



Young Combined Authority

Young Combined Authority (YCA) Board update, February 2021

Moving towards action...

Having completed their Charter and presented it to the WMCA Board in January, the YCA Board are now focused on identifying opportunities to make an impact and launching new working groups to drive forward activity.

During their February meeting, the YCA Board...

- Met with officers in the WMCA Mental Health team about the potential for them to inform the relaunched Commission.
- Discussed a wide range of opportunities suggested by the WMCA, such as providing feedback on the WMCA Equality Scheme and West Midlands Plan for Growth.
- Agreed to launch a survey to gather ideas from the YCA Board following the meeting, and set up new groups to begin activity this month.

The Local Transport Plan seems very pivotal. Transport plays a key role particularly with regional economies.

Environment!

I'd be interested in joining a subgroup for skills and the economy.

Let's get the ball rolling... what are our priorities?

Improving the YCA's social media and political education

Participating with Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Mental Health and Wellbeing

Housing is something I'm interested in

Homelessness of young people in the region

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