Strategic Economic Plan: Progress as of Q1 20/21 SEP Baseline 2016 2017 2018 2019 2014 2015 Direction of Travel SEP Target: JOB DENSITY Source: ONS, NOMIS, Jobs density of jobs is a workplace-based measure. 293 000 292 000 200 000 292 000 293 000 291.000 lan 2021 -1.000 -0.3 55% Growth (25.00) TV 0.71 = lan 2021 N/A N/A UK 0.82 UK 0.8 UK 0.83 UK 0.85 UK 0.86 UK 0.86 0.12 0.11 0.11 0.13 0.16 0.16 0.05 N/A SEP Baseli SEP Target: GVA PER HOUR 2014 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 % Change Measure 28.3 29.2 30.2 30.6 31.3 31.8 Feb 202 2.6 8.9% 91.3 91.6 92.1 92 91.4 90.9 -0.7 SEP Base SEP Target: BUSINESS DENSITY 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 Measure 10% Growth (2,000 16.500 16,500 17.100 17,500 17.230 17,765 1,265 307 306 317 323 318 327 21 N/A 72.2% of the UK rate 65.6 65.5 65.6 65.4 63.7 64.8 -0.7 N/A SEP Baseli Latest Updated Data SEP Target: Measure 2014 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 POPULATION 6% Growth (increasing population to 706,200) 666,200 667,000 668,300 671,000 672,500 674,300 675.900 8,900 1.3% SEP Baseli SEP Target: NVQ LEVEL 4+ Cumulati 2015 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 Number aged 16-64 qualified to NVQ4+ 126,600 123,700 125,700 120,700 125,800 125,300 -4,600 Source: ONS, NOMIS, APS 36% of working age esidents with a NVQ les 4 qual 29.6 30.3 30.4 30.8 30.1 30.6 -0.8 N/A SEP Baselin SEP Target: CO2 EMISSIONS Cumulative Change Measure 2005 2005 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 % Chano

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* Note that baseline figures are taken from data confirmed as correct at the time of writing the SEP. Latest updated data may include retrospective revisions to ONS datasets. The latest update provides an indication of the direction of travel, in relation to achieving SEP ambitions.

Commentary

Jobs:

The number of jobs within Tees Valley fell in 2019 beneath 2014 levels for the first time, overall the cumulative jobs estimate is showing a 1,000 reduction in jobs numbers as of January 2021. As such we are now 26,000 jobs behind target. This is likely to be compounded by the effects of the Covid Pandemic. However, this should be viewed in the light of the UKs macro economic performance, and is broadly in line with comparative UK regional averages.

Productivity:

As of February 2021 the Tees Valley has seen an overall 8.9% increase in the GVA per hour worked target which acts as a measure of productivity. However, the Tees Valley is lagging behind the UK average. As of the latest data, the Tees Valley is at 90.9% of the UK average. The Tees Valley has a further 3.1% to travel in order to bring the GVA per hour worked up to the 94% of UK average target as set within the SFP.

Business Density:

The Tees Valley has seen, cumulatively, an increase in 1,265 businesses since 2015 a growth of 7.7% therefore just 2.3% behind the target outlined in the SEP. The Tees Valley is also just 17 enterprises behind the target of 344 enterprises per 10,000 adults with a growth of 21 additional enterprises per 10,000 adults with a growth of 21 additional enterprises per 10,000 adults in 2019. The Tees Valley continues to experience growth in the number of businesses in the region performing strongly particularly in terms of SME growth. However, the Tees Valley remains 7.4% behind the 72.2% of the UK rate.

Population Growth:

With regards to population growth the Tees Valley has seen in total a cumulative change of +8,900 equivalent to 1.3% growth, the Tees Valley is, in total, 30,300 behind the SEP target of increasing population level to 706,200.

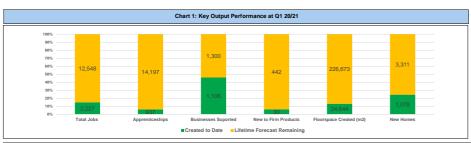
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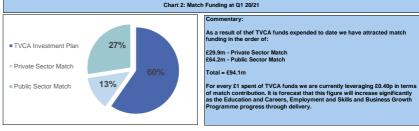
The percentage of Tees Valley residents of working age (16-64) that are qualified to NVQ Level 4 or above as of 2019, has fallen by 3.7% a cumulative reduction of 4,600 residents since 2015. The Tees Valley has in total 29.6% of working age residents educated to NVQ level 4 and above, which is now 6.4% behind the target outlined in the SEP.

CO2 Emissions Reduction:

As of 2018 the Tees Valley has seen an overall reduction in 10.7m tonnes of C02 Emissions we have now exceeded the targeted 25% reduction in CO2 Emissions set out within the SEP.

Combined Authority: Investment Plan Outputs as of Q1 20/21





Commentary:

<u>Jobs</u>: In terms of the total jobs delivered to date 2,227 total jobs inclusive of facilitated and indirect jobs have been created as of Q1 20/21 this represents 15% of the total number of jobs created over the lifetime of the Investment Plan.

Apprenticeships: To date 937 apprenticeships have been created as a result of our interventions as of Q1 20/21 this represents 6% of the total fo recast, this number is expected to increase significantly as a result of the new apprenticeships grant over the course of the financial year.

Businesses Supported: Businesses supported to date total 1,106 out of the 2,406 currently forecast which is equivalent to 45% of the overall forecast. In order to reach our forecast target over the lifetime of the investment Plan only a further 1,300 businesses are to be supported.

New to Firm Products: As of Q1 20/21 30 new to firm products have been created as a result of our interventions this represents 6% of our total lif etime target, however, this is expected to increase significantly over the course of the next financial year as the Collaborative Networks Programme begins to deliver.

Floorspace Created: In total, to date 34,644 square meters of additional floorspace has been created by interventions supported from InvestmentPlan funds this represents 13% of our overall forecast. It is anticipated that this output may be subject to lag due to the Covid pandemic curtailing construction,

New Homes: 1,078 new homes have been delivered as a result of support from Investment Plan funds this represents 25% of the forecast, the overall forecast is expected to increase over the lifetime of the plan as a significant number of new homes will be supported, in particular, by Transport interventions yet to come forward for approval.

	Table 1: Efficiency - Cost per Job				
	Job Numbers	Forecast Expenditure (£m)	Efficiency (Cost per Job)	Commentary: A large proportion of Combined Authority investment is	
Total number of jobs delivered by approved projects within Investment plan as of Q1 20/21	2,227	£214m	£96,093	delivered on the basis of investing in the right infrastructure to accelerate private sector growth through growing Tees Valley as an attractive place to do business. The number of jobs delivered by the Investment Plan generally comes from investment to support business growth which may not be fully captured as the	
Total number of jobs forecast to be delivered by approved Investment Plan projects over lifetime of plan	14,775	£588.2m	£39,800	private sector benefits from the totality of our investments. It is, however, anticipated that over the lifetime of the investment Plan our efficiency will increase. As has been forecast in Table 1.	

Key Outputs Forecast from all Interventions supported to date at Q1 20/2	Direction of Travel	
Direct and Indirect Jobs	14,775	For use in Future Quarters
Apprenticeships	15,134	For use in Future Quarters
Businesses Supported	2,406	For use in Future Quarters
New to Firm and New to Market Products / Processes	472	For use in Future Quarters
New Homes	4,389	For use in Future Quarters
Commercial Floorspace Created (Sqm)	261,317	For use in Future Quarters
New Homes	4,389	For use in Future Quarters