Project Management Framework

Discovery Phase – Briefing Workshop

Client:		
Date:		
Attendees:	Client	
	Stonebank	

1 General	Stonebank Comments	Client Comments
Project Management Pathway	We typically approach this process by	
	creating a project management pathway	
	which specifies deliverables, phases and	
	responsibilities – we find that compliance	
	is increased where there is a simple	
	graphic that provides guidance. This will	
	be accompanied by this procedure.	
Application of this procedure	Confirm what entities and subsidiaries or	
	parents the procedure applies to	
Approach to policy	We typically take an approach that seeks	
	to limit the length of a policy, emphasising	
	tasks that promote good project	
	management and governance, tiered for	
	the complexity and risk level associated	
	with a project.	
Extent of change sought	Is the aspiration for wholesale change,	
	optimisation of existing processes, or	
	something in between those two points?	
2. Project Establishment and	Stonebank Comments	Client Comments
Governance		
Project Governance Structure	Likely roles required here:	
	Board	

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	Executive Team	
	 Project Sponsor – typically the person 	
	who has executive responsibility for a	
	project	
	Project Lead – the person who has day	
	to day ownership	
	Project Manager – Internal or external	
Departmental Organisational Chart	Showing above roles and any other	
•	relevant roles within the organisation	
Project Initiation	Initial feasibility, go/no go process or	
•	similar. How do we move from the initial	
	concept to a project?	
Project Definition Guidelines	Classification of projects – will these be	
-	tiered by size, complexity or type?	
Regulatory Compliance	Legal compliance including sector specific	
	requirements and organisation	
	requirements	
Environmental, Social and Governance	Are there any requirements here?	
Requirements		
Change Management	Who can approve changes to scope, time,	
	program and the process for doing so	
Project Management Framework	Will we have differing frameworks for	
Requirements	different project classifications	
Delegation and Authority	What are the organisation's policies, or do	
	these need to be created?	
Conflict of Interest	What are the organisation's policies, or do	
	these need to be created?	
Critical Incident Response	What are the organisation's policies, or do	
	these need to be created?	
3. Project Management Framework	Stonebank Comments	Client Comments
(project gates)		

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Project Management Framework	What sort of process would suit the organisation. We typically recommend a system with approval 'gates' to ensure good governance.	
4. Risk	Stonebank Comments	Client Comments
Enterprise Risk Management Framework	Are there any enterprise level policies that need to be considered	
Project Risk Management	What level of operational and strategic risk do we need to consider	
Safety Management	What are the organisations existing policies.	
5. Commercial Management	Stonebank Comments	Client Comments
Contractor Management	Are there any contractor management policies or systems in place.	
Procurement	What policies does the client have in place?	
Financial Management	What policies does the client have in place?	
6. Communications and Engagement	Stonebank Comments	Client Comments
Stakeholder Engagement	Internal and external. Are there any policies we need to abide by?	
7. Reporting	Stonebank Comments	Client Comments
Reporting	Dashboards, PCG reports, any other templates to be developed?	
8. Time	Stonebank Comments	Client Comments
Scheduling	Programming requirements, should allow simple incorporation into master schedule for all projects. Regularity of updates Are there any cashflow requirements withing this scope, and are they universal or limited to certain projects?	

9. Quality	Stonebank Comments	Client Comments
Quality Management	What are the current polices and	
	procedures?	
	How is project scope defined, controlled	
	and monitored?	
Document Control	What systems are in place?	
	What are the organisation's record keeping	
	requirements?	
Project Artefacts	Minimum documents to be retained for	
	record purposes	
Filing and Archiving	How and where	
Defect Management	Classification, timing, recording, close	
	out,	
Continual Improvement	How are lessons learnt currently recorded	
	and disseminated within teams?	
	Is there be value in a continuous	
	improvement register for issues like	
	recurring defects, etc?	
10. Completion	Stonebank Comments	Client Comments
Completion	Activation / operation plans, handover	
	requirements	
Project Close Out Meeting – Practical	Agenda	
Completion (PC)		
Project Close Out Meeting – Final	Agenda	
Completion/Post Implementation Review		
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