

Appendix A

ARC LEADERSHIP GROUP OUTLINE WORK PROGRAMME – UPDATED 01 MARCH 2021

Programme Theme	Project Delivery Group	Lead(s)	Progress	Timing	Status
Economy (Arc Economic Prospectus)	Major Projects: Space, Aviation, Life Sciences, Digital Lab	Nigel Tipple	New Arc Economic Programme Board being established (replaces Productivity Group for Arc purposes) – terms of reference being drafted. Priority Project Group for Aviation to present updates on programme to Plenary in March	By April Executive 23/04/21 09 March 2021	In progress In progress
	Green Arc	Bev H (temporary)	Develop concept as cross-cutting programme Developing pitch to COP26 participation	Set Up Task and Finish Group to agree way forward – to report by 23/04/21 Exec Virtual agreement by 05 March 2021	In progress In progress
	Inclusive Communities	Bev H (temporary)	Develop thinking further on “inclusive growth” in line with agreed vision	Set Up Task & Finish Group – first scoping meeting 12/02/21 – scope prepared to report by April 2021	In progress
Strategic Growth (Arc Spatial Framework)	Establish Arc and Sub-Regional Collaboration	Jo Lancaster	Strategic Working Group has met with Arc Team and Policy Lab to advance engagement strategy	25/02/21	Complete
			Arc Plenary Discussion on Framework and Vision	09 March 2021	Arranged
			Arc-wide Collaboration Forum vision workshop arranged	16 March 2021	Arranged

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Environment	Environment Principles	Cllr Smith/ L Watts	Shared environment principles to guide future growth have been drafted	Exec support on 19/02/21 Plenary to endorse 09/03/21	On target
	Arc Environment Strategy	Cllr Smith/ L Watts	Early stage project scoping to begin early Feb 2021 – Task and Finish Group forming Support in principle for Arc Leadership Group funding (£5k) to unlock university grad capacity to help scope project – support from Cranfield U	Scope to be agreed by 04/21 Underway	Progressing
Infrastructure	Establish Arc-wide Infrastructure Strategy	Hilary Chipping	Developing Draft Terms of Reference and identifying key attendees to form Arc Infrastructure Network	Discussed and supported by Exec 19/02/21	Progressing
			First meeting to review and establish remit and ToR	Complete by 23 April 2021	Progressing
Communication & Engagement	Communications and Engagement Programme	Karen Clarke	Comms Network supported launch of Arc announcements through local channels and voices	18/02/21	Complete
			Emerging engagement on Arc Spatial Framework – through Collaboration Forum and Arc Comms Network linked with emerging programme	ongoing	In progress
	Organise and support Arc events and event participation		Developing first Arc Energy event featuring Chelveston Renewable Energy Park and others	23/03/21	In progress