

Western Gateway (WG) Partnership Board Meeting

Agenda

Wednesday 25th February 2026, 13:00 - 15:00

Location: Microsoft Teams

Ref.	Item	Lead	Time
1	Welcome and apologies	Cllr Chris Willmore	13:00
2	<p>Public Participation</p> <p>(Paper circulated separately to Board members)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Questions or Representations from members of the public in line with the Board's Public Participation Scheme. 	Cllr Chris Willmore	13:05
MATTERS FOR INFORMATION			
3	<p>Technical Programme Update – <u>Paper B</u></p> <p>Finance Update – <u>Paper C</u></p>	<p>James White</p> <p>Mena Abidakun</p>	13:15
4	<p>Updates from Associate Members</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DfT – Verbal update • Network Rail – Verbal update • National Highways – verbal update 	<p>Ben Kempner</p> <p>Matt Haywood</p> <p>Heather Cowling</p>	13:30
MATTERS FOR DECISION			
5	<p>Exclusion of the Press & Public</p> <p>RECOMMENDATION that the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 of Schedule 12A of the Act namely the financial or business affairs of persons tendering for the provision of council goods or</p>	<p>James White</p> <p>James White</p>	14:00

	services and of the Combined Authority, in both cases, and in accordance with Section 36 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, by virtue of the fact that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.		
6	AOB	Cllr Chris Willmore	14:30

Date of next meeting: TBC