



Paul Spooner

**Regional Director for the West Midlands,
Homes and Communities Agency.**

Paul Spooner commenced work with the Homes and Communities Agency in December 2008 and is Regional Director for the West Midlands, investing nearly £200m each year in major housing and regeneration schemes and the provision of new affordable homes across the region.

Prior to this Paul was North West/West Midlands Regional Director for English Partnerships and responsible for investment in Kings Waterfront Liverpool, East Manchester, and housing market renewal pathfinders and the national former coalfields programme.

His two most recent senior local authority positions have been at Portsmouth City Council, where he led the regeneration of the city's harbour side, and Birmingham City Council as Director of Economic Development, leading major urban regeneration projects on the city's employment and skills training programmes.

Paul is also a board member for RegenCo, West Bromwich Urban Regeneration Company.