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Hi Heather,

Yes that would be acceptable. It is important to note that No funding will be provided for activity after 31 March 2025.

Thanks,
Ben

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To: UKSPF Enquiries <UKSPFenquiries@levellingup.gov.uk>
Subject: RE: UKSPF-155 Investment Plan submission
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Kim,

I have had a query come back from one of the teams who submitted a project which is included within the investment plan. 88% of our funding is backloaded to 2024-25. This means that there is a very high level of spend within a limited 12 month period (with the risk of having to return the monies if we do not deliver as there is a drop dead date of 31 March 2025.

Is it possible for us to deliver a project over 2023 – 2025 but use other internal funds for 2023 – 2024 and then use the SPF monies received in 2024 to replenish our internal fund for that one year period (i.e. we deliver the project over 2 years but split the funding so that although we get in one chunk of money from you we apply half retrospectively). I can't see that this is covered in the FAQ's but I may have missed it – there is one which advises that we can start projects now which are effectively 'at risk' until the Investment Plan is approved.

Can you advise if this is feasible from the departments perspective as it would allow us to start the projects in April 2023. This clarity would help considerably with our forward planning. I look forward to hearing from you

Regards

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