

North of Tyne Combined Authority, Overview and Scrutiny Committee

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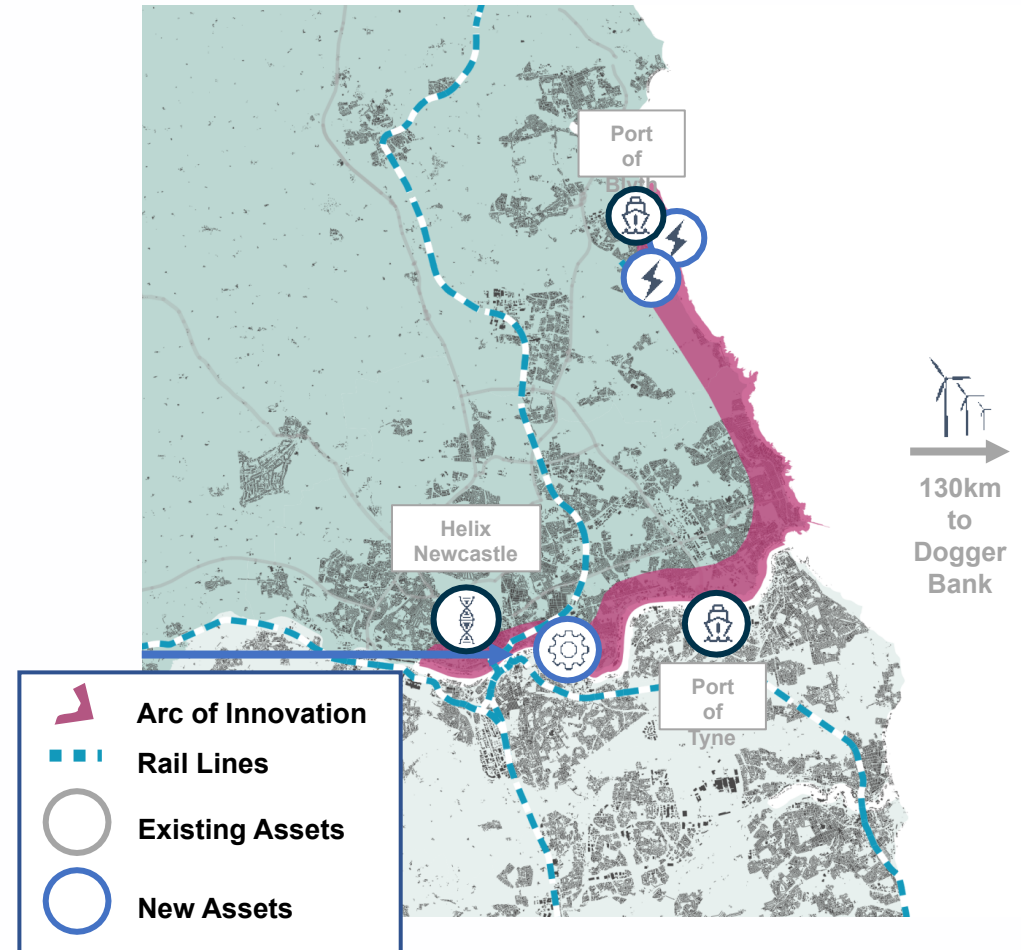
Growth Plan, Levelling Up and Devolution

Update for O&S Committee

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This presentation covers:

1. Mini Budget and Growth Plan – reflection and implications
2. Levelling Up – where are we now and what happens next?
3. Devolution – North of Tyne and the wider North East
4. Questions & Discussion

Growth Plan

1. The 'Mini Budget' that wasn't so mini...
2. Short term effect and longer term implications
3. Investment Zones as an important new policy
4. Fiscal outlook and implications for the NE
5. Specific next steps – Investment Zone proposals

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Levelling Up

1. A political shift and a new emphasis on growth
2. Levelling up still an important manifesto commitment and policy platform
3. The mechanisms – LU Fund, Skills, R&D, transport and devo... and links to net zero
4. Who pays? Mobilising public and private resources
5. Our approach – alignment with NTCA priorities – net zero, inclusive economy, innovation & place

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'It's our levelling up agenda.'

Devolution

1. NTCA performing well – showing that devolution can work and help deliver jobs, skills & better outcomes
2. Strong cross-regional and cross-party collaboration – through Covid and beyond
3. Negotiations with Govt have produced a draft ‘deal’ – subject to political sign off from Govt & region
4. Next steps – work collaboratively, build on successes, keep a clear vision for positive, long-term change
5. Key ongoing role for O&S to help shape ‘what good looks like’

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