

AGENDA ITEM DETAILS

Subject: Report of the Group Benefits Advisory Committee

Background:

The Group Benefits Advisory Committee (GBAC) was created to advise the ERS Board of Trustees in the planning and development of employee benefits programs under the Texas Employees Group Benefits Program. The 11-member committee provides the Board with stakeholder and expert input from ERS participants, benefit experts and professionals on employee benefits. GBAC members are appointed by the Board to fill three-year terms. The committee meets twice each year and provides reports and feedback to the ERS Board of Trustees.

The two most recent GBAC meetings were held March 25, 2021 and October 5, 2021. A summary of committee activities and meetings in Calendar Year 2021 is included in Exhibit A.

Committee member Megan LaVoie, representing the mid-sized state agency category, will present the annual report. Ms. LaVoie's resume is attached as Exhibit B.

This agenda item is provided for informational and discussion purposes only.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Exhibit A – 2021 Group Benefits Advisory Committee Annual Report
2. Exhibit B – Resume of Megan LaVoie
3. Exhibit C – Current GBAC Members
4. Slides – Report of the GBAC