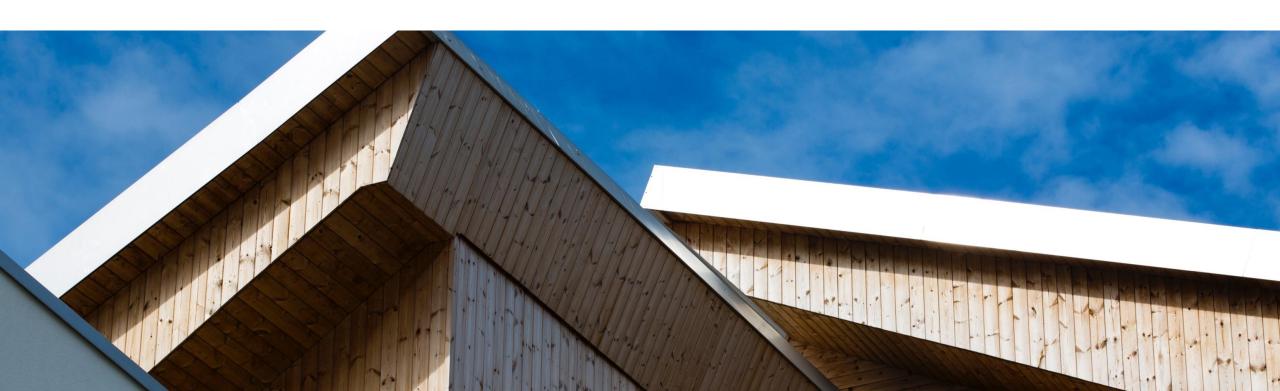


# CECA SW Members Meeting - CITB Updates September 2023

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### Overview

- Consensus update
- Strategic Direction
- Sector Plan for Infrastructure
- Into Work Grant
- Autumn Roadshows





### Consensus update

- ITB Review and Consensus
- Submit Levy Proposals for a one-year Levy Order in 2025
- Consensus delayed until Feb / March 2025 with consultation in Autumn 2024
- Seeking views on the one-year levy order



### Strategic Direction

Strategic Consultation

- Getting more people into industry
- Making sure that good quality, relevant training is available at the right time / place
- Improving the skills of those already in the workforce





# **Strategic Direction**

Key Aims – respond to industry 'asks' for:

- A simpler offer: less 'bureaucracy'
- Improved training provision
- More local support
- Train more new entrants
- More help to find and evidence training
- More say in what's funded





# **Strategic Direction**

- Modular skills system
- Provider network
- Training register
- Employer networks
- More effective funding
- Sector Plans





#### Sector Plan for Infrastructure

- Aim
  - Develop joint sector skills plans that give a voice to industry sectors.
- Objectives
  - Increase collaboration between CITB, stakeholders and employers on key industry challenges
  - Effectively identify training need of industry sectors
  - Increase impact of CITB investments on industry sectors.



### Sector Plan for Infrastructure

- Sector Advisory Group meeting
  - Introduction to Sector Plans
  - Terms of Reference
  - CITB Support
  - Scope
  - Delivery across the 3 nations
- Invitees
  - CECA
  - Range of other stakeholders
  - Key employers



# Into work grants

- £500 per individual for work experience (up to 5)
- £1000 per individual if recruit / take on as an apprentice (up to 5)
- Construction T Levels
- Construction L2 and L3 Diplomas
- Traineeships
- Pilot until 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024
- Further information available: Into Work grant CITB



### **Autumn Roadshows**

- Welcome from our Executive Team
- Levy Order arrangements
- Why I care about skills and training in our sector
- Our strategic direction
- CITB services and support taking on a new entrant / mentoring apprentices
- Deep-dive session barriers to recruiting new entrants / accessing
  CITB support
- Register here: <u>CITB Roadshows (citbevents.co.uk)</u>



### **Autumn Roadshows**

Date	Venue
28 <sup>th</sup> September	London, Tottenham Hotspur Stadium
3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Exeter, Exeter Racecourse
4 <sup>th</sup> October	Basingstoke, Augley Woods Hotel
9 <sup>th</sup> October	Leeds, Leeds United FC
12 <sup>th</sup> October	Derby, Leonardo Hotel, East Mids Airport
17 <sup>th</sup> October	St. Helens, Haydock Park Racecourse
31st October	Maidstone, Mercure Great Danes Hotel
1 <sup>st</sup> November	Birmingham, the NEC
2 <sup>nd</sup> November	Swindon, Village Hotel



# Thank you for listening



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