

WEST MIDLANDS COMBINED AUTHORITY FORWARD PLAN: SEPTEMBER 2022 - JULY 2023

Title of Report	Summary of purpose and recommendations	Lead Portfolio Holder	Lead Officer	Confidential	Category
	Meeting 16 September 202	22			
WMCA Activity & Delivery Update	Purpose: To provide an update on the activity and delivery of the WMCA since the last meeting. Recommendation(s): To note the report.	n/a	Laura Shoaf	No	n/a
Appointment of Director of Law & Governance	Purpose: To appoint the new Director of Law & Governance. Recommendation(s): To make the appointment.	n/a	Laura Shoaf	No	Governance
Independent Remuneration Panel	Purpose: To consider the recommendations arising out of the independent review of members allowances. Recommendation(s): To consider the recommendations.	n/a	Satish Mistry	No	Governance
Trailblazer Devolution Deal Update	Purpose: To provide an update on the latest work being undertaken in support of the WMCA's Trailblazer Devolution Deal. Recommendation(s):	Cllr Brigid Jones	Ed Cox	No	Levelling Up



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Financial Monitoring 2022/23	Purpose: To outline the latest financial position of WMCA and provide an update on any current financial matters affecting WMCA. Recommendation(s):	Cllr Bob Sleigh	Linda Horne	No	Finance		
Appointment of Independent Directors to the Board of Midland Metro Ltd.	Purpose: To appoint directors to sit on the board of MML. Recommendation(s):	Cllr Ian Ward	Anne Shaw / Satish Mistry	No	Transport		
	Meeting 18 November 2022						
WMCA Activity & Delivery Update	Purpose: To provide an update on the activity and delivery of the WMCA since the last meeting. Recommendation(s): To note the report.	n/a	Laura Shoaf	No	n/a		
Transport Governance Review	Purpose: To consider the recommendations arising from a review into the WMCA's transport governance arrangements. Recommendations(s): To approve the recommendations proposed to improve the WMCA's transport governance.	Cllr Ian Ward	Satish Mistry / Anne Shaw	No	Governance		
WMCA Aims & Objectives Annual Review	Purpose: To review the WMCA's Aims & Objectives previously agreed in November 2021.	n/a	Laura Shoaf	No	Governance		



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Single Assurance Framework	Purpose: The National Local Growth Assurance Framework Guidance has a mandated requirement for each combined authority to review their assurance framework annually. There is also a further requirement for separate annexes for the assurance approaches for housing, transport and skills. Recommendation(s): To approve the assurance framework.	Cllr Bob Sleigh	Linda Horne	No	Finance
UK Shared Prosperity Fund Investment Plan	Purpose: To submit a more detailed investment plan for approval. Recommendations(s):	Cllr Ian Brookfield	Julie Nugent	No	Economy & Innovation



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Mobility Hubs	Purpose: To approve the Outline Business Case for the Mobility Hubs project to provide multi-modal sustainable transport facilities.	Cllr Ian Ward	Anne Shaw	No	Transport
	Recommendation(s): That the Outline Business Case be approved.				
City Regions Sustainable Transport Settlement Line One Business Case	Purpose: Recommendations:	Cllr Ian Ward	Anne Shaw	No	Transport
	Meeting 13 January 2023	1			
WMCA Activity & Delivery Update	Purpose: To provide an update on the activity and delivery of the WMCA since the last meeting. Recommendation(s): To note the report.	n/a	Laura Shoaf	No	n/a
Draft WMCA Budget 2023/234	Purpose: To approve the WMCA's draft 2023/24 budget for consultation. Recommendation(s):	Cllr Bob Sleigh	Linda Horne	No	Finance



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	Recommendation(s):				
LEP Integration Plan	Purpose: To approve the proposed integration plan for LEPs. Recommendation(s):	Cllr lan Brookfield	Julie Nugent	No	Economy & Innovation
Wednesbury - Brierley Hill Metro Extension Funding Mitigation Measures	Purpose: To consider the latest progress in securing the mitigation measures for addressing the funding gap identified for phase 1 of the project and to close the funding gap for the full scheme.	Cllr Ian Ward	Linda Horne	Yes	Transport
	Recommendation(s):				
	Meeting 10 February 2023	 			
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	Recommendation(s): To note the report.				



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WMCA Budget 2023/234	Purpose: To approve the WMCA's 2023/24 budget. Recommendation(s):	Cllr Bob Sleigh	Linda Horne	No	Finance
	Meeting 24 March 2023				I
WMCA Activity & Delivery Update	Purpose: To provide an update on the activity and delivery of the WMCA since the last meeting. Recommendation(s): To note the report.	n/a	Laura Shoaf	No	n/a
Financial Monitoring 2022/23	Purpose: To outline the latest financial position of WMCA and provide an update on any current financial matters affecting WMCA.	Cllr Bob Sleigh	Linda Horne	No	Finance
	Recommendation(s):				
	Meeting 9 June 2023				
WMCA Activity & Delivery Update	Purpose: To provide an update on the activity and delivery of the WMCA since the last meeting. Recommendation(s): To note the report.	n/a	Laura Shoaf	No	n/a
Appointment of WMCA Boards and Committees 2023/24	Purpose: To approve consider the appointments to boards, chairs and meetings dates for 2023/24. Recommendation(s): That the report be approved.	n/a	Satish Mistry	No	Governance



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Overview & Scrutiny Committee Annual Report	Purpose: To consider a report setting out the activity of overview & scrutiny during 2022/23. Recommendation(s): That the report be noted.	n/a	Satish Mistry	No	Governance
Financial Monitoring 2022/23	Purpose: To outline the latest financial position of WMCA and provide an update on any current financial matters affecting WMCA. Recommendation(s):	Cllr Bob Sleigh	Linda Horne	No	Finance
	Meeting July 2023				
WMCA Activity & Delivery Update	Purpose: To provide an update on the activity and delivery of the WMCA since the last meeting. Recommendation(s): To note the report.	n/a	Laura Shoaf	No	n/a
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