

Lancashire LEP
Joint Scrutiny Committee
March 2021



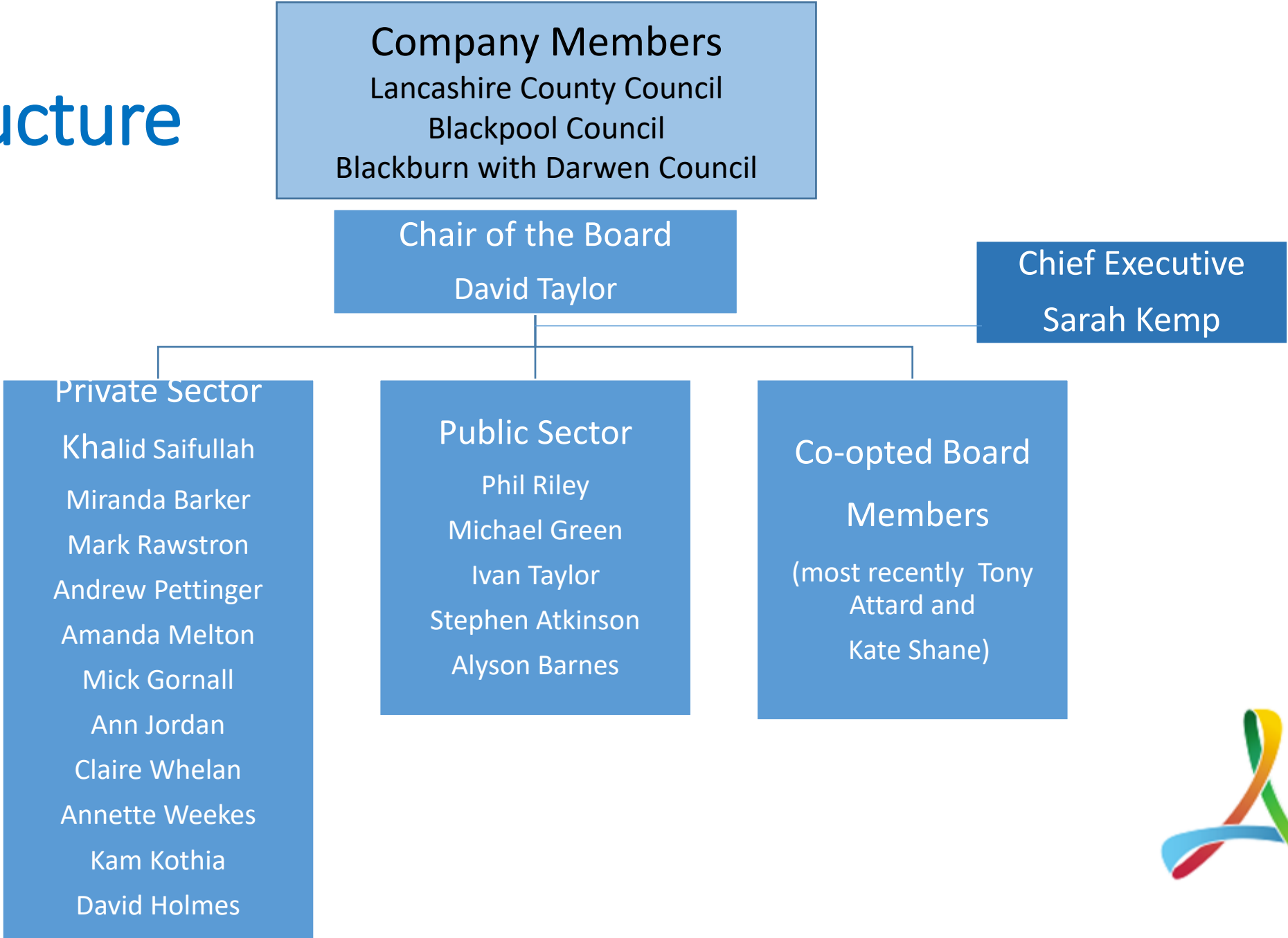
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Enterprise Partnership

Local Enterprise Partnerships

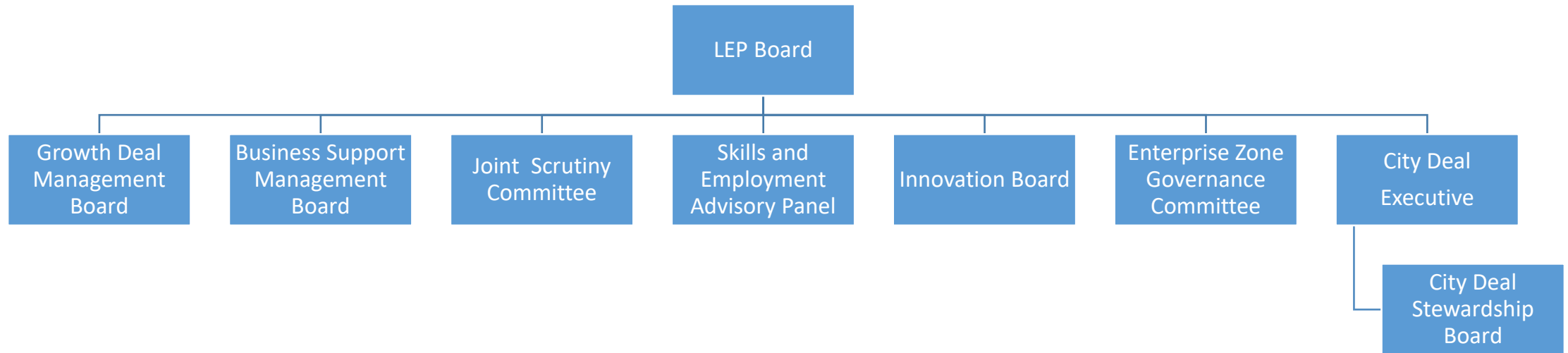


- LEPs are **business led** public-private partnerships
- entrusted with **public funds** and responsibilities to drive growth across England.
- as **legal entities** they are required to follow relevant legislation and governance arrangements which align to the model they adopt. (MCA or CA, a company limited by guarantee or a community interest partnership)
- **drive inclusive growth, increase prosperity and improve productivity**
- required to develop their own **Local Assurance Framework** based on Government requirements and guidance. Formally this guidance was provided through the LEP National Growth Assurance Framework.
- seek to drive growth at a **strategic economic geography**, through place-based and locally-controlled policies and funds.
- required to meet specific requirements on **governance, accountability and transparency arrangements**

LEP Structure



LEP Board Committees



Overview on Governance



Members

Articles of Association

Accountable Body Agreement

Partnership Delivery Framework

Company Law

National

National Assurance Framework

Annual Performance review

Peer to Peer Review

Programme monitoring

Deep Dives/Improvement Plans

Local

Local Assurance Framework

Accountable Body

Section 151 Officer

Audit

Chair/CEX Statements

Independent secretariat

Annual Conference

Role of local authority scrutiny

- National Growth Assurance Framework – agree with Accountable Body – independent and external scrutiny
- opportunity to scrutinise the work of the LEP on behalf of area constituents
- the focus should be on forward thinking and making positive changes
- Intent is to help foster positive and constructive relationships between scrutiny, local councillors, LEP directors and officers
- should gather evidence on issues affecting local people and make recommendations to the LEP
- provide the role of “critical friend” – identify areas where decision making can be improved
- purpose of scrutiny is ultimately to improve the lives of local people through improved public services.

Overview on Delivery



Strategy

Strategic Framework

Local Industrial Strategy

Internationalisation Strategy

Sector Plans

Innovation Strategy

Cultural Strategy

GLP IER (partnership)

Programme Management

Growth Deal £273m

Getting Building Fund £34.1m

Growing Places £19.3m

Partnership Delivery

BOOST Growth Hub

Skills and Employment Hub

City Deal

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Skills & Employment Framework - Refresh

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What is the Strategic Economic Framework?

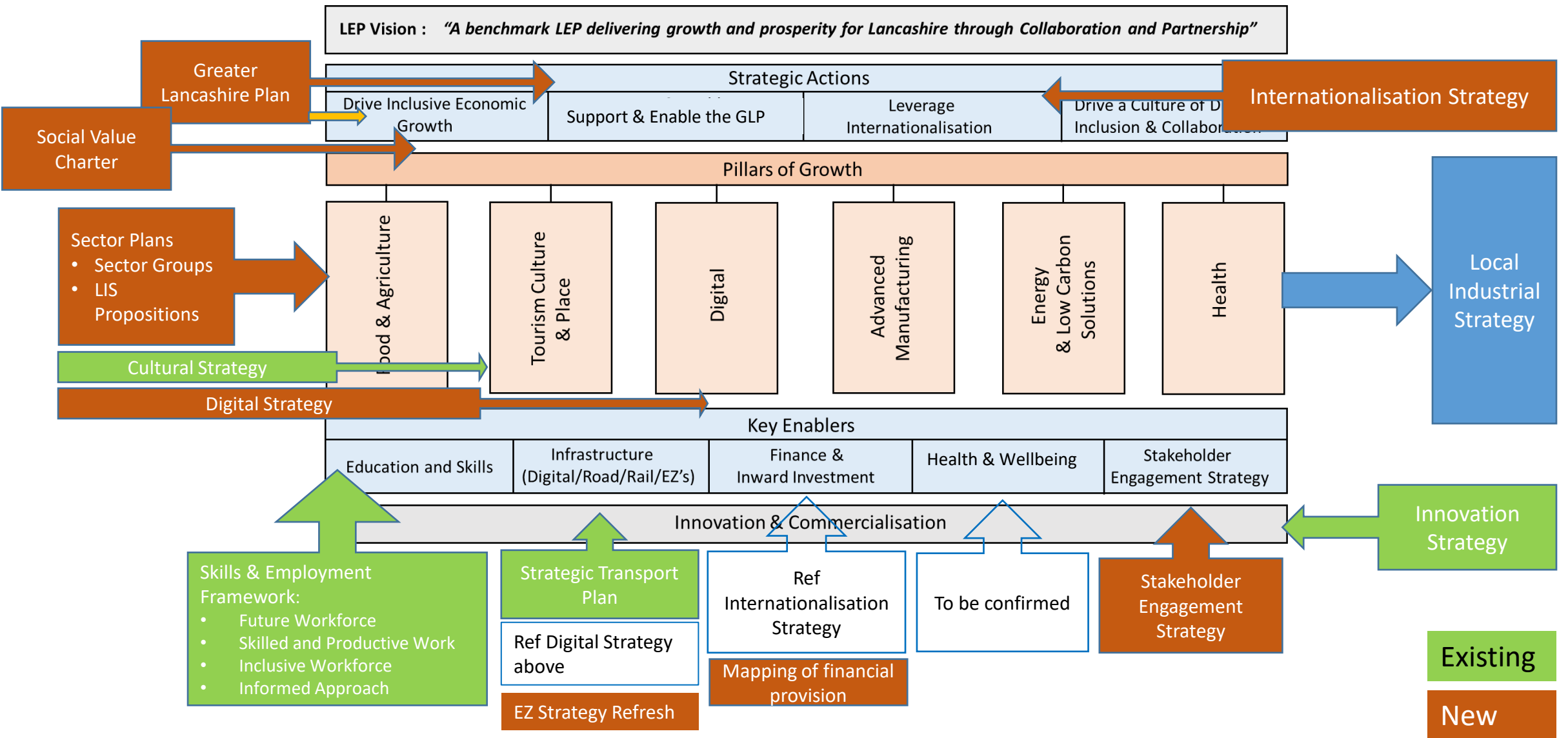
Developed by the Board of the LEP to shape the arena of drive economic growth and job creation

A system of inputs and outputs from which recommendations can be brought forward to achieve resilient and sustainable economic growth and job creation:

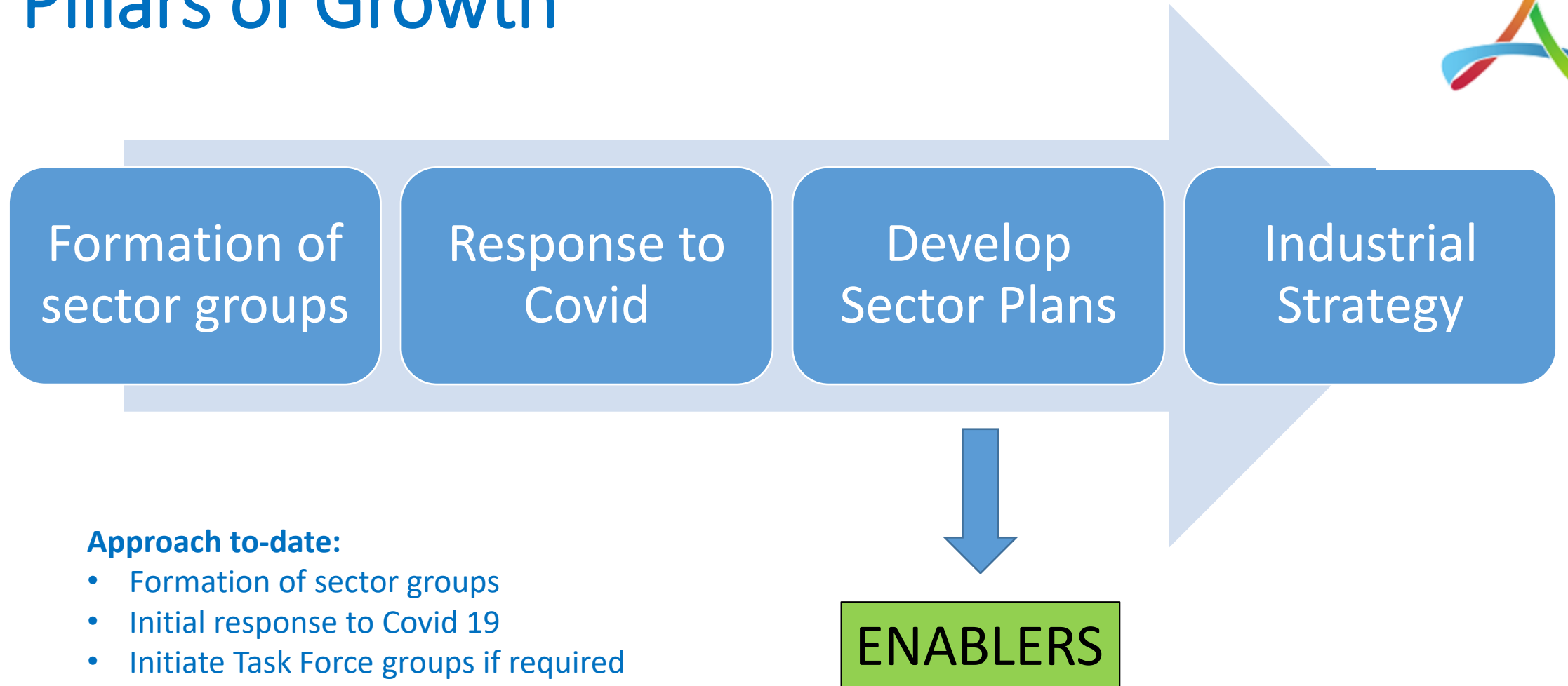
- Data and intelligence
- Alignment of stakeholder strategic objectives (e.g Tourism Growth Strategy)
- Strategic analysis, strategy development and strategies for economic growth
- Public and private sector investment
- Programmes of delivery and major projects
- Policy influence and determination
- Resources – shared capability and capacity
- Monitoring and evaluation
- Partnership working



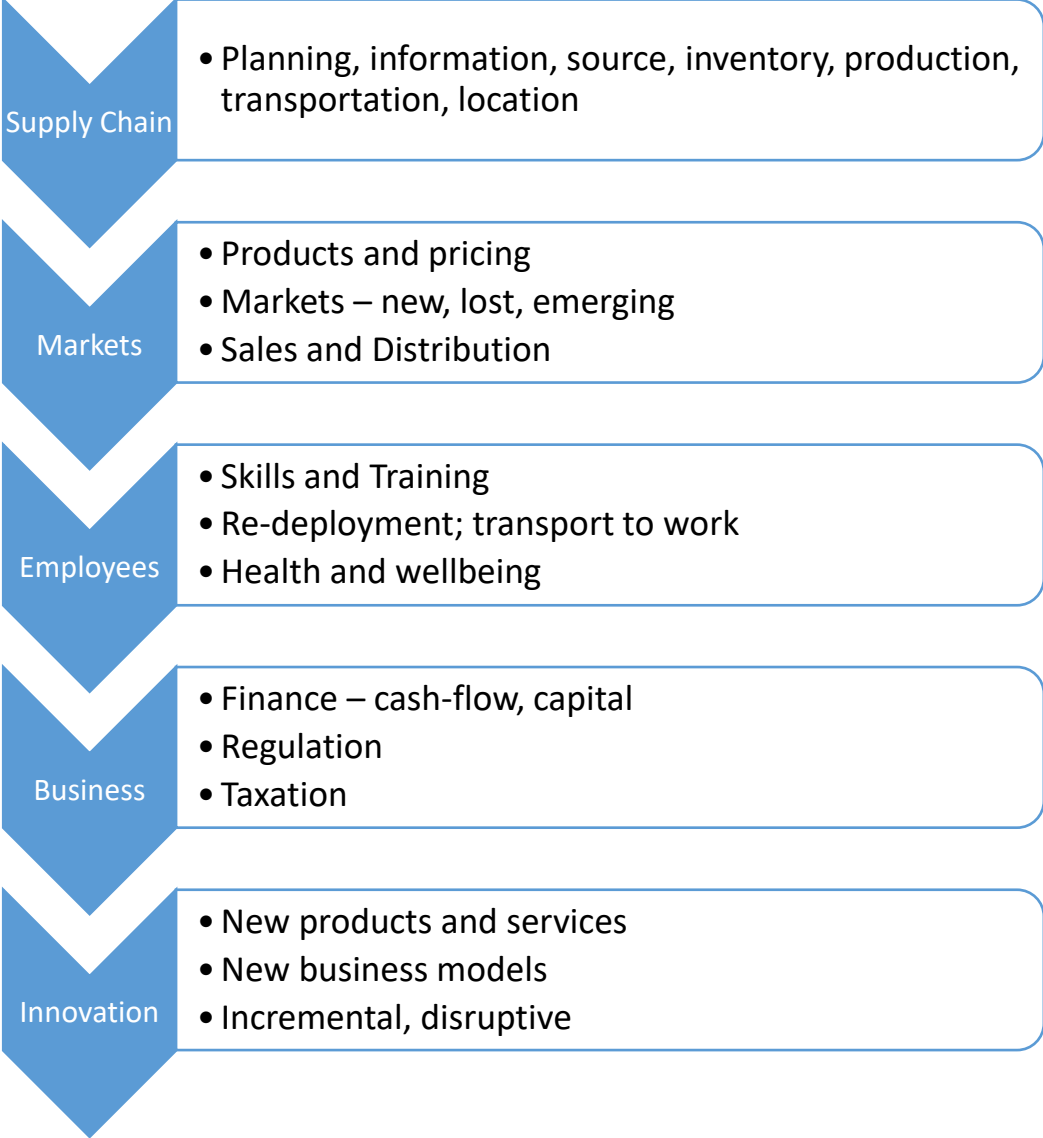
Development of the Framework – strategy elements in development



Pillars of Growth



Response to Covid



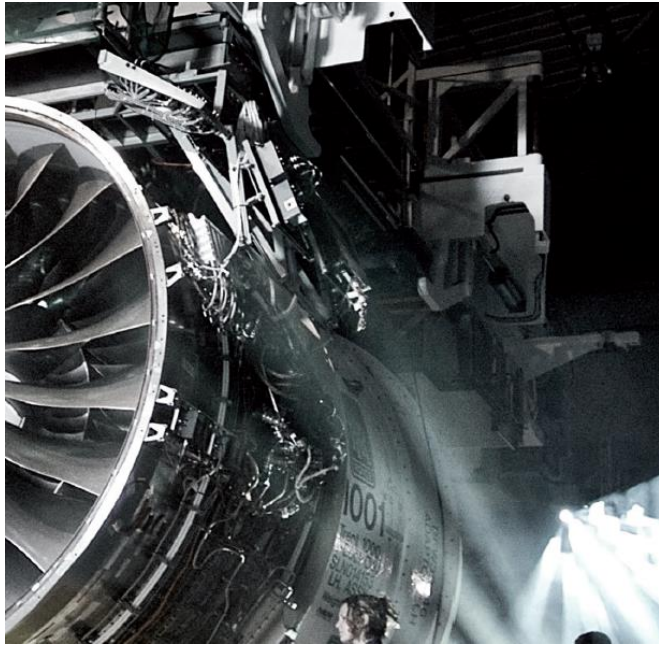
What interventions are needed to address both the challenges and opportunities the sector faces?

	Survival	Stabilisation	Recovery	Return to Growth
Challenges & Opportunities				
Define Success				
Implications for:				
Supply Chain				
Markets				
Employees				
Business				
Innovation				
Other				

What are the priorities, sequencing, and timing of these interventions?

Sector Groups

Sector	Chair	Current Burning Issues
MANUFACTURING Subgroups Aerospace	Annette Weekes MD PDS Engineering Claire Whelan	Loss of Employment Supply Chain BREXIT
DIGITAL	Kam Kothia – CEX Time2Technology Chair of Star Academy	Skills Investment Infrastructure
ENERGY AND LOW CARBON TECHNOLOGIES	Mick Gornall MD Cavendish Nuclear	National Policy Commercialisation of technology Skills
FOOD AND AGRICULTURE	David Hall Regional Director NFU	Embracing global opportunities Skills Agriculture Bill
HEALTH	StJohn Crean Pro VC Clinical UCLAN	
TOURISM, CULTURE PLACE	Kate Shane MD Merlin	Covid 19 Restrictions Loss of employment Cashflow



Aerospace Task Force

- Blue print for other sectors

Next steps

Socialising with MPs and other key stakeholders

Discussing the Plan with the Stakeholder group

Develop the National campaign

Convene partners to discuss implementation proposals



Lancashire Aerospace Task Force
Draft of a Scenario Based Delivery Plan
Wednesday 23rd September 2020



Looking ahead...responding to the big challenges



- Continuing impact of Covid 19 – Recovery and return to growth
- BREXIT – mitigating damage, embracing global opportunities
- Climate Change/Net Zero Carbon
- Productivity gap
- Devolution
- LEP Review
- Levelling Up and UK Shared Prosperity Funds

Forward Plan - suggestions



- Local Industrial Strategy
- Implementation of the Innovation Strategy
- Sector Plans – Energy and Low Carbon
 - Food and Agriculture
 - Digital
 - Health
 - Manufacturing
 - Tourism, Culture and Place
- Growing Places loan Fund
- Growth Deal