

Overview & Scrutiny Committee

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Recommendation(s) for action or decision:

The Overview & Scrutiny Committee is recommended to:

- (1) Note and comment on the grant register.

1. Purpose

This paper provides an update on the grant register. This contains all current 'live' grants where the WMCA is the accountable body and captures a comprehensive total of grants, awarding body, time period for delivery and a description of what the grant delivers.

2. Grant Register Update

2.1 The grant registers are attached as an appendix to this report.

2.2 The following new grants and amendments to existing grants have been added to the register since the last update to the Committee in March. The most significant grants are:

- Bus Service Improvement Plan (BSIP) 2022/23 allocation of £18.3m following agreement of the Enhanced Partnership in the last quarter of 2022.
- 2022/23 allocations for Multiply (£5.1m) and UKSPF (£10.7m) following approval of investment plans by HMG.
- Social Housing Decarbonisation Fund Wave 1 – Grant end date has been extended from 31 March to 31 August 2023 to allow funds to be fully utilised.

3. Legal Implications

There are no legal implications as a direct consequence of this report.

4. Impact on Delivery of Strategic Transport Plan

None

5. Equalities Implications

None

6. Inclusive Growth Implications

None

7. Geographical Area of Report's Implications

None

8. Other Implications

None

9. Schedule of Background Papers

Appendix – grant register.