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# Welcome to the Deferred Compensation Board March 11, 2021

Meeting will begin at 1:00 p.m.



## Announcements

Item 1 – No Memo



# Deferred Compensation Board Election of Officers

Item 2 – Deferred Compensation Board

Shelly Schueller, Director Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program



# **Current Deferred Compensation Board Roster**

NAME	BOARD MEMBER SINCE	CURRENT TERM EXPIRES	MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS
Hanson Gail (Acting Chair/Vice-Chair)	07/2006	07/01/2022	§ 15.165 (4) 4-year term [1989 Wis. Act 31, s. 3018 (5n)(d).] Appointed by the Governor, with Senate Confirmation. No membership requirements.
Zimmerman Arthur (Secretary)	06/2014	07/01/2021	§ 15.165 (4) 4-year term [1989 Wis. Act 31, s. 3018 (5n)(a).] Appointed by the Governor, with Senate Confirmation. No membership requirements.
Craney Terrance	11/2019	7/01/2023	§ 15.165 (4) 4-year term [1989 Wis. Act 31, s. 3018 (5n)(b).] Appointed by the Governor, with Senate Confirmation. No membership requirements.
Haberkorn Connie	12/2020	07/01/2024	§ 15.165 (4) 4-year term [1989 Wis. Act 31, s. 3018 (5n)(c).] Appointed by the Governor, with Senate Confirmation. No membership requirements.
Rothenberg Jason	03/2017	7/01/2021	§ 15.165 (4) 4-year term [1989 Wis. Act 31, s. 3018 (5n)(d).] Appointed by the Governor, with Senate Confirmation. No membership requirements.



• ETF requests the Board elect a slate of officers for 2021.



# Deferred Compensation Investment Committee Dissolution Discussion

Item 3 – Deferred Compensation Board

Shelly Schueller, Director Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program





- ETF recommends the Board dissolve the Deferred Compensation Investment Committee, effective immediately.
- If approved, ETF further recommends the Board meet quarterly to ensure timely review of the previous quarter's investment performance.



# Consideration of : Open Minutes of November 19, 2020 DC Board Meeting Closed Minutes of November 19, 2020 DC Board Meeting Draft August 31, 2020 DCIC Board Meeting

### Item 4A – 4B – Memo Only





• ETF recommends the Board approve the Open and Closed session minutes of the November 19, 2020 Deferred Compensation Meeting as presented by the Board Liaison.



# Investment Performance and Expense Ratio Review as of: December 31, 2020

Item 5 – Deferred Compensation Board

Bill Thornton Great-West Financial



# **Informational Item Only**

• No Board action is required



State of Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Plan

# Investment Performance and Expense Ratio Review

Performance as of December 31, 2020

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# The S&P 500 goes bear to bull in record time, posting a healthy 18.4% full year return



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Source: Morningstar Direct; GWCM Analysis

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### S&P 500 Sector Returns

QTD Returns as of December 31, 2020



#### 1 Year Trailing Returns as of December 31, 2020



Source: Morningstar Direct; GWCM Analysis FOR FINANCIAL PROFESSIONAL AND PLAN SPONSOR USE ONLY.



### Equity Market Returns

(as of	December 31, 2020)	QTD	YID	1 Year Trailing	3 Year Trailing	5 Year Trailing	10 Year Trailing	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Dom	estic Equity													
ප්	S&P 500	12.1%	18.4%	18.4%	14.2%	15.2%	13.9%	18.4%	31.5%	-4.4%	21.8%	12.0%	1.4%	13.7%
Large G	Russell 1000 Value	16.3%	2.8%	2.8%	6.1%	9.7%	10.5%	2.8%	26.5%	-8.3%	13.7%	17.3%	-3.8%	13.5%
Lar	Russell 1000 Growth	11.4%	38.5%	38.5%	23.0%	21.0%	17.2%	38.5%	36.4%	-1.5%	30.2%	7.1%	5.7%	13.0%
d	Russell Mid Cap	19.9%	17.1%	17.1%	11.6%	13.4%	12.4%	17.1%	30.5%	-9.1%	18.5%	13.8%	-2.4%	13.2%
Mid Cap	Russell Mid Cap Value	20.4%	5.0%	5.0%	5.4%	9.7%	10.5%	5.0%	27.1%	-12.3%	13.3%	20.0%	-4.8%	14.7%
$\geq$	Russell Mid Cap Growth	19.0%	35.6%	35.6%	20.5%	18.7%	15.0%	35.6%	35.5%	-4.8%	25.3%	7.3%	-0.2%	11.9%
ap	Russell 2000	31.4%	20.0%	20.0%	10.2%	13.3%	11.2%	20.0%	25.5%	-11.0%	14.6%	21.3%	-4.4%	4.9%
Small Cap	Russell 2000 Value	33.4%	4.6%	4.6%	3.7%	9.7%	8.7%	4.6%	22.4%	-12.9%	7.8%	31.7%	-7.5%	4.2%
	Russell 2000 Growth	29.6%	34.6%	34.6%	16.2%	16.4%	13.5%	34.6%	28.5%	-9.3%	22.2%	11.3%	-1.4%	5.6%
Inter	mational Equity													
	MSCI EAFE	16.0%	7.8%	7.8%	4.3%	7.4%	5.5%	7.8%	22.0%	-13.8%	25.0%	1.0%	-0.8%	-4.9%
ţs	Australia	22.9%	8.7%	8.7%	5.6%	9.5%	4.5%	8.7%	22.9%	-12.0%	19.9%	11.4%	-10.0%	-3.4%
arke	Canada	13.9%	5.3%	5.3%	3.6%	10.0%	2.2%	5.3%	27.5%	-17.2%	16.1%	24.6%	-24.2%	1.5%
Ma	France	20.4%	4.1%	4.1%	4.5%	9.0%	5.9%	4.1%	25.7%	-12.8%	28.7%	4.9%	-0.1%	-9.9%
bed	Germany	11.5%	11.5%	11.5%	1.6%	6.6%	5.5%	11.5%	20.8%	-22.2%	27.7%	2.8%	-1.9%	-10.4%
Developed Markets	Japan	15.3%	14.5%	14.5%	6.1%	8.7%	6.5%	14.5%	19.6%	-12.9%	24.0%	2.4%	9.6%	-4.0%
B	Switzerland	8.2%	11.6%	11.6%	10.3%	9.4%	8.4%	11.6%	32.3%	-9.1%	22.5%	-4.9%	0.4%	-0.1%
	UK	16.9%	-10.5%	-10.5%	-2.4%	2.6%	3.0%	-10.5%	21.0%	-14.2%	22.3%	-0.1%	-7.6%	-5.4%
	MSCI Emerging Markets	19.7%	18.3%	18.3%	6.2%	12.8%	3.6%	18.3%	18.4%	-14.6%	37.3%	11.2%	-14.9%	-2.2%
S	Brazil	37.0%	-19.0%	-19.0%	0.6%	16.0%	-3.6%	-19.0%	26.3%	-0.5%	24.1%	66.2%	-41.4%	-14.0%
ket	China	11.2%	29.5%	29.5%	9.1%	15.1%	7.6%	29.5%	23.5%	-18.9%	54.1%	0.9%	-7.8%	8.0%
Mai	India	21.0%	15.6%	15.6%	4.8%	9.5%	3.4%	15.6%	7.6%	-7.3%	38.8%	-1.4%	-6.1%	23.9%
Energing Markets	Indonesia	31.8%	-8.1%	-8.1%	-3.1%	5.8%	1.4%	-8.1%	9.1%	-9.2%	24.2%	17.0%	-19.5%	26.6%
lerg	Korea	38.3%	44.6%	44.6%	8.8%	15.6%	6.6%	44.6%	12.5%	-20.9%	47.3%	8.7%	-6.7%	-11.1%
E	Mexico	31.0%	-1.9%	-1.9%	-2.6%	-0.6%	-1.5%	-1.9%	11.4%	-15.5%	16.0%	-9.2%	-14.4%	-9.3%
	Russia	21.6%	-12.5%	-12.5%	9.6%	16.5%	1.0%	-12.5%	50.9%	-0.4%	5.2%	54.8%	4.2%	-46.3%

Source: Morningstar Direct; GWCM Analysis Indi \*Canada is not part of the EAFE Index Pas

Individual country returns are represented by MSCI indices and shown as USD returns Past performance is not a guarantee or prediction of future results.



### Historical, Current and Forward Rates



### Fixed Income and Specialty Returns

(as of December 31, 2020)	QTD	YTD	1 Year Trailing	3 Year Trailing	5 Year Trailing	10 Year Trailing	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Fixed Income													
Bloomberg Bard ays US Aggregate	0.7%	7.5%	7.5%	5.3%	4.4%	3.8%	7.5%	8.7%	0.0%	3.5%	2.6%	0.5%	6.0%
Bloomberg Bard ays US Treasury	-0.8%	8.0%	8.0%	5.2%	3.8%	3.3%	8.0%	6.9%	0.9%	2.3%	1.0%	0.8%	5.1%
Bloomberg Barclays US Govt/ Credit Intermedia	0.5%	6.4%	6.4%	4.7%	3.6%	3.1%	6.4%	6.8%	0.9%	2.1%	2.1%	1.1%	3.1%
Bloomberg Barclays US Govt/ Credit Long	1.7%	16.1%	16.1%	9.8%	9.3%	8.2%	16.1%	19.6%	-4.7%	10.7%	6.7%	-3.3%	19.3%
Bloomberg Bard ays USTIPS	1.6%	11.0%	11.0%	5.9%	5.1%	3.8%	11.0%	8.4%	-1.3%	3.0%	4.7%	-1.4%	3.6%
Bloomberg Bardays US Corporate High Yield	6.5%	7.1%	7.1%	6.2%	8.6%	6.8%	7.1%	14.3%	-2.1%	7.5%	17.1%	-4.5%	2.5%
FTSEWOBI	2.8%	10.1%	10.1%	5.0%	4.8%	2.3%	10.1%	5.9%	-0.8%	7.5%	1.6%	-3.6%	-0.5%
JPM EMBI Gobal Diversified	5.8%	5.3%	5.3%	5.0%	7.1%	6.2%	5.3%	15.0%	-4.3%	10.3%	10.2%	1.2%	7.4%
FISE Treasury Bill 3 Month	0.0%	0.6%	0.6%	1.6%	1.2%	0.6%	0.6%	2.3%	1.9%	0.8%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Specialty													
Bloomberg Commodity	10.2%	-3.1%	-3.1%	-2.5%	1.0%	-6.5%	-3.1%	7.7%	-11.2%	1.7%	11.8%	-24.7%	-17.0%
DJUSSelect RET	12.9%	-11.2%	-11.2%	1.5%	3.0%	7.6%	-11.2%	23.1%	-4.2%	3.8%	6.7%	4.5%	32.0%
FISE EPRA/ NARET Developed Ex US	14.0%	-6.5%	-6.5%	2.4%	5.7%	5.1%	-6.5%	21.8%	-5.8%	20.8%	2.0%	-3.2%	3.2%

### Calendar Year Returns by Asset Class

2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	Cumulative Return"
Agg Bond	Mid ¥alue	Sm Growth	Mid ¥alue	Lg Growth	Sm Value	Emrg Mkt	Agg Bond	Lg Growth	Lg Growth	Lg Growth
7.8	18.5	43.3	14.7	5.7	31.7	37.3	0.0	36.4	38.5	389.3
Balanced	Emrg Mkt	Mid Growth	Lg ¥alue	Balanced	Mid ¥alue	Lg Growth	Lg Growth	Mid Growth	Mid Growth	Mid Growth
4.7	18.2	35.7	13.5	1.3	20.0	30.2	-1.5	35.5	35.6	306.1
Lg Growth	Sm ¥alue	Sm Value	Lg Growth	Agg Bond	Lg ¥alue	Mid Growth	Balanced	Sm Growth	Sm Growth	Sm Growth
2.6	18.1	34.5	13.0	0.5	17.3	25.3	-2.4	28.5	34.6	254.2
Lg ¥alue	Lg ¥alue	Lg Growth	Mid Growth	Mid Growth	Sm Growth	International	Mid Growth	Mid ¥alue	Emrg Mkt	Lg ¥alue
0.4	17.5	33.5	11.9	-0.2	11.3	25.0	-4.8	27.1	18.3	171.2
Mid ¥alue	International	Mid ¥alue	Balanced	International	Emrg Mkt	Sm Growth	Lg ¥alue	Lg ¥alue	Balanced	Sm ¥alue
-1.4	17.3	33.5	10.6	-0.8	11.2	22.2	-8.3	26.5	14.7	159.9
Mid Growth	Mid Growth	Lg ¥alue	Agg Bond	Sm Growth	Balanced	Balanced	Sm Growth	Sm ¥alue	International	Mid ¥alue
-1.7	15.8	32.5	6.0	-1.4	8.3	14.2	-9.3	22.4	7.8	171.5
Sm Growth	Lg Growth	International	Sm Growth	Lg ¥alue	Mid Growth	Lg ¥alue	Mid ¥alue	Balanced	Agg Bond	Balanced
-2.9	15.3	22.8	5.6	-3.8	7.3	13.7	-12.3	22.2	7.5	129.4
Sm ¥alue	Sm Growth	Balanced	Sm ¥alue	Mid ¥alue	Lg Growth	Mid ¥alue	Sm ¥alue	International	Mid ¥alue	International
-5.5	14.6	17.6	4.2	-4.8	7.1	13.3	-12.9	22.0	5.0	71.0
International	Balanced	Agg Bond	Emrg Mkt	Sm ¥alue	Agg Bond	Sm ¥alue	International	Emrg Mkt	Sm ¥alue	Agg Bond
-12.1	11.3	-2.0	-2.2	-7.5	2.6	7.8	-13.8	18.4	4.6	45.8
Emrg Mkt	Agg Bond	Emrg Mkt	International	Emrg Mkt	International	Agg Bond	Emrg Mkt	Agg Bond	Lg ¥alue	Emrg Mkt
-18.4	4.2	-2.6	-4.9	-14.9	1.0	3.5	-14.6	8.7	2.8	42.8

\*Cumulative return is for the time period 1/1/2011 - 12/31/2020

Source: Morningstar Direct; GWCM Analysis; Lg Growth – Russell 1000 Growth Index, Lg Value – Russell 1000 Value Index, Mid Growth – Russell Mid Cap Growth Index, Mid Value – Russell Mid Cap Value Index, Sm Growth – Russell 2000 Growth Index, Sm Value – Russell 2000 Value Index, International – MSCI EAFE NR Index, Emrg Mkt – MSCI EM NR Index, Agg Bond – Bloomberg Barclays US Aggregate Bond Index, Balanced – 60% S&P 500 Index and 40% Bloomberg Barclays US Aggregate Bond Index.



#### Performance Benchmarking

#### 12/31/2020

Name	Total Ret 3 Mth	Total Ret 1 Yr	Total Ret 3 Yr	Total Ret 5 Yr	Total Ret 10 Yr	Total Net Assets \$M	Expense Ratio
American Funds EuroPacific Gr R6	19.95	25.27	10.74	12.47	8.14	197,424	0.46
Morningstar Foreign Large Growth Avg	14.84	25.48	11.17	11.95	7.87	-	1.11
MSCI EAFE Index	16.05	7.82	4.28	7.45	5.51	-	-
MSCI ACWI ex U.S.	17.01	10.65	4.88	8.93	4.92	-	-
Blackrock EAFE Equity Index Coll T	16.16	8.31	4.72	8.02	5.88	-	0.04
MSCI EAFE Index	16.05	7.82	4.28	7.45	5.51	-	-
DFA US Micro Cap I	30.59	6.59	4.37	9.69	10.09	6,650	0.51
Morningstar Small Cap Blend Avg	28.06	10.99	6.41	10.50	9.83	-	1.12
Russell 2000 Index	31.37	19.96	10.25	13.26	11.20	-	-
Blackrock Russell 2000 Index Coll M	31.41	19.96	10.35	13.42	-	-	0.03
Russell 2000 Index	31.37	19.96	10.25	13.26	11.20	-	-
T. Rowe Price Instl Mid-Cap Equity Gr	17.07	23.87	17.25	16.78	15.21	8,017	0.61
Morningstar Mid Cap Growth Avg	21.03	39.26	19.77	17.80	13.83	-	1.16
Russell Mid Cap Growth Index	19.02	35.59	20.50	18.66	15.04	-	-
S&P Midcap 400 Index	24.37	13.66	8.45	12.35	11.51	-	-
Blackrock Midcap Equity Index Coll F	24.37	13.76	8.50	12.39	11.54	-	0.02
S&P MidCap 400 Index	24.37	13.66	8.45	12.35	11.51	-	-
Calvert US Large Cap Core Rspnb ldx R6	13.62	26.18	17.16	16.61	14.78	5,809	0.19
S&P 500 Index	12.15	18.40	14.18	15.22	13.88	-	-
Morningstar Socially Resp Large Cap Avg**	13.32	21.89	14.66	14.68	12.73	-	0.96
Morningstar Large Cap Growth Avg	12.50	35.86	20.50	18.30	15.14	-	1.05
Fidelity Contrafund Commingled Pool Cl 2	7.91	31.43	19.14	18.42	-		0.38
Morningstar Large Cap Growth Avg	12.50	35.86	20.50	18.30	15.14	-	1.05
Russell 1000 Growth Index	11.39	38.49	22.99	21.00	17.21	-	-
S&P 500 Index	12.15	18.40	14.18	15.22	13.88	-	-

\*\*This index is a compilation of all Large Cap Socially Conscious Funds in the Morningstar Database

Name	Total Ret 3 Mth	Total Ret 1 Yr	Total Ret 3 Yr	Total Ret 5 Yr	Total Ret 10 Yr	Total Net Assets \$M	Expense Ratio
American Beacon Bridgeway Lg Cap Value I CIT*	15.99	-2.77	1.78	7.14	9.88	2,301	0.55
Morningstar Large Cap Value Avg	16.25	2.80	6.07	9.74	10.50	-	-
Russell 1000 Value Index	15.73	2.91	5.57	9.42	9.73	-	-
Vanguard Institutional 500 Index Trust**	12.15	18.40	14.18	15.21	13.88		0.01
S&P 500 Index	12.15	18.40	14.18	15.22	13.88	-	-
Vanguard Wellington Adm	8.19	10.68	9.46	10.84	9.95	112,043	0.17
Morningstar Moderate Allocation Avg	10.30	11.72	7.76	8.99	7.90	-	1.08
Composite 65% S&P 500 / 35% Barclay's Aggregate	8.13	14.59	11.09	11.44	10.37	-	-
Composite 65% S&P 500 / 35% Barclay's U.S. Credit A or Better Idx	8.64	15.46	11.55	12.04	10.93	-	-
Vanguard Long-Term Investment-Grade Adm	3.16	15.47	9.42	9.64	8.52	21,339	0.12
Barclay's LT Corporate A	2.12	10.01	6.68	6.13	5.43	-	-
Morningstar Corp Bond	3.21	9.24	6.41	6.23	5.31	-	0.80
Dodge & Cox Income	2.48	9.45	6.19	5.71	4.65	68,129	0.42
Morningstar Interm Core-Plus Bond Avg	1.97	8.06	5.34	4.86	4.25	-	-
BarCap US Agg Bond TR USD	0.67	7.51	5.34	4.44	3.84	-	-
Blackrock US Debt Index Fund Coll W	0.69	7.61	5.39	4.49	-	-	0.03
BarCap US Agg Bond TR USD	0.67	7.51	5.34	4.44	3.84	-	-
Vanguard Admiral Treasury Money Mkt Inv	0.01	0.47	1.46	1.09	0.55	38,793	0.09
Morningstar Taxable Money Mkt Avg	0.01	0.29	1.16	0.81	0.41	-	0.45
U.S. Treasury 90-Day T-Bill	0.02	0.36	1.45	1.12	0.59	-	-
iMoney Net Average Treasury MM	0.01	0.27	1.07	0.71	0.36	-	-
Stable Value Fund	0.53	2.31	2.38	2.18	2.24	782	0.29
5 Yr. Constant Maturity Treasury Yield	0.37	0.53	1.74	1.69	1.51	-	-

\* The American Beacon CIT returns presented in italics are linked to mutual fund performance.

\*\* Italicized returns are taken from mutual fund share class..

#### **3-Year Percentile Ranks**

#### 12/31/2020

	Q4 2020	Q3 2020	Q2 2020	Q1 2020	Q4 2019	Q3 2019	Q2 2019	Q1 2019	Q4 2018	Q3 2018
	% of Peer	% of Peer	% of Peer	% of Peer	% of Peer	% of Peer	% of Peer	% of Peer	% of Peer	% of Peer
	Group	Group	Group	Group	Group	Group	Group	Group	Group	Group
Group/Investment	Beaten	Beaten	Beaten	Beaten	Beaten	Beaten	Beaten	Beaten	Beaten	Beaten
Amer Beac Bridgeway Lg Cp Val Inst		13	13	10	15	16	21	15	21	62
American Funds Europacific Grth R6	57	40	42	31	53	61	73	72	69	56
BlackRock EAFE® Equity Index F	57	56	69	74	72	87	79	59	59	56
Blackrock Mid Cap Eq Idx Fund CF	50	50	45	52	52	61	61	68	90	73
BlackRock Russell 2000® Index F	88	82	84	81	81	69	81	85	73	85
Blackrock US Debt Idx Fund CF	70	76	83	95	78	73	63	61	66	64
Calvert US Lrg Cap Core Rspnb Idx I	99	97	96	90	87	83	90	88	74	70
DFA US Micro Cap I	25	17	23	31	31	46	54	60	71	83
Dodge & Cox Income	83	78	82	69	75	83	85	87	87	86
Fidelity Contrafund Commingled Pl 2	41	53	58	58	63	68	63	43	53	46
T. Rowe Price Mid-Cap Growth	38	37	36	45	66	71	62	57	72	55
Vanguard Instl 500 Index Trust	78	82	84	81	83	82	84	87	89	92
Vanguard Long-Term Inv-Grade Adm	47	60	72	77	54	63	55	68	67	69
Vanguard Target Retire 2015 Trust I	46	74	74	87	69	66	67	65	65	62
Vanguard Target Retire 2025 Trust I	79	89	85	80	92	85	81	76	87	85
Vanguard Target Retire 2035 Trust I	70	80	80	79	76	71	81	78	77	74
Vanguard Target Retire 2045 Trust I	73	83	80	73	79	79	79	76	79	82
Vanguard Target Retire 2055 Trust I	68	78	81	78	71	65	72	69	80	69
Vanguard Target Retire Inc Trust I	78	86	84	90	72	67	58	51	68	57
Vanguard Wellington™ Admiral™	73	80	81	87	91	94	90	92	95	92
1 <sup>st</sup> Quartile	2 <sup>n</sup>	<sup>d</sup> Quartile	3'	<sup>d</sup> Quartile		4 <sup>th</sup> Quartil	е			

\* Percentile ranks shown for American Beacon Bridgeway and Calvert US Large Cap Responsible Index are taken from oldest share class of their respective mutual funds.

	Plan Inception Date	Fund Net Assets	WDC Assets in Fund	WDC as a Percentage of Fund Assets	Fund as a Percentage of WDC Assets	Number of Participants	Percentage of WDC Participants Utilizing Fund
American Funds EuroPacific Gr R6	1/28/2005	\$197,424,335,311	\$233,291,808	0.12%	3.60%	27,251	40.78%
BlackRock EAFE Equity Index Fund W	2/1/2001	\$48,215,443,325	\$239,664,031	0.50%	3.70%	23,324	34.91%
DFA U.S. Micro Cap	2/1/1997	\$6,650,257,525	\$212,596,773	3.20%	3.28%	21,405	32.03%
BlackRock Russell 2000 Index Fd	2/20/2004	\$983,621,508	\$90,967,735	9.25%	1.40%	9,068	13.57%
T. Rowe Price Instl Mid-Cap Equity Gr	2/1/1998	\$8,017,191,661	\$638,805,286	7.97%	9.86%	33,177	49.65%
BlackRock Mid Cap Equity Index Fund W	2/1/2001	\$6,399,869,017	\$267,226,686	4.18%	4.12%	24,825	37.15%
Calvert US Large Cap Core Rspnb Idx R6	4/18/2003	\$5,809,221,569	\$84,985,653	1.46%	1.31%	3,452	5.17%
Fidelity Contrafund Commingled Pool CI 2	1/31/1994	\$136,386,452,668	\$879,309,570	0.64%	13.57%	16,867	25.24%
Vanguard Institutional 500 Index Trust	9/9/1990	\$93,900,000,000	\$705,642,341	0.75%	10.89%	30,619	45.82%
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Vanguard Target Retire 2035 Trust I	7/29/2005	\$60,400,000,000	\$237,332,009	0.39%	3.66%	6,833	10.23%
Vanguard Target Retire 2045 Trust I	7/29/2005	\$47,900,000,000	\$150,599,571	0.31%	2.32%	6,513	9.75%
Vanguard Target Retire 2055 Trust I	8/18/2010	\$23,400,000,000	\$52,858,775	0.23%	0.82%	4,310	6.45%
Vanguard Adm Money Market	10/1/1993	\$38,700,000,000	\$54,531,963	0.14%	0.84%	6,349	9.50%
Stable Value Fund	9/1/1996	N/A	\$782,066,567	N/A	12.07%	29,594	44.29%
Schwab PCRA	2/17/2000	N/A	\$82,519,776	N/A	1.27%	1,226	1.83%
FDIC Option	12/31/1996	N/A	\$148,419,310	N/A	2.29%	7,004	10.48%



#### Asset Summary

#### 12/31/2020

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#### **Participant Summary**

#### 12/31/2020





Name	Expense Ratio	Annual Expense per \$1000
American Funds EuroPacific Gr R6	0.46	\$4.60
Cat: Foreign Large Growth	1.11	
Blackrock EAFE Equity Index Fund W	0.04	\$0.40
Cat: Foreign Large Blend Index	0.41	
DFA U.S. Micro Cap	0.51	\$5.10
Cat: Small Blend	1.12	
Blackrock Russell 2000 Index Fd	0.03	\$0.30
Cat: Small Cap Blend Index	0.41	
T. Rowe Price Instl Mid-Cap Equity Gr	0.61	\$6.10
Cat: Mid Growth	1.16	
Blackrock Mid Cap Equity Index Fund W	0.02	\$0.20
Cat: Mid Cap Blend Index	0.43	
Calvert US Large Cap Core Rspnb ldx R6	0.19	\$1.90
Cat: Socially Resp Large Cap	0.96	
Fidelity Contrafund Commingled Pool Cl 2	0.38	\$3.80
Cat: Large Growth	1.05	
Vanguard Institutional 500 Index Trust	0.01	\$0.10
Cat: Large Cap Blend Index	0.46	
American Beacon Bridgeway Lg Cap Val	0.55	\$5.50
Cat: Large Value	1.00	
Stable Value Fund	0.29	\$2.90
Cat: Stable Value	0.70	
Dodge & Cox Income	0.42	\$4.20
Cat: Interm. Core-Plus Bond	0.78	

Name	Expense Ratio	Annual Expense per \$1000
Vanguard Wellington Adm	0.17	\$1.70
Cat: Moderate Allocation	1.08	
Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Inv	0.07	\$0.70
Cat: Target Date 2050+	0.74	
Vanguard Target Retirement 2045 Inv	0.07	\$0.70
Cat: Target Date 2041-2045	0.74	
Vanguard Target Retirement 2035 Inv	0.07	\$0.70
Cat: Target Date 2031-2035	0.73	
Vanguard Target Retirement 2025 Inv	0.07	\$0.70
Cat: Target Date 2021-2025	0.71	
Vanguard Target Retirement 2015 Inv	0.07	\$0.70
Cat: Target Date 2011-2015	0.63	
Vanguard Target Retirement Income Inv	0.07	\$0.70
Cat: Retirement Income	0.73	
Vanguard Long-Term Invmt-Grade Adm	0.12	\$1.20
Cat: Corporate Bond	0.80	
Blackrock US Debt Index	0.03	\$0.30
Cat: Intermediate Bond Index	0.31	
Vanguard Adm Money Market	0.09	\$0.90
Average US Taxable Money Market Fund	0.45	

\* The Dodge & Cox Income Fund shares revenue back to the plan's participants, which is not reflected in the expense ratios above. The expense ratio of the fund including this reimbursement would be 0.32% annually.

Asset-Weighted Average Expense Ratio: 0.22%

Name	Total Ret 3 Mth	Total Ret 1 Yr	Total Ret 3 Yr	Total Ret 5 Yr	Total Ret 10 Yr	Total Net Assets \$M	Expense Ratio	% Short- Term	% US Stocks	% Non US Stocks	% Inv Grade Bond	% High Yield Bond
Vanguard Target Retire Inc Trust I	5.17	10.10	6.86	6.86	5.88	12,200	0.07	5	17	12	66	0
S&P Target Date Retirement Income TR USD	4.93	8.81	6.32	6.50	5.47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Composite Returns*	4.80	9.16	6.24	6.14	5.21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanguard Target Retire 2015 Trust I	5.81	10.43	7.11	7.78	7.04	12,400	0.07	4	20	14	61	0
S&P Target Date 2015 TR USD	6.79	10.28	7.03	7.79	6.77	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Composite Returns*	5.58	9.56	6.46	6.51	5.51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanguard Target Retire 2025 Trust I	9.39	13.41	8.73	9.88	8.54	61,900	0.07	3	35	24	38	0
S&P Target Date 2025 TR USD	9.01	11.22	7.73	9.08	7.88	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Composite Returns*	9.06	11.34	7.44	8.13	6.85	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanguard Target Retire 2035 Trust I	11.68	14.93	9.50	11.11	9.51	60,400	0.07	3	44	30	23	0
S&P Target Date 2035 TR USD	12.20	12.79	8.67	10.47	8.91	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Composite Returns*	11.22	12.41	8.03	9.12	7.66	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanguard Target Retire 2045 Trust I	13.88	16.26	10.20	12.09	10.09	47,900	0.07	2	53	35	9	0
S&P Target Date 2045 TR USD	14.02	13.66	9.15	11.24	9.49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Composite Returns*	13.38	13.52	8.65	10.13	8.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanguard Target Retire 2055 Trust I	13.97	16.42	10.22	12.09	-	23,400	0.07	3	53	35	9	0
S&P Target Date 2055+ TR USD	14.56	13.86	9.26	11.55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Composite Returns*	13.26	13.44	8.60	10.06	8.44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

\*Composite benchmark consists of the following indices weighted to match the allocation of the specific target date fund: MSCI Broad Market, MSCI EAFE, Barclays Aggregate Bond, and Barclays US Treasury 1-3 Month

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## WDC Investment Option Recommendations: American Beacon Bridgeway Large Cap Value Fund

### Item 6A – Deferred Compensation Board

Shelly Schueller, Director Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program



# 3 – Year Percentile Ranks

	Q4 2020	Q3 2020	Q2 2020	Q1 2020	Q4 2019	Q3 2019	Q2 2019	Q1 2019	Q4 2018	Q3 2018
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American Funds Europacific Grth R6	57	40	42	31	53	61	73	72	69	56
BlackRock EAFE® Equity Index F	57	<del>40</del> 56	69	74	72	87	79	59	59	56
Blackrock Mid Cap Eq Idx Fund CF	50	50	45	52	52	61	61	68	90	73
BlackRock Russell 2000® Index F	88	82	84	81	81	69	81	85	73	85
Blackrock US Debt Idx Fund CF	70	76	83	95	78	73	63	61	66	64
Calvert US Lrg Cap Core Rspnb Idx I		97	96	90	87	83	90	88	74	70
DFA US Micro Cap I	25	17	23	31	31	46	54	60	71	83
Dodge & Cox Income	83	78	82	69	75	83	85	87	87	86
Fidelity Contrafund Commingled PI 2	41	53	58	58	63	68	63	43	53	46
T. Rowe Price Mid-Cap Growth	38	37	36	45	66	71	62	57	72	55
Vanguard Instl 500 Index Trust	78	82	84	81	83	82	84	87	89	92
Vanguard Long-Term Inv-Grade Adm		60	72	77	54	63	55	68	67	69
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# **Asset Summary**

	Plan Inception Date	Fund Net Assets	WDC Assets in Fund	WDC as a Percentage of Fund Assets	Fund as a Percentage of WDC Assets	Number of Participants	Percentage of WDC Participants Utilizing Fund
American Funds EuroPacific Gr R6	1/28/2005	\$197,424,335,311	\$233,291,808	0.12%	3.60%	27,251	40.78%
BlackRock EAFE Equity Index Fund W	2/1/2001	\$48,215,443,325	\$239,664,031	0.50%	3.70%	23,324	34.91%
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• ETF recommends the Board close the American Beacon Bridgeway Large Cap Value fund, replace it with a different large cap value option and direct that balances remaining in American Beacon Bridgeway Large Cap Value fund after it is closed are reallocated to the new large cap value option.



## WDC Investment Option Recommendations: T. Rowe Price Mid Cap Growth Performance Review Meeting

Item 6B – Deferred Compensation Board

Shelly Schueller, Director Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program



# 3 – Year Percentile Ranks

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• ETF recommends inviting T. Rowe Price to an upcoming meeting to discuss the performance of the T. Rowe Price Mid Cap Growth Fund.



# Proposed Amendment to FDIC Bank Option Contract

Item 7 – Deferred Compensation Board

Shelly Schueller, Director Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program Dave Adam, SVP Finance & Treasurer Johnson Bank




BANKING WEALTH INSURANCE

#### WDC Board Investment Committee FDIC Provider Contract Discussion

11 March 21

#### Introduction

- Johnson Bank is pleased to have been the provider of the FDIC-Insured Investment Option for the State of Wisconsin's Deferred Compensation Program since December of 2018.
- We appreciate the working relationship with Shelly and the Deferred Compensation Team out of Madison along with Empower and Great West and believe ongoing operations have been clean and efficient on all sides.
- Unfortunately, our Bank and the industry have been surprised by the depth and length of the covid-19 induced changes in the financial markets. This presentation seeks to provide background and concludes with a request to lower the floor rate on the FDIC option without changing any of the other terms.

#### **Developments in 2020**

- The Fed cut short-term rates 150 basis points in March of 2020 and stepped-up efforts to buy securities.
- The yield curve moved materially lower and uncertainty spiked with covid-19 related concerns.
- As shown in the chart below, deposits in the banking system increased dramatically along with balances in government money market funds.





#### **Developments in 2020**

- Like many financial institutions, Johnson Bank's cash in excess of loans and investments increased in 2020 as shown by the chart below.
- Though our Bank participated heavily in the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP), clients taking advantage of these loans generally deposited the money back in the Bank. Loan forgiveness has the government paying the Bank for the principal while many of the clients do a combination of retaining some deposits, paying down borrowings and meeting payroll obligations.
- This has contributed to cash in excess of our preferred target (the red dotted line below). On this cash, the Bank earns 0.10% and pays a fee for FDIC insurance of 0.03%, netting a rate of 0.07%



Johnson Bank's Overnight Funds/Excess Cash

#### **Developments in 2020**

- Johnson Bank entered the FDIC relationship with the State in the hopes of making loans to customers at rates above the deposit rate or, if we were in an excess cash position, of keeping the cost of our funds close to or below the rate we earned on excess cash.
- Presently, we are paying out 0.30% on the deposit floor and earning 0.07% as noted on the prior page.
- If one believes the Fed's forecasts as evidenced by their "Dot Plot" below, short-term rates will likely be low for the next three years or longer and the excess liquidity in the system will likely remain.



#### Recommendation

- The current terms of the contract call for a monthly reset to the 30-day T-Bill less five basis points with a floor of 0.30%.
- We are asking to adjust the floor only to be lowered to a rate of 0.15% while retaining the 30-day T-Bill less five basis point calculation.
- Thank you for your consideration.



• ETF recommends the Board amend the FDIC bank option contract (ETJ0050) to provide an interest rate floor of 15 basis points.



## Administrative Services Contract Amendment

Item 8 – Deferred Compensation Board

Shelly Schueller, Director Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program David Nispel, General Counsel Office of Legal Services





- ETF recommends approving the proposed amendments to the Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program administrative services contract with Great-West Life and Annuity Insurance Company to permit the new services approved as part of the 2021 Strategic Partnership Plan:
  - Distribution education services
  - Point-in-time participant fiduciary services (recommendations and advice)
  - Certified Financial Planner services



### Break

#### 10 minutes Please turn off cameras and mute microphones/cell phones using #6 (\*6 will unmute your microphone/cell phone when you return)



### Plan and Trust Review: In-Service Distributions

Item 9 – Deferred Compensation Board

Shelly Schueller, Director Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program Dan Hayes, Attorney Office of Legal Services



### **Considerations Re: In-Service Distributions at Age 59 1/2**

Reasons to Allow (Pros)	Reasons Not to Allow (Cons)
May be an attractive option to the approximately 5,000 participants who would be eligible to use it	Early withdrawal may mean a smaller WDC account at the participants' actual retirement date
May potentially reduce financial emergency withdrawal requests for participants aged 59 ½ or older	May result in larger tax burden for participants using the feature
Might be useful for participants transitioning to retirement by working fewer hours. A WDC distribution could supplement their reduced earnings	May require additional staff training to help explain tax implications to participants using this feature
Relatively easy to administer as distributions are not complex	
Administrator's staff are already trained on distribution rules	





- ETF recommends the Board revise the Plan and Trust to permit in-service distributions for participants aged 59 ½ or older.
- Alternatively, ETF recommends the Board restore the minimum age of 70 ½ for in-service distributions in the Plan and Trust to correct an administrative error.



# Strategic Partnership Plan (SPP): 2020 Results

#### Item 10A – Deferred Compensation Board

Emily Lockwood, Director Empower Retirement



### **Informational Item Only**

No Board action is required





### 2020 Strategic Partnership Plan Review

#### Market volatility/CARES Act communications

- Market Volatility
  - Presentation
  - Email to all participants
  - Website updates:
    - o pre-login bulletin
    - o pre-login web tile
    - o pre-login web banner
    - o post-login plan message
- Employer emails/newsletter
  - March 14 Office closure/virtual meetings
  - April 16 Virtual meetings, online contribution processing, CARES Act



- CARES Act
  - Email to all participants
  - Post login "Things to Know" messaging, flyers
- Virtual meetings
  - Pre-login bulletin
  - Employer emails
  - Individual meeting invitations
  - Tweets

#### Targeted My Total Retirement 90-Day Free Look campaign

- Audience:
  - New enrollees since 9/1/19
  - Age 58+/90%+ equity
- Tactics:
  - Series of 3 emails
  - Mailer
  - Prelogin bulletin
  - Postlogin messaging
- Results:
  - 531 enrollees; 51 targeted
  - Average deferral rate increased by 17% from 6.28 to 7.33%
  - Average # of investment options increased by 223% from 2.64 to 8.52





# Beneficiary campaign

- Audience:
  - Participants with a balance who do not have a beneficiary on file
  - Participants with "At Will" beneficiary
  - 7,596 total participants targeted
- Tactics:
  - Email
  - Mailer
  - Prelogin tile
  - Tweets
- Preliminary Email Results:
  - 6,151 delivered
  - 51.7% open rate
  - 17.01% click rate
  - 32.9% click through rate
  - 876, or 11.5%, participants added beneficiaries





# Asset allocation campaign

- Audience:
  - Participants with a balance who are invested in a TDF and another fund or multiple TDFs
  - Participants with a balance who are age 58 and over and invested in 90% or more equity
- Tactics:
  - Email
  - Mailer
  - Brainshark
  - Tweets
- Preliminary Email Results:
  - 8,289 delivered
  - 39.8% open rate
  - 1.58% click rate
  - 4% clickthrough rate
  - 3.89% changed their asset allocation
  - 18.36% reduced equity exposure
  - 1.71% moved to on TDF or MTR





## Other projects

- Cybersecurity disclosure on emails
- Posted BlackRock webinar on eLearning page
- Posted Bond video on Investments page
- Stable Value Fund disclosure guide
- 2020 Benefits Fair/Webinar Schedule
- Attendance Card
- Updated alternative to your 403(b) flyer
- Participated in UW Women's Symposium and Wisconsin Municipal Clerks Association virtual conference



# Annual Participant Survey

#### **Tactics**

- Pre login bulletin
- Postlogin plan message
- Email
- Reminder email
- Tweets





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We want your feedback on the Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program (WDC)!

Click the link before Friday, October 30, 2020, to take our short survey. It should only take a few minutes to complete.

#### Click here to take the survey!

Your confidential responses will help gauge customer satisfaction with the WDC.

Thank you for helping us improve!

Questions? Call the WDC at (877) 457-WDCP (9327)

# Participant Survey Metrics

	Industry Average	Original Email	Original Reminder Email	
Survey email launch date		9/30/2020	10/20/2020	
Emails delivered		50,931	49,997	
Unique open rates	21%	40.32%	38.09%	
Click to open rates	12%	12.44%	11.6%	
Survey close date		10/3	0/2020	
Number of survey responses	N/A	4,118		
Survey response rate	12%	8%		
Participants requested to be contacted		663		



### Participant Survey Highlights

- Gender breakdown Male 55.84% | Female 40.95% | Prefer not to answer 3.21%
- Age breakdown
  - Age 54 and under 32.85%
  - Age 55-64 32.44%
  - Age 65+ 34.71%
- Overall Satisfaction (4 or 5) with services received from WDC/Empower Retirement 78.2%
- Overall satisfaction (4 or 5) with <u>www.wdc457.org</u>:
  - Information provided on WDC website 80.2%
  - Ease of use of WDC website 72.45%
  - Ability to access and make changes to my account 73.6%
  - Information and tools on the website 71.41%
  - Overall satisfaction with <u>www.wdc457.org</u> 78.11%



### Participant Survey Highlights

- Overall satisfaction (4 or 5) with voice response system VRS (877) 457-9327:
  - Customer service representative 80.27%
  - 24/7 automated phone system 62.45%
  - Find out your balance 76.29%
  - Answers to commonly-asked questions 68.78%
  - Expertise to resolve concerns 73.79%
- Awareness of Roth (post-tax) deferral option: 57.22%
- Topics of Interest:

Living in retirement	55.05%	Intermediate investing	16.29%
Fees charged	24.59%	Increase contribution	9.79%
Nearing retirement	33.99%	Events	7.01%
Advanced investing	22.1%	Amount taken from paycheck	7.01%
Meeting with representatives	20.34%	Beginning investing	6.92%
Advisory services	22.91%	Enrollment and getting started	0.81%



## Employer Outreach

- Employer newsletter, webinar and survey
- Non-participating email







### Employer Outreach

- Employer Newsletter
  - Total Delivered: 1,134
  - Open Rate: 38.01% (431 total)
  - Clickthrough Rate: 18.52% (210 total)
  - Click to Open Rate: 48.72%

- Non-participant Employer Email
  - Total Delivered: 1,317
  - Open Rate: 30.22% (398 total)
  - Clickthrough Rate: 3.57% (47 total)
  - Click to Open Rate: 11.81%



### Stay in the Plan Mini

- Audience 58+
- Updated language for broader audience
- Tactics:
  - Sent postcard to 3,906 participants in February 2020
  - Sent updated postcard to 808 participants in November 2020
  - Sent updated email to 3,472 participants in November 2020





# Ongoing Stay in Plan campaign

Email Send Results							
	4Q16/1Q17 winter version	2Q17/3Q17 summer version	2Q18/3Q18 summer version	4Q18/1Q19 winter version	2Q20/3Q20 winter version		
No. of delivered emails	3,796	2,963	3,593	4,068	2,894	3,472	
<b>Open rate</b> (21% industry average)	42%	41%	41%	43%	36%	46%	
Click to open rate (12% industry average)	15%	14%	13%	14%	18%	12%	
Clicked the Retirement Check-up flier	79%	79%	80%	78%	82%	76%	
Clicked to schedule a meeting	12%	11%	13%	12%	11%	6%	



# Email Capture Postcard

- Mailed 8,590 12/15/20
- 5%, 468, added email address





# New Virtual Service Model Engagement

Participants Receiving an RRR





# At Risk RRR Comparison

**Retirement Leaf** 

At Risk Participants Receiving RRRs





### **Retirement Readiness Review Examples**

#### Ann (75), Retired

• Enrolled in managed accounts due to retirement income information provided

#### Tim (61), Highway

- \$1.16M
- Aggressive/Very Aggressive to Moderately
   Conservative
- 21 bps/year



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### Strategic Partnership Plan (SPP): 2021 Recordkeeping Fee Recommendation

Item 10B – Deferred Compensation Board

Shelly Schueller, Director Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program



#### 2020 WDC Scorecard



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	Goal/Action item	Tools adopted	Results desired	Results as of 12/31/2020 (% to goal)			
Enrollment	<ul> <li>Increase in-force accounts by enrolling new participants</li> <li>Add new employers</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Employee and Employer</li><li>Group meetings</li></ul>	<ul> <li>3% increase over 12/31/19 new enrollments <ul> <li>4,267 new participants were added in 2019, including 346 from the enrollment campaign</li> <li>8 new employers</li> <li>Attend 1-2 conventions (WMCA plus one more)</li> <li>Attend 45+ benefits fairs</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2,331 (53%) new enrollments</li> <li>13 (163%) new employers</li> <li>WMCA 2020 convention virtually participated</li> <li>70 Group benefits events virtually</li> </ul>			
Asset Allocation	<ul> <li>Help participants properly diversify</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Asset allocation campaign Outreach to: <ul> <li>Participants using TDF and other investment(s)</li> <li>Population age 58+ with 90%+ equity exposure</li> </ul> </li> <li>Beneficiary campaign</li> <li>Free Look for new hires (9/1/19-time of campaign) and 58+/90%+ not using MTR</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2% of participants using TDF and other investment move to one TDF or MTR 9,917 participants had a TDF and another investment option as of 12/31/19</li> <li>Provide RRRs for 10% of 58+/90%+ target group 4,585 as of 12/31/19</li> <li>Increase beneficiary designations on file by 10% (new as of June 2020) 9,310 participants without a beneficiary designation as of 5/11/20</li> <li>2% of Free Look group enrolling in MTR Enrollees since 9/1/19 + 4,585 from target group</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>1.71% moved to one TDF or MTR</li> <li>209 RRRs (46%) with 58+/90%+ target group</li> <li>11.5% added a beneficiary designation</li> <li>Free Look campaign 5/1-8/31 <ul> <li>531 (457%) participants enrolled in MTR; 51 targeted participants enrolled (44%)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
Education	<ul> <li>Complete retirement readiness reviews</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Participant Education         <ul> <li>Retirement Readiness Reviews (RRR)</li> <li>WRS Data Pilot</li> <li>State-wide webinar</li> </ul> </li> <li>Employer Education         <ul> <li>Continue encouraging ACH and termination dates</li> <li>Employer webinar – ex. PSC Tutorial</li> <li>Increased communication with employers via PSC</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Conduct 2,000 Retirement Readiness Reviews (including 636 of the 55+ population outlined below and 458 of the 58+ with 90%+ equity exposure)</li> <li>Pilot to involve 5-8 employers and 800-1,000 participants</li> <li>300 group meetings</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2,883 RRRs (144%) conducted</li> <li>Results provided separately</li> <li>315 (105%) group meetings conducted</li> <li>23 registrants; 14 attendees at 12/2/20 Employer webinar</li> <li>*Virtual meetings began 3/16/2020</li> </ul>			
Retention	<ul> <li>Increase in-force accounts by retaining accounts</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Retirement Readiness Reviews</li><li>Retiree webinar</li><li>Stay in the Plan campaign</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Provide RRRs for 10% of pre-retiree/retiree population 6,362 participants as of 12/31/19 were 55+ with twice the average plan balance or more and investing on their own</li> <li>*In the event there is a plan/employer initiated event that impacts the number accordingly</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>668 (105%) RRRs conducted with 55+/twice average balance</li> <li>se populations, we'll adjust this</li> </ul>			

#### Deferred Compensation Board – March 11, 2021

#### 2020 WDC Communications Calendar



	Q1	Q2	Q3				Q4
THEME TARGET	<b>DB Feed Pilot</b> Participating employer's employees	MTR 90 Day Free Look Campaign New plan enrollees as of 9/1/19 not utilizing MTR and at risk group	Beneficiary Campaign 9,310 participants without a beneficiary designation	<b>Cam</b> 9,823	et Allocation paign 3 invested in a TDF another fund*	Survey All WDC participants	<b>Stay in the Plan</b> All active participants with a balance, age 58-64 or reboot for 58+
Purpose	Outline the DB feed to pilot employees	Enroll in MTR	Add a beneficiary designation	Appro TDF	opriate use of a	Satisfaction survey	Stay in WDC after you leave service
TACTICS	<ul> <li>Stay in the Plan Mini Campaign</li> <li>Biannual postcard</li> <li>Biannual email</li> <li>DB Feed Pilot Major Campaign</li> <li>FAQ</li> <li>Pre-pilot survey</li> <li>Pre-pilot email</li> <li>Halfway reminder email</li> <li>Halfway reminder letter</li> <li>Pilot ending reminder letter</li> <li>Post-pilot survey</li> <li>Post-pilot email</li> <li>Bond article/video posted</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Targeted postcard mailing</li> <li>Market Volatility</li> <li>Market Volatility Presentation</li> <li>Email to all participants</li> <li>Website updates (incl. pre-login bulletin, web tile, web banner, and post- login plan message)</li> <li>Individual meeting invitations</li> </ul> CARES Act <ul> <li>Employer emails/newsletter</li> </ul>	SDBA Schwab MM Fund Annual Mini Campaign (Local office) • Letter Beneficiary Campaign • Pre login tile • Targeted email • Targeted postcard • Tweet	d	Survey Mini Campa Pre login bulletin Post login messag Email & reminder of Tweets Asset Allocation Ca Call to action: Meet TDF and anothe 58+/90% equity Video Targeted en Targeted p Tweets	email ampaign with your RPA r fund group + group	<ul> <li>(Reboot) Stay in the Plan Mini</li> <li>Campaign</li> <li>Biannual postcard</li> <li>Biannual email</li> </ul>
	<b>to website</b> (Bill Thornton)	<ul> <li>Email to all participants</li> <li>Website updates (incl. post login TTK, flyer(s))</li> </ul>		mploye Design c	r Newsletter only)	Emp	ployer Survey (Local office)
ONGOING							

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• ETF recommends the Board approve a 3.5% increase in the annual administrative fee paid to Empower Retirement.

# Strategic Partnership Plan (SPP): 2021 SPP Update

Item 10C – Deferred Compensation Board

Shelly Schueller, Director Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program



### **Informational Item Only**

No Board action is required





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## 2021 Strategic Partnership Plan Update



#### **Q1** Communications

- New Service Announcement
  - Web banner
  - Flyer
  - News & Updates
  - Tweet
  - Add ADV and Privacy Notice to website
- WRS Pension Estimate
  - Active employees
  - FAQ
  - Email and reminder email
  - Mailer (those without email addresses on file)
  - Pre log-in bulletin
  - Post log-in message
  - Statement narrative
  - Tweets



#### Q1 Communications (continued)

- Financial Planning
  - Cascaded email
  - Cascaded postcard
  - Pre log-in tile (Phase III)
  - Tweets (Phase III)

Phase I = 60+	Phase I – May 4 and 18 (2 drops)
Phase II = 45-59	Phase II – TBD (Tentative June)
	Phase III – TBD (Tentative July,
	reminders as needed)

- At Risk Campaign
  - Pre-login bulletin
  - Employer emails
  - Individual meeting invitations
  - Tweets



### **Operational Updates** Item 11A – 10G – Memos Only



### Future Items for Discussion Item 12 – Memo Only



# Adjournment Item 13 - No Memo





1	STATE OF WISCONSIN HILL FARMS STATE OFFICE BUILDING	
8	Dept. of Administration Division of Hearings & Appeals	
	Dept. of Employee Trust Funds	
	Dept. of Financial Institutions	
	Department of Safety & Professional Services	D
	Department of Transportation	
	Higher Educational Aids Board	
	Public Service Commission	
	<ul> <li>Parking</li> <li>4822 Madison Yards Way</li> </ul>	



#### Next Meeting: June 10, 2021

#### Note: This meeting will be virtual

