

**City of Creve Coeur  
Employee Pension Fund Board of Trustees  
Meeting Minutes**

**Administrative Conference Room**  
**Thursday, November 5, 2015**  
**5:30 p.m.**

Members Present: Kelly Sullivan, Chairman David Caldwell  
Jon McIntosh Steve Unser  
Michael Neal Ellen Lawrence, Council Liaison

Members Absent: Larry Potashnick

Also Present: John Hefe, Fiduciary Advisors  
Debbie Loso, Finance Manager  
Doug Koester, Commerce Bank

## Call Meeting to Order

Vice-chairman Caldwell called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m.

Chairman Sullivan arrived at 5:40 p.m. and chaired the rest of the meeting.

## Meeting Minutes

Comments and/or corrections were requested for the August 5, 2015 minutes. There was one comment by Mr. Caldwell. Mr. Neal motioned to approve the meeting minutes. Mr. Unser seconded the motion, all present voted aye, motion passed.

## Quarterly Reports

Commerce Bank

Mr. Koester gave the presentation. He noted that per Mr. Potashnick's request the costs were separated. Most of the bonds in the fund are for a duration of 3-5 years. Fixed income was close in comparison with the Barclays Aggregate. Economic outlook indicates into the last quarter of 2015 longer-term yields could go somewhat higher but should not raise too quickly.

## Fiduciary Advisors

Mr. Grizzle gave the presentation. As of October 30, 2015 the allocations were 65% Equity, 29% Money Market/Fixed Income and 6% in Alternatives. For the quarter the total portfolio was down 2.6%. Vice-chairman Caldwell asked about the cash flow and was told that contributions were made by the city every quarter. Mr. Caldwell commented that he thought monthly contributions would be more efficient.

## Pension Audit

It was before the Board to approve Hochschild Bloom to do the pension audit for the year ended June 30, 2015. Mr. Caldwell motioned to approve Hochschild Bloom to perform the FY 2015 pension audit. Mr. Neal seconded the motion, all present voted aye, motion passed.

Ms. Lawrence left the meeting at 6:55 p.m.

**Other Business**

Chairman Sullivan suggested for the next meeting to discuss the City making monthly contributions. Also, discussion of the band for rebalancing.

**Invoices Paid**

Copies of invoices paid since the August 5, 2015 meeting were provided to the Board for their information.

**Retirements**

There was one retirement since the August 5, 2015 meeting. That information was given to the Board for their information.

**Adjournment**

Mr. Neal motioned to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Unser seconded the motion, all present voted aye, motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

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