APPENDIX B

WEST LANCASHIRE "INVESTING IN BUSINESS" REGENERATION PROGRAMME - PROJECT SIGNIFICANT ACHIEVEMENTS

PROJECT TITLE	PROJECT MANAGER	TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	NWDA CONTRIBUTION TO PROJECT	ACHIEVEMENTS
Land and Property Enhancement Scheme Pilot	WLBC Regen. & Estates	1,322,135	349,925	A pilot scheme to West Lancashire Inspire below.
Skelmersdale Town Centre College Feasibility Study	Skelmersdale College	99,729	28,164	Supported the feasibility study which eventually lead to the building of the new college, which is currently on site
Warbreck Garden Centre Development Phase 1	Warbreck Garden Centre Ltd	311,303	60,200	Supported the expansion of the centre and the creation of new local jobs.
Burscough Town Centre Redevelopment	WLBC & LCC	9,658,734	1,856,000	Supported the building of the iconic Bus/Rail Interchange, the significant improvements to the Public Realm along the main street, and some of the infrastructure enabling the TESCO development
Market Towns and Rural Study Initiative	WLBC Planning & Development & Regen and Estates	250,974	183,335	Lead to the development of Action Plans for Burscough and Ormskirk town centres, a rural economy study and a feasibility study for a linear park in Tarleton/Hesketh Bank, plus increased partnership working
West Lancashire Inspire	WLBC Regen. & Estates	13,245,157	2,625,699	Substantial extensions and improvements to business premises, to town and village centres, to transport gateways and corridors, and to business employment areas.

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Midstream Vocational Training Centre	Midstream (West Lancs) Ltd	671,308	345,000	Provision of new building to accommodate training, classrooms and Midstream's administration allowing it to expand and become a self sustaining enterprise, with its model being used as good practice elsewhere.
Skelmersdale Town Centre Phase 2	WLBC Regen. & Estates	301,186	150,000	Support to the planning and other processes which has taken the Skelmersdale Vision from a paper document to the brink of commencement on site, plus support to a Skelmersdale Rail Link Demand Study.
Brighter Future Workshop	Brighter Future Workshop	401,475	173,400	Supported the development of a proposal for disabled people to be trained to maintain and service disability equipment to the point where it is a successful and thriving social enterprise winning many regional and national, and now international, awards.
West Lancashire Construction Academy	Skelmersdale College	2,430,005	920,673	Lead to the provision of the Construction Academy, as well as supporting initial staffing, enabling many hundreds of people to gain useful skills to support their future work and lives.
Enterprising West Lancashire	WLBC Regen. & Estates	531,700	345,145	EWL successfully demonstrated the success of the "single door" approach to face to face engagement with businesses and building sustainable networks to support business growth and development.

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Ormskirk Station	LCC	1,963,608	349,000	Provision of a completely refurbished and restored 1860's station building with state of the art covered waiting and seating area, information, ticket selling and toilet facilities.
Chapel Gallery	WLBC Regen. & Estates	92,184	20,000	Supported the expansion and development of this successful and popular cultural centre.
West Lancashire Positive Living (WLPL)	West Lancashire Positive Living	129,550	69,000	Supported the development of its supported living concept whereby people with learning disabilities can be independently supported in the community, as well as enabling WLPL to work towards becoming a self sufficient enterprise.
BDS Training	BDS Training Ltd	55,012	30,000	Supported BDS's relocation to larger premises and installation of IT equipment to allow it to expand the number of excluded and difficult to reach students helped back into mainstream education with the promise of successful lives ahead of them.
Skelmersdale Vision' - Connecting People to Jobs	WLBC Regen. & Estates	75,909	48,945	Supported the development of a Skills and Worklessness Strategy and Action Plan for the Employment, Learning and Skills LSP thematic group.