

2019-20 LEP Annual Delivery Plan

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Purpose of report

To brief the Board on the LEP's 2019-20 delivery plan.

Recommendation

That the Board notes points in the paper and agrees the delivery plan.

Background

As set out in the July 2018 Strengthened LEPs report¹, Government requires all LEPs to agree an annual delivery plan by end April 2019 for publication in May 2019. The plan will set out how the LEP is utilising Local Growth Fund and other funding and programmes such as the Growth Hub to drive economic growth.

Government has agreed a template and guidance with the LEP Network and the HotSW plan has been completed using this; it is expected that Government and the LEP Network will develop the template and content requirements further for the 2020-21 version.

In the attached plan, the guidance notes in italics have been left in for the Board version but will be removed from the final document which will be shared with Government and published on the LEP website. The LEP will also produce an annual report covering progress against the plan at the beginning of 2020-21.

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https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/728058/Strengthened_Local_Enterprise_Partnerships.pdf