THE BOARD OF PENSIONS AND RETIREMENT INVESTMENT COMMITTEE MEETING June 22nd, 2017

There being a quorum, Rob Dubow, Board Chair, called the Investment Committee Meeting to order at 10:08 a.m., in the Board Conference Room, 2 Penn Center Plaza, 16th Floor.

Present:

Rob Dubow, Finance Director Ronald Stagliano, Vice Chair, Trustee Marsha Greene Jones, Alternate, Deputy Director of Human Resources Alan Butkovitz, Esquire, City Controller Francois Dutchie, Esquire, Alternate, Divisional Deputy City Solicitor Carol G. Stukes-Baylor, Trustee Veronica M. Pankey, Trustee Brian Coughlin, Trustee Matt Stitt, City Council Appointee Francis X. Bielli, Esquire, Executive Director Christopher DiFusco, Esquire, Chief Investment Officer Bernard J. Buckley Jr., Deputy Chief Investment Officer James Cousounis, Chief Compliance Officer Dominique A. Cherry, Senior Investment Officer Tyrone Jordan, Senior Investment Officer Kristyn Bair, Senior Investment Analyst Eryn-Ashlei Bailey, Investment Officer

Also Attending:

Paula Weiss, Esquire, Alternate, Deputy, Office of the Chief Administrative Officer William Rubin, Alternate, First Deputy City Controller Ellen Berkowitz, Esquire, Senior Attorney Adam Coleman, Esquire, Assistant City Solicitor Lavonia Jenkins, Administrative Technician Erica Marable, Clerk Typist II Jeff George, City Council Robert McDermott, Assistant to Matt Stitt Bradley Nyce, Nationwide Kweku Obed, Marquette Jesus Jimenez, Marquette David Smith, Marquette Bina Kumar, Nationwide Emanuel Mahand, Nationwide James Stretch, Nationwide Craig Shechter, Nationwide Dave Myers, Nationwide

Erwin Gant, Sturdivant & Co. Pam McCue, Finance Investment News

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Agenda Item #1 - Approval of the Minutes of May 18th, 2017

Mr. Dubow requested approval of the Minutes for May 18th, 2017. Mr. Stagliano made the motion. Mr. Coughlin seconded. The motion passed.

Executive Session

The Board entered Executive Session to discuss legal matters at 10:08 a.m.

The Board exited Executive Session at 10:56 a.m.

Agenda Item #2 - Flash Report for the Period ending May 2017

Mr. DiFusco presented the performance reports. Mr. Obed presented update on asset allocation.

Mr. Bielli added the Board's actions over the past year have improved the Fund's performance and decreased the fees paid.

Mr. Dubow asked for any questions. There were none.

Agenda Item #3 – 1Q17 Directed Commissions Report

Mr. DiFusco presented the reports.

Mr. Dubow asked for any questions. There were none.

Agenda Item #4 – Investment Staff's Report

Mr. DiFusco presented the reports.

The dates for upcoming Board meetings are July 20th, August 24th and September 28th, 2017.

Mr. Dubow asked if there were any questions. There were none.

At 11:10 a.m., Mr. Dubow requested a motion to adjourn the Investment Committee Meeting. Mr. Stagliano made the motion. Mr. Coughlin seconded. The motion passed.

At 11:10 a.m., Mr. Dubow convened the Board of Pensions and Retirement Meeting to affirm the actions taken at the Deferred Compensation Plan Committee Meeting and the Investment Committee Meeting. Mr. Stagliano made the motion. Mr. Coughlin seconded. The motion passed.

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Mr. Dubow asked if there was any new business.

Mr. Stagliano inquired about a pension calculator being added to the website which he suggested would be a great asset to members.

Mr. Bielli said that in recent meetings with Nationwide they indicated they planned updates to the site and a pension calculator may be added in the future.

At 11:13 a.m., Mr. Dubow requested a motion to adjourn the Board of Pensions and Retirement Meeting. Mr. Stagliano made the motion. Mr. Dutchie seconded. The motion passed.

The Investment Committee of the Board of Pensions and Retirement approved the Minutes on

Rob Dubow
Finance Director
Chair, Board of Pensions and Retirement

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