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# CHURCH PENSION GROUP HOSTS CONVERSATION ON UNDERSTANDING THE ABCs OF ESG

Conversation to Offer Insights Around Environmental, Social, and Governance Investing

**NEW YORK, NY**—October 11, 2022—The Church Pension Group (CPG), a financial services organization that serves The Episcopal Church, announced that it will host a virtual conversation with leading industry experts who will review broad trends across the environmental, social, and governance (ESG) landscape and provide specific case studies of how incorporating ESG issues informs investment decisions.

The event is part of CPG's ongoing Insights & Ideas series of discussions on socially responsible investing (SRI). Individuals interested in attending the event, which will take place on Thursday, October 20, 2022, from 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM ET, can register at *cpg.org/Insights&Ideas*.

"Environmental, social, and governance issues can have a material impact on investment risk and return," said Mary Kate Wold, CEO and President of CPG. "These issues, historically limited to socially responsible investors, are garnering increased attention and moving to the mainstream as more investors recognize their impact on investment performance. I encourage individuals interested in learning more about this important topic to join us on October 20th."

The panelists will include Jonathan Bailey, Managing Director, Head of Environmental, Social, and Governance Investing at Neuberger Berman; Emily Lawrence, North American Director of Sustainable Investing Client Engagement at Northern Trust Asset Management; Jacqui Murray, Partner at Resource Capital Funds; and Christopher Rowe, Managing Director at the Church Pension Group.

Videos and presentations from prior Insights & Ideas discussions, which focused on climate change, investing in economically disadvantaged communities, faithful investing, positive impact investing, and sustainable investing, can be viewed at *cpg.org/Insights&Ideas*.

#### **Editor's Note:**

Individuals interested in learning more about CPG's SRI efforts and viewing videos related to CPG's positive impact investments can visit *cpg.org/SRI*.

### **About the Church Pension Group**

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