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BENEFITS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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<i>Name</i>	<i>Term Ending/Type</i>
Len Cockman, designee of Iowa Association of School Boards, Chair	April 30, 2018
Matt Carver, designee of School Administrators of Iowa	April 30, 2019
Lowell Dauenaugh, public member	April 30, 2020
Danny Homan, designee of American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees.....	April 30, 2019
Bradley Hudson, designee of Iowa State Education Association	April 30, 2020
AJ Mumm, designee of Iowa State Association of Counties	April 30, 2018
Jon Thomas, designee of International Brotherhood of Teamsters.....	April 30, 2019
Mark Tomb, designee of Iowa League of Cities.....	April 30, 2020
Janet Phipps, Director, Department of Administrative Services	Statutory

Nonvoting members

Susanna Brown, designee of State Police Officers Council
 Andrew Hennesy, designee of IPERS Improvement Association
 Steve Hoffman, designee of Iowa State Sheriffs and Deputies Association
 Phil Tetzloff, designee of Retired School Personnel Association
 Sandy Tryon, designee of Iowa Association of Community College Trustees

INVESTMENT BOARD OF THE IOWA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

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<i>Name</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>Term Ending/Type</i>
Marlene Sprouse, Chair	Ottumwa.....	April 30, 2023
David Creighton Sr.	Clive.....	April 30, 2021
Phyllis Peterson.....	Cedar Rapids.....	April 30, 2022
Lisa Stange.....	West Des Moines	April 30, 2023
Wayne Walter.....	Decorah.....	April 30, 2019
Dennis Young.....	Waukee.....	April 30, 2019
Michael L. Fitzgerald, Treasurer of State		Statutory

Ex officio, nonvoting members from the General Assembly

Senate

Mark S. Lofgren.....Muscatine.....January 13, 2019
 Matt McCoy.....Des Moines.....January 13, 2019

House

Mary Mascher.....Iowa City.....January 13, 2019
 Dawn E. Pettengill.....Mount Auburn.....January 13, 2019

The IPERS Investment Board is designated the fund's trustee. The board sets investment policy and oversees the actuarial program. The seven voting members of the board include the Treasurer of State and six gubernatorial appointments confirmed by the Senate. Legislative leadership appoints the four nonvoting legislative members.