

Meeting:	Hampshire Prosperity Partnership Board
Date:	24 November 2025
Title:	Agenda item 7 – Clusters
Appendices	See slide pack attached separately
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The Purpose

1. The purpose of the presentation is to provide the board with an update on the development and delivery of cluster initiatives supported by the HPPB, as well as an update on other work which supports the clusters, and economic prosperity.

Background

2. Under the approved priorities of the Board, this work is building on Hampshire’s experience of developing successful clusters such as Maritime UK Solent and Space South Central, and focuses efforts on three key sectors in which cluster arrangements in Hampshire are less well established and/or fragmented: creative, digital, and life sciences.
3. The aim of the clusters is to increase the recognition of Hampshire’s strengths in key sectors, and attract public funding and private investment, through cluster arrangements that enable collaboration, innovation, and development of skills bases and supply chains.

Next Steps

4. HPPB is asked to note and comment on the presentation.