MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING BENEFITS ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION LOS ANGELES CITY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

LACERS Boardroom 202 West First Street, Suite 500 Los Angeles, California

Agenda of: <u>July 19, 2018</u>

Item No:

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May 22, 2018

9:03 a.m.

PRESENT:

Chairperson:

Michael R. Wilkinson

Committee Members:

Cynthia M. Ruiz Nilza R. Serrano

Manager-Secretary:

Neil M. Guglielmo

Executive Assistant:

Ani Ghoukassian

Legal Counselor:

James Napier

The Items in the Minutes are numbered to correspond with the Agenda.

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PUBLIC COMMENTS ON MATTERS WITHIN THE COMMITTEE'S JURISDICTION – Chairperson Wilkinson asked if any persons wished to speak, to which there was no response and no public comment cards were received.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR BENEFITS ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE MEETING OF APRIL 24, 2018 AND POSSIBLE COMMITTEE ACTION – A Motion to approve the Minutes as presented was moved by Committee Member Ruiz, seconded by Committee Member Serrano, and adopted by the following vote: Ayes, Chairperson Wilkinson, Committee Members Ruiz and Serrano –3; Nays, None.

Items IV and V taken out of order.

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VERBAL REPORT ON PRELIMINARY HEALTH PLAN CONTRACT RENEWALS – Alex Rabrenovich, Division Manager of Health Benefits Administration and Communications Division and Bordan Darm, from Keenan and Associates, discussed this item.

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OPERATIONAL UPDATE – Alex Rabrenovich, Division Manager of Health Benefits Administration and Communications Division reported on the following items:

- There are 160 Facebook members on the LACERS *Well* Facebook Group. He stated that they may expand the group to include active LACERS members.
- There were three LACERS Wellness Extravaganzas this year focusing on diabetes prevention and management.
- The MyLACERS member services site is being updated and upgraded in mid-June and letters will be mailed to members on how to access information and set-up their new account.

Chair Wilkinson recessed the Regular Meeting at 9:36 a.m., and reconvened the Regular Meeting at 9:42 a.m.

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PRESENTATION BY ANTHEM BLUE CROSS REGARDING PHARMACY COSTS – Michele Guilford, Account Executive, Jian-ya Lin, Pharmacist, David Pryor, MD, and Michael Kaplan, Pharmacist with Anthem Blue Cross discussed this item with the Committee. After discussion, the Committee thanked the Anthem Blue Cross representatives for the information.

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OTHER BUSINESS - There was no other business.

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NEXT MEETING: Chairperson Wilkinson announced that the next Benefits Administration Committee Meeting is not scheduled at this time, and will be announced upon scheduling.

VIII

ADJOURNMENT – There being no further business before the Committee, Chairperson Wilkinson adjourned the Meeting at 10:14 a.m.

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Michael R. Wilkinson Chairperson

Neil M. Guglielmø

Manager-Secretary