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Subject: H21 Update

1 Purpose

- 1.1 To provide an update on the H21 programme, including pending funding bids and future opportunities.

2 Information

- 2.1 The H-21 Leeds City Gate programme aims to convert the natural gas heat network in Leeds to 100% hydrogen from 2025.
- 2.2 The H-21 Leeds City Gate Report¹ was produced by Northern Gas Networks on behalf of the UK's gas industry, funded through OFGEM innovation funding. The report was launch in London in July 2016 and Leeds in October 2016.
- 2.3 A programme of works and the H-21 Roadmap has also been created. These outline the next steps for the programme and preparatory actions needed.
- 2.4 This presentation will update the Panel on the current H21 work being carried out, including funding bids. Dan Sadler, H21 Programme Director at Northern Gas Networks, will give the presentation and take questions from members.

3 Recommendations

- 3.1 That the update on the H21 project be noted and feedback given on how the Panel want to continue to support this regionally significant programme.

¹ <http://www.northerngasnetworks.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/H21-Report-Interactive-PDF-July-2016.compressed.pdf>