



**CAMBRIDGESHIRE
& PETERBOROUGH**
COMBINED AUTHORITY

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Agenda Item No: 7.3

Resolution of Local Enterprise Partnership Overlaps

To: Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority Board

Meeting Date: 24 March 2021

Public report: Yes

Lead Member: Austen Adams, Chair of the Business Board

From: John T Hill, Director of Business and Skills

Key decision: No

Forward Plan ref: n/a

Recommendations: The Combined Authority Board is recommended to:

- a) Note and approve the revised geographical LEP boundary and resolution of delivery overlaps with neighbouring LEPs; and
- b) Approve the Strategic Partnership Agreements (SPAs) with remaining two neighbouring LEPs.

Voting arrangements: A simple majority of all Members present and voting

1. Purpose

- 1.1 To seek approval for Strategic Partnership Agreements (SPAs) between the Business Board and its neighbouring LEPs that resolve delivery geography overlaps, by confirming all such overlaps be serviced by other LEPs, and that each should continue to operate in partnership with the Business Board, on issues of joint interest and benefit.
- 1.2 These proposals were considered at the Business Board meeting on 16 March 2021. Following discussion, the Business Board decided unanimously to recommend the proposals to the Combined Authority Board for approval.
- 1.3 The report to the Business Board can be viewed via the link below:

[Business Board 16 March 2021 - Item 3.2 refers](#)

2. Considerations

- 2.1 None.

3. Appendices

- 3.1 Appendix 1 – Strategic Partnership Agreement with New Anglia LEP
- 3.2 Appendix 2 – Strategic Partnership Agreement with South East LEP
- 3.3 Appendix 3 – Strategic Partnership Agreement with Hertfordshire LEP
- 3.4 Appendix 4 – Strategic Partnership Agreement with Greater Lincolnshire LEP
- 3.5 Appendix 5 – Government Revised LEP Boundary Map Showing New LEP Geographies
- 3.6 Accessible versions of the appendices are available on request from Democratic.Services@cambridgeshirepeterborough-ca.gov.uk

4. Background Papers

- 4.1 None