## SBCD COMMUNICATIONS AND ENGAGEMENT SCHEDULE 2021/2022

## **Updated January 2022**

## **Introduction**

The communications and engagement schedule set out below is based on estimated SBCD portfolio and programme/project key milestones in FY 2021/2022. This communications and engagement schedule will be guided by:

- The SBCD communications, marketing and engagement plan as endorsed by the SBCD Programme/Portfolio Board on November 26, 2020. The communications, marketing and engagement plan will be refined and updated throughout 2021/2022 as the portfolio's programmes and projects move into delivery.
- The SBCD business engagement Framework and Plan deferred by Programme Board until the SQW regional framework is approved and the situation regarding Corporate Joint committees is clearer.

Additional activities may also arise from:

- the programme/project communications and engagement sub-groups (referred to in the schedule)
- the SBCD Economic Strategy Board, Programme Board or Joint Committee
- The PoMO in response to media, business or stakeholder enquiries.

As part of the communication schedule, wherever possible key milestone announcements will be followed-up with endorsements from business and community leaders, helping generate further positive media coverage and bilingual social media reach for the SBCD portfolio.

Where appropriate, content for the media and social media will include video footage, further bringing the SBCD portfolio to life. This will include animated images, drone footage, fly-throughs, interviews and other visually compelling content.

Some of the proposed engagement activities are dependent on the easing of restrictions related to Covid-19. Alternative, innovative digital events will be planned in their place if face-to-face engagement is not possible.

All written content based on key milestones will be uploaded bilingually to the SBCD website, which was updated in Q4 2020/2021.

Business engagement will consist will focus on:

- Supporting programmes/projects through the procurement phase i.e. meet the buyer, supply chain development and community benefits activities
- providing projects with pre- and post- delivery support
- supporting the ESB with regional initiatives
- responding to business enquiries
- Promoting the SBCD at events and stakeholder meetings

## NOTE:

The schedule described below will be subject to a number of factors beyond the control of the Comms & Marketing Officer and the Business Engagement Manager. Should activities be delayed or rescheduled the plan will be adjusted accordingly.

Quarter 1	Activity	Owner	Update
04 – 06	(not in chronological order)		
(21)			
	Release of further £18m to the SBCD portfolio – PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with UKG and WG	completed
	UKG/WG approval for the Pentre Awel project - PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with UKG, WG and CCC	completed
	UKG/WG approval for the Digital Infrastructure programme - PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with UKG, WG, CCC and other regional LAs	completed
	Award of contract for 71/72 The Kingsway construction in Swansea - PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with SCC and successful contractor	completed
	Appointment of contractor for Pentre Awel - PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with CCC and successful contractor	completed
	Supporting PDM contractor and project team as appropriate	Business Engagement Manager (BEM)	Ongoing
	Award of planning consent for PDI element of PDM - PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with MHPA and PCC	completed
	Start of work on the PDZ element of PDM – PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with MHPA, PCC and project partners	ongoing
	Ongoing engagement with Business representative and support groups	BEM	ongoing

Quarter 2	Activity	Owner	Update
07 – 09	(not in chronological order)		
(21)			
	Finalised Business Engagement Framework submitted to PB/JC	Business Engagement Manager (BEM	Submitted but Deferred by PB until SQW report agreed by LA's and situation with CJC's becomes clearer. Moved to Q4 from Q1/2
	UKG & WG approval for Supporting Innovation and Low Carbon Growth - PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with NPTC and UKG/WG	completed
	UKG & WG approval for HAPS project - PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with NPTC, UKG, WG and all other regional LAs	completed
	Start of Pembroke Dock Infrastructure works forming part of the PDM project - PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with PCC, MHPA and other relevant project partners	ongoing
	Ongoing engagement with Business representative and support groups	BEM	ongoing

Quarter 3	Activity	Owner	Update
10 – 12	(not in chronological order)		
(21)			
	Award of contract for 71/72 The Kingsway	Business Engagement Manager (BEM)	ongoing
	Supporting Tier 1 contractor and project team as		
	appropriate		
	Regional approval of Campuses project - PR and	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with	Approved Dec 21
	supporting social media	Swansea University, Swansea Council and JC	
	Plan SBCD annual conference for Q3	PoMO	underway
	Start of works on Pentre Awel site - PR and	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with	Awaiting start of works
	supporting social media	CCC and successful contractor	
	Pentre Awel Supporting Tier 1 contractor and	Business Engagement Manager (BEM)	In progress
	project team as appropriate		
	SILCG Supporting Tier 1 contractor and project	Business Engagement Manager (BEM)	In progress
	team as appropriate		
	UKG & WG approval for Campuses project - PR	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with	Approved Dec 2022
	and supporting social media	Swansea University, Swansea Council, UKG & WG	
	Regional approval for Skills & Talent project - PR	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with	Complete
	and supporting social media	CCC, RLSP, JC and all regional LAs	
	Start of work for HAPS project, with project team	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with	complete
	in place	NPTC and all other regional LAs	
	HAPS Supporting Tier 1 contractors and project	Business Engagement Manager (BEM)	underway
	team as appropriate		
	Start of delivery for the Digital Infrastructure	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with	underway
	programme	CCC and other regional LAs	
	UKG & WG approval for the Skills and Talent	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with	complete
	project	CCC, RLSP, UKG and WG	

Quarter 4	Activity	Owner	Update
01-03 (22)	(not in chronological order)		
	Construction sector workshop to discuss construction costs and supply chain issue	BEM/ CECA /CEW/ projects	Planning stage
	Assess review of achievements 2021– look ahead to Q4 and 2022 expected milestones & outcomes: PR and supporting social media content – update comms and engagement plans	SBCD comms & marketing officer / BEM / PoMO	
	Complete arrangements and deliver Annual conference	PA/HR/HH & PoMO	3 <sup>rd</sup> March
	Establishment/re-establishment of sub- project/programme communications, engagement and marketing workstreams for Campuses, Low Carbon and HAPS	SBCD comms & marketing officer, BEM, supported by programme/project partners	
/2022	Establishment of comms, engagement and marketing workstream for the Skills & Talent project	SBCD comms & marketing officer, supported by project partners	
Q4 - 2021/2022	Completion and official opening of the Swansea Arena forming part of the Swansea City & Waterfront Digital District - PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer & BEM working with SCC, ATG, Buckingham Group and other project partners	
	Attend 4theRegion Swansea City Centre Expo	PA/HH/JB	17 <sup>th</sup> March
	Revisit Business Engagement Framework when regional plan approved	Business Engagement Manager (BEM	
	Planning application submitted for Innovation Matrix in Swansea - PR and supporting social media	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with UWTSD and SCC	Subject to Change request process
	Completion of the decarbonisation element of the Low Carbon programme	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with NPTC	
	Establishment/re-establishment of sub- project/programme communications, engagement, and marketing workstreams for Pentre Awel, Digital, Waterfront and PDM	SBCD comms & marketing officer, supported by programme and project partners and BEM	

Quarter 1	Activity	Owner	Update
04-06 (22)	(not in chronological order)		
	Start of work for specialist steel & metals	SBCD comms & marketing officer, via NPTC	
	industry facility forming part of the Low Carbon		
	programme - PR and supporting social media		
	Commencement of the Industrial Futures	SBCD comms & marketing officer, via NPTC	
	project as part of the Low Carbon programme -		
	PR and supporting social media		
	Planning application submitted for Innovation	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with	Subject to Change request process
	Matrix in Swansea - PR and supporting social	UWTSD and SCC	
	media		
	Re-establishment of LA business engagement	BEM / LA officers	Discussions underway
	officers group		
	Start of work at the Innovation Matrix forming	SBCD comms & marketing officer & BEM,	
	part of the Swansea City & Waterfront Digital	working with UWTSD and SCC	
	District		
	Attend IntroBiz Expo Swansea	PA/HH	7 <sup>th</sup> April
	Completion of the decarbonisation element of	SBCD comms & marketing officer, working with	
	the Low Carbon programme	NPTC	
	E-newsletter to the regional business	SBCD comms & marketing office	
	community, as well as business groups		
	Ongoing engagement with Business	BEM	
	representative and support groups		