

## **Hampshire Skills Partnership**

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2025, 10am – 12pm**

**In room UCS 9, University Centre Sparsholt Science & Research Centre at Sparsholt College, Westley Lane, Sparsholt, Winchester, Hampshire SO21 2NF**

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### **AGENDA**

1. **Welcome, introductions and apologies** (Sarah Greer, Chair)
2. **Terms of Reference** (Jamie Mackay)
3. **Minutes and actions** [see *Action Log* on page 2] **from the last meeting** (All)
4. **Devolution for Hampshire and the Solent** (Natalie Wigman, Hampshire County Council, Jane Lamer, Portsmouth City Council, Professor Rosa Wells, University College Birmingham)
5. **Hampshire Prosperity Partnership Board update** (Julie Milburn)
6. **Updates:**
  - a. **Local Skills Improvement Plan programme** (Ross McNally)
  - b. **Get Hampshire Working Plan** (Jamie Mackay)
  - c. **Hampshire Skills Strategy / Working group: Update** (Jamie Mackay)
7. **Any other business** (All)
8. **Future meetings:**
  - a. Thursday 4 December, 10am – 12pm, HSDC, Alton College.
  - b. Future dates will be confirmed during the meeting.

>> **Please send any apologies to** [Jamie.Mackay2@hants.gov.uk](mailto:Jamie.Mackay2@hants.gov.uk) <<

**Action Log from Hampshire Skills Partnership on 12 June 2025:**

No.	Actions	Who
1	<b>HSP Terms of Reference</b> - matrix to be created showing future dates for the HPPB and HSS meetings. – <b>COMPLETED</b>	MW
2	<b>Devolution:</b> Liaison on a representative from another area who has been through Devolution with a view to presenting at the next meeting on 25 September. – <b>COMPLETED</b>	JM/JaM
3	<b>Local Skills Improvement Plan (LSIP) programme:</b> a) Slides to be circulated and published online. – <b>COMPLETED</b> b) LSIP to be a standing agenda item at every HSP meeting. – <b>COMPLETED</b>	JaM JaM
4.	<b>Hampshire Prosperity Partnership Board</b> a) LEP legacy reserves paper to be shared: <a href="https://documents.hants.gov.uk/hampshire-prosperity-partnership/HPPB-250609-Approach-use-of-LEP-legacyreserves.pdf">https://documents.hants.gov.uk/hampshire-prosperity-partnership/HPPB-250609-Approach-use-of-LEP-legacyreserves.pdf</a> – <b>COMPLETED</b>	MG RM
5	<b>Get Britain Working Plans:</b> a) Schedule an additional HSP meeting on Teams in August to review the Get Hampshire Working Plan. – <b>COMPLETED</b> b) Share link to Get Solent Working Plan landing page: <a href="https://solentgrowthpartnership.co.uk/get-solent-working/">https://solentgrowthpartnership.co.uk/get-solent-working/</a> – <b>COMPLETED</b>	JaM JaM
6	<b>Hampshire Skills Strategy (HSS) and Working Group:</b> a) Related HSP documents to be circulated and published online. – <b>COMPLETED</b> b) Next Working Group workshop on 16 July. JaM to provide feedback at next meeting. – <b>COMPLETED</b> c) JaM to continue working on Hampshire Skills Strategy, based on feedback received at this meeting, and share latest version at next meeting. – <b>COMPLETED</b>	JaM JaM JaM
7	<b>Discussion: Exploring the match / mismatch between learners' expectations vs employers' skills demands.</b> a) Jamie and Sarah to discuss next steps (including Ethical consent), lead institution/s and potential funding bid. – <b>IN PROGRESS</b>	JaM/SG
8	<b>AI Growth Alliance:</b> Presentation to be circulated and published online for feedback and expressions of interest. – <b>COMPLETED</b>	JaM/ST