

ITEM 8

ANNUAL CHECKLIST FOR FIDUCIARIES

➤ When you're a fiduciary, there are a lot of responsibilities and a lot of things to do in a year. Way more than you can possibly keep track of unless being a fiduciary is your only job. This checklist helps solve that problem. It's comprehensive, so if you use it, you won't forget or neglect any responsibilities or actions.

	TOPIC	COMPLETE?		DATE	NEXT STEPS/NOTES
		YES	NO		
1	Fiduciary Governance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☑ Establish formal committee ☑ Establish committee bylaws and charter ☑ Review annual roles of committee members ☑ Conduct committee meetings 2/yr. ☑ Document meeting minutes 2/yr. ☑ Review named fiduciaries and plan documents to ensure they are consistent ☑ Ensure fiduciaries are aware of their duties and responsibilities (Fiduciary Training) 	Yes		04/12	Located in Section 11 of Plan Document
		Yes		05/12	
		Yes		05/12	
		Yes			Ongoing
		Yes			Meeting minutes are published on Website
		Yes		05/12	
		Yes		05/12	
2	Investment Oversight Process <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☑ Review and update the IPS ☑ Maintain history of fund changes/mapping ☑ Review funds to ensure participants have adequate choice ☑ Document investment review and decision-making process ☑ Comply with plan default investment rules in the IPS 	Yes		05/12	
		Yes			Ongoing: Currently tracked and archived
		Yes		05/12	
		Yes			Meeting minutes are published on Website
		Yes		05/12	
3	Fiduciary Insurance & Bonds <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☐ Review ERISA bond coverage levels ☐ Consult with liability insurance provider for updates on coverage 	N/A			Researching if this is necessary for 457
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4	Service Providers Fees & Services Review <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☑ Review provider fees and services for reasonableness ☑ Conduct FINRA/SEC check for advisor/consultant ☑ Confirm advisor's fiduciary status in writing ☑ Review investment management fees for reasonableness ☐ Review and document selection of third party advice providers 	Yes		05/12	
		Yes		04/13	Ongoing
		Yes		12/11	Written in Contract
		Yes		05/12	
		N/A			

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TOPIC		YES	NO		
5	Compliance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Acknowledge plan intent to comply with 404(c) regulations <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Comply with fee disclosure rules 408(b)2 (ERISA plans) <input type="checkbox"/> Review annual compliance due dates <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Review plan documents with ERISA council <input type="checkbox"/> Review timing of contribution deposits <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Review trust agreements to ensure fiduciary roles are specified and accurate 	N/A		05/12	Checking to see if 404a5 is being mailed
		Yes		04/12	
		N/A		04/12	
		Yes		04/12	
6	Fiduciary Records Management & Documentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Establish a process for record management <input type="checkbox"/> Distribute summary annual report to participants (ERISA plans) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SSAE 16 report received from service provider <input type="checkbox"/> Provider service agreements updated <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Document all participant communications <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Review plan and trust documents <input type="checkbox"/> Document investment due diligence reports <input type="checkbox"/> Document bond and insurance coverage <input type="checkbox"/> ERISA Plans: Prepare, file and retain records related to Form 5500 Annual Report (including plan audit if required) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Update plan administration procedures 	Yes		05/12	Ongoing
		N/A			
		Yes			Requested for 2012 In process
		N/A			Ongoing
		Yes			
		Yes		04/12	Quarterly Reports from HPA & GWL
		N/A			
		N/A			
7	Participant Communications <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Review annual participant communication plan <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Audit participant mailing addresses and document process for lost participant searches <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Maintain records file of all participant education materials and investment materials <input type="checkbox"/> Ensure plan provides required 404(a)(5) disclosures to participants in 401(k)-type plans <input type="checkbox"/> Ensure plan provides annual notices: QDIA, Safe Harbor Notices, Summary of Annual Reports 	Yes		05/12	On Going: GWL to send County PSC Report
		Yes			
		Yes			On Going
		N/A			
		N/A			
8	If Plan Document has been Amended <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Provide a new Summary of Plan Description <input type="checkbox"/> Summary of Material Modification 	N/A			
		N/A			