



West London Economic Prosperity Board

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Title	Draft agenda forward plan to June/July 2022
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Summary

This report provides a draft agenda forward plan for this Board's next three meetings, covering the period to June/July 2022 in line with the remainder of the current chair's term, subject to elections.

Recommendations

Leaders are asked to:

- **Note** and **comment** on the draft agenda forward plan.

West London Economic Prosperity Board (WLEPB) draft agenda forward plan January – June/July 2022¹

Summary of WLA workstreams to be covered (in line with terms of reference):

- Oversight of work to facilitate West London’s economic recovery through the Build & Recover plan including linkages with the activity of the Economic Recovery Taskforce, wider engagement with business leaders.
- Oversight of the following thematic areas of WLA work (including their role in supporting economic recovery):
 - o Skills and employment
 - Devolved employment support work;
 - All other work considered by WL Skills & Employment Board
 - o Growth sectors and innovation
 - West London Innovation District concept
 - o Infrastructure and West London Orbital
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 - Strategic Infrastructure Delivery Plan
 - o Digital connectivity work (fibre, 5G, digital inclusion)
 - o Economic aspects of work to facilitate a green recovery

WLEPB agenda and papers to be shaped/informed by the WLA Economy & Skills Directors and WLA Chief Executives, with final agreement resting with the EPB Chair.

Proposed standing items:

Item	Suggested frequency
External speakers	As agreed with Chair
West London Orbital progress	Each meeting
Economic Recovery (to include the Build & Recover plan, London-level economic recovery approach, WL Economic Recovery Taskforce)	Each meeting
Annual report from WL Skills & Employment Board	Annually
WLA programmes update (to include areas above)	Each meeting (for info or decision as necessary)
Forward plan agreement	Each meeting

¹ A meeting in June or early July 2022 would be the end of the current chair’s tenure, subject to elections.

Proposed areas of focus of for next meeting - July 2022

June 2022 (TBC)

- **Economic recovery**
 - **Build & Recover Plan** – update on progress, noting any emerging next steps
 - **WL Economic Recovery Taskforce** – progress update (*potentially to include external speaker(s) from corporate leaders' group on one or more themes of work...*)
- **West London Orbital** – standing item.
- **Anchor institutions** – to note work underway with a) universities b) NW London Integrated Care System (potentially to include external speakers from each)
- **WLA Programme update**
 - **Annual report of Skills & Employment Board** – to note work undertaken and priorities emerging
 - **Digital programme** – noting of progress in delivering programme and next steps.
 - **Green recovery** – update from WL Environment Directors on progress in delivering economic elements of expanded work programme and next steps.
 - **Sub-regional inward investment** – update on next steps following review
- **Forward plan**