#### **Executive Team:**

**Dominic D. Brown, CPA, CFE**Chief Executive Officer

Daryn Miller, CFA Chief Investment Officer

**Jennifer Zahry, JD**Chief Legal Officer

Matthew Henry, CFE Chief Operations Officer



#### **Board of Retirement:**

Phil Franey, Chair
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Tyler Whitezell
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Chase Nunneley, Alternate
Robb Seibly, Alternate
3rd Member (Vacant)

February 29, 2024

Members, Board of Retirement Employee Bargaining Units Requesting News Media Other Interested Parties

Subject: Meeting of the Kern County Employees' Retirement Association

Administrative Committee

Ladies and Gentlemen:

A meeting of the Kern County Employees' Retirement Association Administrative Committee will be held on Thursday, February 29, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. in the KCERA Boardroom, 11125 River Run Boulevard, Bakersfield, California, 93311.

### How to Participate: Listen to or View the Board Meeting

To listen to the live audio of the Board meeting, please dial one of the following numbers (for best audio a landline is recommended) and enter ID# 892 6716 3002:

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- https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89267163002?pwd=R3BMY0RSSU9WUG01ZkpZeWRZWUdZQT09
- Passcode: 648909

Items of business will be limited to the matters shown on the attached agenda. If you have any questions or require additional service, please contact KCERA at (661) 381-7700 or send an email to <a href="mailto:administration@kcera.org">administration@kcera.org</a>.

Sincerely,

Dominic D. Brown

Chief Executive Officer

Attachments

#### AGENDA:

All agenda item supporting documentation is available for public review on KCERA's website at <a href="www.kcera.org">www.kcera.org</a> following the posting of the agenda. Any supporting documentation that relates to an agenda item for an open session of any regular meeting that is distributed after the agenda is posted and prior to the meeting will also be available for review at the same location.

# AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (Government Code §54953.2)

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#### CALL TO ORDER

**ROLL CALL (IN PERSON)** 

## **AB 2449 REMOTE APPEARANCE(S)**

Items 1 and/or 2 withdrawn from agenda if no trustees will have a need to appear via teleconference:

The first two items on the agenda are reserved for trustees who have a need to appear via teleconference due to a "just cause" need or an "emergency circumstance." Trustees who have notified this Committee before agenda-posting will be called upon and will provide a general description of their need to attend via teleconference as allowed by law. Trustees who were not able to notify the Committee in advance of posting and have a need to attend via teleconference will state their notification or request when called upon to do so. All trustees appearing via teleconference will need to disclose any adult person(s) present in the room of their remote location and their relationship to such person(s). Trustees appearing remotely are reminded to keep their camera on throughout the meeting.

- 1. JUST CAUSE CIRCUMSTANCE(S):
  - a) The following Trustee(s) have notified the Committee of a "Just Cause" to attend this meeting via teleconference. (See Government Code § 54953).
    - NONE
  - b) Call for Trustee(s) who wish to notify the Committee of a "Just Cause" to attend this meeting via teleconference. (See Government Code § 54953).

### 2. EMERGENCY CIRCUMSTANCE(S):

- a) The following Trustee(s) have requested the Committee approve their attendance of this meeting via teleconference due to an "Emergency Circumstance." (See Government Code § 54953).
  - NONE
- b) Call for Trustee(s) requesting the Committee approve their attendance of this meeting via teleconference due to an "Emergency Circumstance." (See Government Code § 54953).

TAKE ACTION ON REQUEST(S) FOR REMOTE APPEARANCE

3. <u>Discussion and review of the 2024-2025 Chief Executive Officer Performance</u>
Evaluation Criteria presented by Chief Executive Officer Dominic Brown –
RECOMMEND THE BOARD OF RETIREMENT APPROVE THE CHIEF
EXECUTIVE OFFICER PERFORMANCE EVALUATION CRITERIA FOR
EVALUATION PERIOD OF 2024-2025

#### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

4. The public is provided the opportunity to comment on agenda items at the time those agenda items are discussed by the Committee. This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons to address the Committee on any matter not on this agenda but under the jurisdiction of the Committee. Committee members may respond briefly to statements made or questions posed. They may ask a question for clarification and, through the Chair, make a referral to staff for factual information or request staff to report back to the Committee at a later meeting. Speakers are limited to two minutes. Please state your name for the record prior to making a presentation.

## REFERRALS TO STAFF, ANNOUNCEMENTS OR REPORTS

5. On their own initiative, Committee members may make a brief announcement, refer matters to staff, subject to KCERA's rules and procedures, or make a brief report on their own activities.

## CALL FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON EXECUTIVE SESSION ITEM(S)

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

6. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION (pursuant to GOVERNMENT CODE §54957): Title: Chief Executive Officer

## **RETURN TO PUBLIC SESSION**

## REPORT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION ACTIONS, IF APPLICABLE

7. Adjournment





#### Memorandum from the Office of

The Chief Executive Officer

Dominic Brown

Date: February 29, 2024

To: Trustees, Administrative Committee

From: Dominic D. Brown, Chief Executive Officer

Subject: 2024-25 Chief Executive Officer Performance Evaluation Criteria

In accordance with the Chief Executive Officer Performance Evaluation Policy, the Chief Executive Officer must be reviewed by the Administrative Committee each year for the twelve-month period for which the criteria are effective. The following criteria and ratings were approved for 2023-2024, and will be used for 2024-2025:

# CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER PERFORMANCE EVALUATION CRITERIA

	100%
4. Strategic Plan Implementation	40%
3. Budgetary Control	15%
2. Financial Accounting and Reporting	15%
General Management Abilities as determined by the CEO Evaluation Survey	30%

The Chief Executive Officer is required to complete a self-evaluation annually and to share that with the Board, along with the results of a Stakeholder Survey, Employee Survey, and Trustee Survey.

Therefore, it is recommended that your Committee approve the 2024-2025 Chief Executive Officer Performance Evaluation Criteria.