**Annex A**

**Biography: Mark Coulson**

Mark is the Football Association’s national Lead for the Parklife Football Hubs Programme, a £200 million investment into public sector grassroots football facilities.

The programme has been developed as a direct result of Mark’s innovative approach to working with Sheffield City Council and has the full backing of the Premier League, Sport England and the Department for Culture Media and Sport.

A graduate from Sheffield Hallam University with extensive experience and considerable network in the sport sector, Mark specialises in programme management, strategic planning and sports facilities development.