

Meeting:	Hampshire Prosperity Partnership Board
Date:	19 January 2026
Title:	Energy Infrastructure Gap and Opportunities Analysis Update
Appendices	Annex 1 – Presentation from kick-off meeting on 8 January
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The Purpose

1. Provide HPPB with an update to the Energy Grid Gaps and Opportunities Analysis project. A verbal update on the project will be provided at the meeting by both HCC and Jacobs.

Background

2. For background, please see workstream A1, “grid capacity review” (page 7) here: [HPPB-240325-priorities-proposed-workstreams.pdf](#)

Update

3. The project has now begun, and the current steps, as outlined in Annex 1, are data gathering and stakeholder identification and engagement.
4. HCC has provided Jacobs with background data and links to other local authorities’ reports on energy grid reviews and energy strategies.
5. A list of stakeholders is being developed. This will be shared at the HPPB meeting and further input is welcomed.
6. This is a 15 week project and is due to deliver the final report in early April. It is proposed to bring the final document to the May Board meeting, prior to publication, to review the recommendations and next steps.

Next Steps

7. HPPB to consider any stakeholders which should be engaged in the programme.
8. HPPB to provide feedback on the proposed approach to the project.