Board would need to be satisfied that it is necessary to consider Employer Engagement and Communications Report at this meeting, the Board may also take the view that it is important that there should not be an extended period without any member oversight.

# **Executive Summary**

This report updates the Pensions Committee on Employer engagement and communications from the Fund.

#### **Recommendations:**

The Pensions Committee is recommended to:

- 1. Note the content of this report.
- Agree officers' proposal to hold a Pension Fund Information Forum for scheme employers and members in January 2025, at TH Town Hall, date and the event agenda to be agreed with the Fund Actuary and Investment Consultant.
- Note that officers will provide an update on the proposed Forum planning including a draft agenda to the Committee in November for consideration and, if satisfied, approval.

# 1. DETAILS OF THE REPORT

This is the report to be considered by the Pensions Committee on 30 September 2024. The report summary and recommendations are highlighted above. Please refer to the Committee report for full details of the report and any appendices.

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