

# RFPORT

To: ONE Joint Investment Board

From: Judy Dezell, Co-President/CEO ONE Investment

Date: December 15, 2020 Re: 2021 Futures List

Report: 20-036

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the Board.

- 1) Approve the ONE JIB Futures List report.
- 2) Direct ONE Investment staff to use the results of the Board Governance Self-Evaluation Survey to identify additional topics for 2021 meetings and make appropriate revisions to the futures list.

#### 2. SUMMARY

- ONE Investment staff have been planning agendas for 2021 ONE JIB meetings.
- The ONE JIB Board Governance Self-Evaluation contains a question on members' priorities that will help shape ONE JIB's future agendas.

#### BACKGROUND

### ONE Investment is planning for 2021

ONE Investment, as the ONE JIB's service provider, has started to think about future work in 2021 and 2022 that will require staff support. This planning will enable ONE Investment to allocate the resources necessary to have robust reports for the ONE JIB on a timely basis. It will also ensure that ONE JIB meets both its regulatory obligations and the needs of participating municipalities. For full transparency, ONE Investment is providing a high-level futures list by quarter in 2021 for the ONE JIB to consider.

#### 4. ANALYSIS

# Good planning results in good governance practices

As ONE JIB evolves and matures, there will be agenda items that recur in specific quarters every year. For example, the first quarter will include year-end compliance and reporting, the third quarter will include mid-year compliance and reporting, and the fourth quarter will include planning for the next year. ONE JIB will need to regularly review the templates for core documents such as the Investment Policy Statement, Municipal Client Questionnaires and the Investment Plan. In addition, ONE JIB will

need to review its product offerings and investment managers. The Board will also need to update Investment Plans for current participating municipalities and approve Investment Plans for new participating municipalities. Appendix A provides a high-level snapshot of current plans for 2021.

#### The ONE JIB Self-Evaluation Survey is also going to inform work in 2021

One of the questions in the self-evaluation survey asks ONE JIB members for their views on potential priorities for 2021 and 2022. The results of the survey and the ensuing Board discussion will supplement the future agenda items in Appendix A.

## 5. CONCLUSION

ONE Investment is working to provide ONE JIB with high quality information at the right time for effective decision making. Having a plan for future agendas will help ONE Investment and ONE JIB perform effectively and efficiently.

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# Appendix A 2021 Work Plan

| Agenda Category                           | Q1 2021  | Q2 2021  | Q3 2021  | Q4 2021   |
|---|--|--|--|---|
| Board Governance & Administrative Matters | Board Governance Self-Evaluation Results  Prudent Investment Pooled Trusts Audit Financial Statements and Reporting to Ontario Securities Commission | Board Training   | Prudent Investment Pooled Trusts Unaudit<br>Financial Statements and Reporting to<br>Ontario Securities Commission | Board Governance Self-Evaluation  Board Competencies and Skills Matrix Review |
| Strategy and Policy                       | Theme: Investment Strategies  New Products Committee Report  | Theme: Environmental, Social and<br>Governance (ESG)                       | Theme: Securities Lending  New Products Committee Report   | Theme: Municipal Template Review  Outcomes Framework Review                   |
|   | New Flouded Committee Report   | Allocation Review within Outcomes Framework  New Products Committee Report | New Floudets Committee Report  | New Products Committee Report   |
|   |  | Annual Compliance Report Template  |  |   |
| Investment Oversight                      | Municipal Reports:<br>Q4 Investment Reports  | Municipal Reports:<br>Q1 Investment Reports                                | Municipal Reports: Q2 Investment Reports Investment Plan Reviews   | Municipal Reports:<br>Q3 Investment Reports                                   |
|   | Fund Manager Reports:<br>Annual Review of Fund Managers<br>Performance   | Fund Manager Reports:<br>Q1 Performance Review                             | Yearly Compliance Report Fund Manager Reports:   | Fund Manager Reports:<br>Q3 Performance Review                                |
|   | Q4 Performance Review  Municipal Investor Presentations  | Secondary Benchmarks  Municipal Investor Presentations                     | Q2 Performance Review  Municipal Investor Presentations  | Municipal Investor Presentations Fund Manager Presentation                    |
|   | Investor Onboarding  | Fund Manager Presentation  | Fund Manager Presentation  | Investor Onboarding   |
|   |  | Investor Onboarding  | Investor Onboarding  |   |