

Growing Places Fund Update Appendix A				Deliverability and Risk						
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Green Hydrogen Generation Facility	Kent	Round Three	<p>The project involves the construction of the UK's largest zero carbon hydrogen production system. This will be situated in Herne Bay, Kent and will be powered by way of a direct connection to the on-land substation for the existing Vattenfall offshore wind farms. The GPF funding will be used to purchase equipment for hydrogen production facility (electrolysers and compressors), specialised tube trailers for storage and distribution of hydrogen and hydrogen refuelling systems which are installed within the SELEP region.</p> <p>The wind farm due to be used to support the production of hydrogen needs to be upgraded and safety issues have been identified with some of the wind turbines. Work is ongoing to address this issue but in the meantime, alternative options are being considered by the delivery partner to ensure that the project can progress as planned - although based on current information, this may result in a significant delay in the facility entering use.</p>	<p>A preferred engineering contractor has been identified and concept engineering design work has been undertaken. Discussions are ongoing with potential suppliers. Site clearance was expected to take place before April 2022, however, this has been delayed to allow time for the design to progress.</p>	<p>The programme has been delayed as a result of COVID-19. In addition, Brexit is likely to impact on delivery timescales for materials and equipment. There is also intense interest in the hydrogen economy which has resulted in longer than expected response times from suppliers. The safety issues identified with the wind turbines are also causing a delay to project delivery.</p>	<p>Construction has been delayed as a result of COVID-19 impacts on engagement with service and equipment suppliers. The risk has been mitigated via an accelerated procurement process. However, issues with the wind turbines continue to delay project delivery, increasing the GPF spend risk.</p>	<p>No repayment risk identified. Increasing levels of demand for green hydrogen in the region is expected to enable timely repayment of the GPF funding.</p>	<p>Project outcomes will be delivered as per the Business Case following project delivery. However, there is currently a significant risk to project delivery.</p>	<p>Risk of fluctuation in the electricity and natural gas markets has materialised, with a similar effect on the market price of hydrogen.</p> <p>Required upgrade to wind turbines and the associated risks identified are delaying delivery of the project.</p>	<p>Construction has been delayed due to COVID-19 impacts and the need to upgrade the existing wind farm.</p> <p>Project outcomes still expected to be delivered as per the Business Case.</p>
Centre for Advanced Engineering	Essex	Round Two	<p>Development of a new Centre of Excellence for Advanced Automotive and Process Engineering (CAAPE) through the acquisition and fit out of over 8,000sqm, on an industrial estate in Leigh on Sea. The project will also facilitate the vacation of the Nethermayne site in Basildon, which has been identified for the development of a major regeneration scheme.</p>	<p>Phase 1 completed and operational for start of 2018/19 academic year including motor vehicle and engineering. Phase 2 was completed in November 2018, allowing student enrolment from December 2018. The project was completed on time, to quality and within the revised budget.</p> <p>Revised repayment schedule agreed in November 2021.</p>	<p>Project delivered</p>	<p>GPF funding spent in full</p>	<p>Revised repayment schedule approved by the Board in November 2021. Ability to repay in accordance with this schedule will be considered through annual updates to the Board.</p> <p>An update was provided to the Board at the last meeting which identified significant repayment risks. This risk will be managed by Essex County Council following the closure of SELEP.</p>	<p>Initial project outcomes reported including new learners, apprentices and new jobs created.</p> <p>The College have indicated that the Centre for Advanced Engineering is recovering post COVID-19 and that learner numbers are strengthening, although they remain below pre-COVID levels.</p>		<p>The project is complete and is showing signs of recovery following the COVID-19 pandemic, however, there is a significant repayment risk which will need to be kept under review.</p>
Eastbourne Fisherman's Quayside and Infrastructure Development	East Sussex	Round Two	<p>This capital project has secured £1,000,000 European Maritime and Fisheries Fund (EMFF) grant funding to build a Fishermen's Quay in Sovereign Harbour to develop local seafood processing infrastructure to support long term sustainable fisheries and the economic viability of Eastbourne's inshore fishing fleet.</p>	<p>Work commenced onsite on 27th July 2020 and an official ground breaking ceremony was held on 24th August.</p> <p>GPF funded element of the wider project has been completed.</p>	<p>Project delivered</p>	<p>GPF funding has been spent in full</p>	<p>A revised repayment schedule was agreed by the Board in April 2023. However, there is a significant risk that the revised repayment schedule will not be met. This risk will be managed by East Sussex County Council following the closure of SELEP.</p>	<p>Project has been impacted by Brexit and the COVID-19 pandemic which has resulted in benefits being realised at a slower pace than originally forecast. Challenges have also been encountered meaning the benefits are not safeguarded.</p>		<p>Delivery of project outcomes has been adversely impacted by new Brexit regulations. In addition, there is a risk that repayment will not be made in line with the agreed repayment schedule.</p>

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North Queensway	East Sussex	Round One	The project has delivered the construction of a new junction and preliminary site infrastructure in order to open up the development of a new business park providing serviced development sites with the capacity for circa 16,000m ² (gross) of high quality industrial and office premises.	GPF invested, project complete and full repayment made. Following completion of the enabling works, follow on investment has not yet come forward. This is due to a lack of site frontage ownership and delays in negotiating the determination of the option price. The option price has now been determined by a jointly appointed independent valuer which will hopefully unlock the site for development allowing realisation of the forecast project benefits.	GPF funded enabling works complete but delivery of enabled workspace has not yet commenced	GPF funding spent in full	GPF repaid in full	No project outcomes realised to date.		The GPF funded enabling works have been completed, however, no commercial workspace has been brought forward to date and therefore no benefits have been realised.
Innovation Park Medway (southern site enabling works)	Medway	Round Two	The Project is part of a wider package of investment at Innovation Park Medway. The Innovation Park is one of three sites across Kent and Medway which together form the North Kent Enterprise Zone. The vision for Innovation Park Medway is to attract high GVA businesses focused on the technological and science sectors – particularly engineering, advanced manufacturing, high value technology and knowledge intensive industries. These businesses will deliver high value jobs in the area and will contribute to upskilling the local workforce. This is to be achieved through general employment and the recruitment and training of apprentices including degree-level apprenticeships through collaboration with the Higher Education sector. The Project will bring forward site enabling works on the southern site at the Innovation Park.	The Masterplan and Local Development Order (LDO) for Innovation Park Medway have now been adopted by both Medway Council and Tonbridge and Malling Borough Council. The access roads, footpaths, lighting, signage and utilities have been delivered onsite. Marketing of the site is ongoing and enquiries are being reviewed. An update on the project has not been provided by Medway Council, however, the following update has been taken from a report which is being presented to Medway Council Cabinet on 13 February 2024. It has previously been reported that Council funding had been secured to bring forward two plots on the site. However, the procurement process has returned higher than expected construction costs and therefore the Council have concluded that this approach is no longer viable. Medway Council officers are now proposing that development of the site is paused whilst a review of development options is undertaken.	GPF funded enabling works have now been delivered	GPF funding has been spent in full	GPF loan has been repaid in full	The enabling works have been completed but Medway Council have now concluded that the proposed development route is unviable and are proposing that development of the site is paused to allow a review of development options to be undertaken. This presents a significant risk in relation to benefit realisation.		The GPF funded enabling works have now been delivered and the GPF funding has been repaid in full. Realisation of project outcomes is now dependent upon the outcome of the review of development options proposed by Medway Council.
Observer Building, Hastings - Tranche 1	East Sussex	Round Three	The project will support Phase 1 of the full redevelopment of the 4,000 sqm. Observer Building, which has been empty and increasingly derelict for 35 years, into a highly productive mixed-use building, creating new homes, jobs, enterprise space and support.	Planning permission for the proposed works was granted in September 2020. Following a period of value engineering, works commenced onsite and the majority of the works have now been completed. A number of tenants are now in situ on both the Alley Level and in the first floor office and co-working spaces.	This is a complex project seeking to address the impacts of 35 years of dereliction. Delivery of the GPF funded works is complete and funding has been secured to support development of the remaining floors in the building.	GPF allocation has been spent in full	The repayment schedule currently remains as set out in the Business Case but the ongoing global economic uncertainty and delays to delivery of the wider project present a significant risk which may mean repayment cannot be achieved in line with the current repayment schedule.	It is expected that the Project outcomes will be realised as per the Business Case.		Project is progressing onsite. GPF funding has been spent in full and project outcomes remain as set out in the Business Case. Repayment risk will be monitored by East Sussex County Council following project completion

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Observer Building, Hastings - Tranche 2	East Sussex	Round Three	The project will support the full redevelopment of the 4,000 sqm. Observer Building, which has been empty and increasingly derelict for 35 years, into a highly productive mixed-use building, creating new homes, jobs, enterprise space and support.	Growing Places Fund loan agreement completed in December 2021. Full funding allocation drawn down in January 2022. Additional funding will allow sequential delivery of improvements to the upper floors of the building, reducing the need for scaffolding to be removed and replaced at a later date. GPF funded outputs expected to complete by March 2024, however, further funding will be required to ensure that the full project specification can be delivered.	This is a complex project seeking to address the impacts of 35 years of dereliction. Delivery of the GPF funded works is complete and funding has been secured to support development of the remaining floors in the building.	GPF funding has been spent in full	The repayment schedule currently remains as set out in the Business Case but the ongoing global economic uncertainty and delays to delivery of the wider project present a risk which may mean repayment cannot be achieved in line with the current repayment schedule.	It is expected that the Project outcomes will be realised as per the Business Case.		Project is progressing onsite. Project outcomes remain as set out in the Business Case. Repayment risk will be monitored by East Sussex County Council following project completion
Sovereign Harbour	East Sussex	Round One	The Pacific House project has delivered 2,345m ² of high quality office space with the potential to facilitate up to 299 jobs. This is the first major development in the Sovereign Harbour Innovation Park in the A22/A27 growth corridor.	The Sovereign Harbour Innovation Mall (Pacific House) project is now complete and has delivered 2,345m ² of high quality office space.	Project Complete	GPF funding spent in full	Repayment of the remaining balance owed on the loan was expected to be achieved through the sale of the building but to date the building has not been sold. Consequently, a request for a revised repayment schedule is set out within the Board report for consideration at this meeting.	The building has been completed and high occupancy levels have been reported.		Project has been delivered and building currently has high occupancy levels. However, there is a need for a revised repayment schedule to be considered by the Board.
Workspace Kent	Kent	Round One	The project aims to provide funds to businesses to establish incubator areas/facilities across Kent. The project provides funds for the building of new facilities and refit of existing facilities.	There are four projects within this programme. Of these, two projects have been completed and have repaid in full and one project has agreed a revised repayment schedule with Kent County Council due to the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. The remaining project has partially repaid the funding but the company has now been dissolved and there are no further means to recover the outstanding balance. Write off of the outstanding balance owed by this company (£18,767) was agreed by the Board in November 2021. A further project had been approved, however, this project has now been removed from the programme and alternative projects are being considered.	It was previously reported that the GPF funding had all been allocated to approved projects, however, the final project has now been removed from the programme. Alternative options for use of the remaining funding are being considered and discussions are ongoing with 3 potential projects.	The final project (recently approved) has been removed from the programme. There is an increased spend risk until an alternative project has been identified and approved.	Two of the five projects have now completed and repaid in full, with a third partially repaying prior to dissolution of the company. The fourth project restarted repayments in July 2023 following a short repayment holiday.	Two projects repaid in advance of their agreed final repayment date, and therefore the forecast job creation to be achieved within the contractual period of 5 years could not be achieved. Additional outcomes will be delivered as a result of the final project (once identified) and therefore forecast project outcomes should still be achieved.		The majority of the GPF funding has been invested in projects. Efforts are ongoing to identify a suitable project for investment of the remaining funding.
Chatham Waterfront	Medway	Round One	The project will deliver land assembly, flood mitigation and the creation of investment in public space required to enable the development of proposals for the Chatham Waterfront Development. A waterfront development site that can provide up to 175 homes over 6 to 10 storeys with ground floor commercial space.	No update has been provided by Medway Council.	No update has been provided by Medway Council	The GPF Funding has been spent in full	GPF funding repaid in full	Realisation of forecast project outcomes is dependent upon delivery of the wider project.		It is understood that work is continuing onsite to deliver the wider project which will realise the forecast project outcomes.

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Colchester Northern Gateway	Essex	Round Two	This development is located at Cuckoo Farm, off Junction 28 of the A12. The overall scheme consists of: relocation of the existing Colchester Rugby club site to land north of the A12 which will unlock residential land for up to 560 homes, providing in total around 35% affordable units and on site infrastructure improvements facilitating the development of the Sports and Leisure Hub.	The GPF supported phase of the project has been completed and the GPF funding has been repaid in full.	There is no delivery risk in relation to the GPF funded element of the project, however, delivery of the wider project has been impacted by delays in bringing forward required highway works. It is now expected that the highway works will commence in Q4 2024 with delivery of planned homes to follow from 2025/26.	GPF funding spent in full. In November 2021, Board approved the reduction in value of the GPF loan to £1.35m	Full repayment of the GPF funding has been made.	Realisation of forecast project outcomes is dependent upon delivery of the wider project.		GPF funded works delivered and GPF funding repaid in full. However, delivery of wider project and realisation of forecast outcomes impacted by delays in bringing forward the required highway works.
Fitted Rigging House	Medway	Round Two	The Fitted Rigging House project converts a large, Grade 1, former industrial building into office and public benefit space initially providing a base for eight organisations employing over 350 people and freeing up space to create a postgraduate study facility elsewhere onsite for the University of Kent Business School. The project also provides expansion space for the future which has the potential to enable the creation of a high tech cluster based on the work of one core tenant and pre-existing creative industries concentrated on the site. The conversion will provide 3,473m ² of office space.	Building works to the project were complete as of 31 March 2020. The building is now fully occupied, with all 8 tenants operating from their new working spaces. Immediate impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic were experienced, resulting in delays to repayment of the GPF loan.	Project complete.	GPF allocation spent in full.	A repayment against the project is expected in March 2024, however, Medway Council have not confirmed whether this repayment will be forthcoming.	The sustainability of tenants is returning to pre COVID-19 levels and therefore there is greater confidence that project outcomes will be achieved and maintained.		The project has been delivered and it is expected that repayments will be made in line with the agreed repayment schedule although this has not been confirmed by Medway Council.
No Use Empty South Essex	Southend	Round Three	The No Use Empty Commercial project aims to return long-term empty commercial properties to use, for residential, alternative commercial or mixed-use purposes. In particular, it will focus on town centres, where secondary retail and other commercial areas have been significantly impacted by changing consumer demand and have often been neglected as a result of larger regeneration schemes.	The Growing Places Loan agreement has now been completed. The GPF funding will be released to Southend-on-Sea City Council following completion of the Deed of Variation which formalises the change to the repayment schedule agreed by the Board in June 2023.	A pipeline of projects has been established.	Required due diligence and legal processes are taking longer than anticipated which may increase the GPF spend risk.	A revised repayment schedule was agreed at the June 2023 Board meeting.	A pipeline of projects has been developed and therefore it is expected that the forecast project outcomes will be achieved.		GPF funding has not yet been drawn down but a pipeline of projects has been developed demonstrating demand for the No Use Empty scheme.
Bexhill Business Mall	East Sussex	Round One	The Bexhill Business Mall (Glover's House) project has delivered 2,345m ² of high quality office space with the potential to facilitate up to 299 jobs. This is the first major development in the Bexhill Enterprise Park in the A259/A21 growth corridor.	Glover's House has been delivered. The building has been sold which allowed full repayment of the GPF loan to be made during 2019/20.	Project Complete	GPF spent in full	GPF funding repaid in full	As the building has now been sold, it is difficult to obtain real-time data regarding the number of jobs created as a result of the project.		Project completed and GPF repaid in full
Chelmsford Urban Expansion	Essex	Round One	The early phase of development in NE Chelmsford involves heavy infrastructure demands constrained to 1,000 completed dwellings. The fund will help deliver an improvement to the Boreham Interchange, allowing the threshold to be raised to 1,350, improving cash flow and the simultaneous commencement of two major housing schemes.	GPF invested and GPF has been repaid in full.	GPF element of the project complete but delivery of the wider project is continuing.	GPF element of the project complete	GPF element of the project complete and loan repaid in full.	Expected project outcomes not yet delivered. Information is being provided on the number of houses delivered and the number of jobs created.		GPF element of the project complete
Grays Magistrates Court	Thurrock	Round One	The project has converted the Magistrates Court to business space as part of a wider Grays South regeneration project which aims to revitalise Grays town centre.	GPF invested, project complete and repayment made in full. The refurbished building is now in use and having a positive impact in the town centre.	Project Complete	GPF funding spent in full	GPF funding repaid in full	Project outcomes delivered.	COVID-19 is likely to impact on the economy and therefore there may be reduced occupancy of the business space in the short term.	Project delivered.

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Harlow West Essex	Essex/Harlow	Round One	To provide new and improved access to the London Road site designated within the Harlow Enterprise Zone.	Project delivered to a reduced scope.	Project Complete	GPF funding spent in full	GPF funding repaid in full	The job and housing outcomes are likely to be delivered over a 7 to 10 year period. As project delivered to a reduced scope, approximately 1,000 less jobs will be delivered as a result of the project.		GPF element of the project complete. Realisation of forecast project benefits expected over an extended time period.
Herne Relief Road - Bullockstone Road improvement scheme	Kent	Round Three	The proposed Herne Relief Road is formed of two sections: the Bullockstone Road Improvement Scheme and a spine road through the proposed Lower Herne Village at Strode Farm. This project seeks to bring forward the Bullockstone Road Improvement Scheme element of the Relief Road.	Delivery of the Bullockstone Road Improvement Scheme is now complete. The spine road through the proposed Lower Herne Village development will be funded and delivered by the developer.	The GPF funded element of the wider project has been delivered.	GPF funding has been spent in full	There is a minor risk that the final development site will be slow to build out, meaning that their \$106 contribution may be delayed. This would impact on the repayment of the loan.	It is still expected that the benefits set out in the Business Case will be realised.		Project has now been delivered. The identified repayment risk will be monitored.
Javelin Way development project	Kent	Round Two	The project aims to develop the Javelin Way site for employment use, with a focus on the development of Ashford's creative economy. The project consists of two elements: the construction of a 'creative laboratory' production space and the development of 29 light industrial units.	The project has secured Getting Building Fund investment to bridge a viability gap which has arisen as a result of COVID-19 impacts on the property market. Further GBF funding was awarded to help mitigate the impact of increasing costs. Construction is now complete, and leases are being put in place with tenants for the final 4 industrial units. Official opening of the JVC Building took place on 7 December 2022.	Construction is now complete and the last remaining leases are being finalised.	GPF funding spent in full as construction is now complete.	Revised repayment schedule approved by the Board in February 2021 to mitigate impact on sales value/market for industrial units.	Project outcomes are still expected to be achieved in accordance with the approved Business Case. However, no jobs benefits have been reported to date. It is intended that these figures will be collated following occupation of all the industrial units.		Construction is now complete and the industrial units are being handed over to tenants/owners.
Live Margate	Kent	Round One	Live Margate is a programme of interventions in the housing market in Margate and Cliftonville, which includes the acquisition of poorly managed multiple occupancy dwellings and other poor quality building stock and land to deliver suitable schemes to achieve the agreed social and economic benefits to the area.	"Phase 1" has been completed. "Phase 2" is underway. Approach to Phase 2 of the project has changed and will now focus on addressing more poor quality building stock, rather than taking forward the site previously reported as acquired by Kent County Council. This change has been implemented following delays in bringing forward the planned work on the acquired site. To date 92 units have been completed and occupied.	There is no identified delivery risk following the change in approach to Phase 2 of the project	The majority of the GPF funding has now been spent	COVID-19 has impacted on the construction sector and the time required to return derelict homes back into use. In addition, the COVID-19 pandemic has had an impact on sales values of homes. A revised repayment schedule was agreed by the Board in November 2020. Repayments continue to be made in accordance with this repayment schedule.	It is expected that benefits realised will be greater than those set out in the Business Case.		Project is progressing well following change to Phase 2 of the project. Project is expecting to exceed the project outcomes set out in the Business Case. Repayment risk to be monitored by Kent County Council following the closure of SELEP.

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No Use Empty Commercial Phase II	Kent	Round Three	The No Use Empty Commercial project aims to return long-term empty commercial properties to use, for residential, alternative commercial or mixed-use purposes. In particular, it will focus on town centres, where secondary retail and other commercial areas have been significantly impacted by changing consumer demand and have often been neglected as a result of larger regeneration schemes.	17 projects have been approved in Canterbury, Dover, Faversham, Folkestone, Herne Bay, Hythe, Margate, Minster, Sheerness, Sittingbourne and Ramsgate. These projects are expected to return 20 empty commercial units back into use and create 52 residential units. Discussions are ongoing regarding 3 potential new projects. Approval for accelerated drawdown of £500,000 GPF originally forecast for drawdown in 2023/24 was granted at the July 2022 Board meeting.	The first 17 projects are in contract. Discussions are ongoing regarding a further 3 projects, which if approved will use all remaining GPF funding.	No identified GPF spend risk. Approval for accelerated drawdown of GPF funding was received at the July 2022 Board meeting.	The project is in the early stages but no repayment risk identified to date.	There was a concern that the impact of COVID-19 on the High Street could result in fewer large commercial premises coming forward for redevelopment. However, the project is progressing well with minimal publicity and developers are considering reducing the size of larger units to convert into more marketable space for independent retail opportunities.		Project is progressing well and accelerated drawdown of GPF funding has been agreed to support project delivery.
No Use Empty Residential	Kent	Round Three	The No Use Empty Initiative seeks to improve the physical urban environment in Kent by bringing empty properties back into use as quality housing accommodation and by raising awareness of the issues surrounding empty properties, highlighting the problems they cause to local communities. This objective is achieved through the provision of short-term secured loans (up to 3 years) to property owners.	The Growing Places Fund loan agreement has now been completed by all parties and the funding released to Kent County Council. There is a healthy pipeline of projects for 2023/24. The first 33 projects under this funding stream are now in contract and will deliver 85 homes.	Delivery of the project is progressing well, and is supported by a strong track record of delivery.	GPF spend commenced in Q1 2022/23 following completion of the contracts relating to the initial projects and has been steadily increasing since.	No repayment risk identified to date. A sizeable proportion of the funding was allocated during 2023/24 which should help mitigate any risk of late repayment against the repayment schedule.	It is expected that benefits will be realised as per the Business Case.	Project experiencing an increase in the volume of loan applications. Risk of delays mitigated through appointment of an additional member of staff.	Project is progressing well.
Priory Quarter Phase 3	East Sussex	Round One	The Priory Quarter (Havelock House) project is a major development in the heart of Hastings town centre which has delivered 2,247m ² of high quality office space with the potential to facilitate up to 440 jobs.	The Priory Quarter (Havelock House) project is now complete and has delivered 2,247m ² of high quality office space. Havelock House has now been sold, which enabled full repayment of the GPF loan prior to the end of 2018/19.	Project Complete	Project Complete	Havelock House has been sold enabling full repayment to be made in 2018/19.	As the building has now been sold, it is difficult to obtain real-time data regarding the number of jobs created as a result of the project.		Project completed and GPF repaid in full
Rochester Riverside	Medway	Round One	The project will deliver key infrastructure investment including the construction of the next phase of the principal access road, public space and site gateways. This development is to be completed over 7 phases and should take approximately 12 years. The scheme will include: 1,400 new homes (25% of which are affordable), a new 1 form entry primary school, 2,200 sqm of new office & retail space, an 81 bed hotel and 10 acres of public open space.	The first housing units were completed in Q2 of 2019, with a total of 461 homes now occupied on the site. Commercial units have also been completed and are fully occupied. It is understood that work is continuing to deliver later phases of residential development but no update has been provided by Medway Council.	It is understood that delivery of the project is continuing and that an ongoing viability assessment is being carried out in relation to future phases of development.	The GPF Funding has already been spent	The GPF funding has been repaid in full.	Realisation of full forecast project outcomes is dependent upon delivery of the wider project. Work is ongoing onsite.		Overall the project is on track to deliver outputs and outcomes.
Charleston Centenary	East Sussex	Round Two	The Charleston Trust have created a café-restaurant in the Threshing Barn on the farmhouse's estate. This work is part of a wider £7.6m multi-year scheme – the Centenary Project – which aims to transform the operations of the Charleston Farmhouse museum.	The GPF funded works on the café-restaurant are now complete and the café-restaurant is open. Immediate impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic were experienced, resulting in delays to repayment of the GPF loan.	Project complete	GPF funds spent	Following impacts of COVID-19, a revised repayment schedule was approved by the Board in July 2020. Repayment plans remain in line with the agreed revised repayment schedule.	Significant benefits have been realised since completion of the Centenary Project. Impacted by COVID-19 pandemic but steps have been taken to try and ensure recovery from 2021 onwards - including use of GPF funding to improve access to the site		Project delivered. Revised repayment schedule agreed as a result of the immediate impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on the tourism industry.

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Parkside Office Village	Essex	Round One	SME Business Units at the University of Essex. Phase 1, 14,032 sqft.; 1,303sqm lettable space, build complete June 2014. Phase 1a 3,743 sqft.; 348 sqm - complete September 2016.	Project complete and GPF funding repaid in full.	Project Complete	GPF funding spent in full	Project Complete and loan repaid in full.	Forecast project benefits now realised		Project Complete and expected project outcomes delivered.
Wine Innovation Centre	Kent	Round Three	This project supports the development of a facility to host a wine innovation centre at the East Malling Estate. This will be the first UK research vineyard and will support Kent's wine sector to develop as a global leader in innovation. The GPF will enable the ground and foundations work as well as installation of utilities and services and construction and fit out of building.	Delivery of the project has now been completed and the GPF funding has been spent in full.	Project complete	GPF funding spent in full	It is expected that repayment will be made in line with the agreed repayment schedule	Initial information on project outcomes provided.		Project delivery is now complete
Discovery Park	Kent	Round One	The proposal is to develop the Discovery Park site and create the opportunity to build both houses and commercial retail facilities.	The project promoter has informed Kent County Council that they no longer wish to proceed with the GPF loan and therefore the project has been removed from the GPF programme. The GPF funding has been repaid in full by Kent County Council and has been reallocated through GPF round 3.	Project removed from the GPF programme	Project removed from the GPF programme	Project removed from the GPF programme	Project removed from the GPF programme	Project removed from the GPF programme	Project removed from the GPF programme
Barnhorn Green Commercial and Health Development	East Sussex	Round Three	Barnhorn Green is an allocated employment and health zone adjacent to a large housing development in Bexhill. Development of the site is required to ensure that housing growth in the area is sustainable through the provision of jobs and primary healthcare. Outline planning permission has been granted for 2,750 sqm of office accommodation, 750 sqm of light industrial workspace and 700 sqm for a GP surgery.	In January 2024, the Board took the decision to remove the project from the GPF programme.	Project removed from the GPF programme	Project removed from the GPF programme	Project removed from the GPF programme	Project removed from the GPF programme	Project removed from the GPF programme	Project removed from the GPF programme
Harlow EZ Revenue Grant	n/a	n/a		n/a						
Revenue admin cost drawn down	n/a	n/a		n/a						