

ABERDEEN CITY COUNCIL

COMMITTEE	Communities, Housing and Public Protection
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EXEMPT	No
CONFIDENTIAL	No
REPORT TITLE	Scottish Fire and Rescue Service – Aberdeen City Area Local Fire and Rescue Plan Review 2023
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TERMS OF REFERENCE	2.19

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To present the outcomes of Scottish Fire and Rescue Service Aberdeen City Area Local Fire and Rescue Plan Review 2023

2. RECOMMENDATION(S)

- 2.1 That the Committee consider and note the information provided in this report. **Appendix A** – SFRS Local Fire and Rescue Plan Review.

3. BACKGROUND

- 3.1 The Scottish Fire and Rescue Service is required under the Fire (Scotland) Act 2005, as amended by the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012, to prepare Local Fire and Rescue Plans for each local authority in Scotland.
- 3.2 The publication of our new Strategic Plan 2022-25 in October 2022 instigated a requirement to carry out a mandatory review of all Local Fire and Rescue Plans. This review will provide us with information on how well we are performing against our existing priorities, as well as highlighting areas for continued improvement and opportunities for change against the growing needs of our communities.

4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 4.1 There are no direct legal implications arising from the recommendations of this report.

5. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

- 5.1 There are no direct legal implications arising from the recommendations of this report.

6. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no direct environmental implications arising out of this report.

7. OUTCOMES

<u>COUNCIL DELIVERY PLAN</u>	
	Impact of Report
Aberdeen City Council Policy Statement	None
Aberdeen City Local Outcome Improvement Plan	
Prosperous Economy Stretch Outcomes	Whilst not specific to any Stretch Outcome, the paper seeks to provide members with knowledge of the SFRS staffing models utilised to maintain operational readiness
Prosperous People Stretch Outcomes	This paper provides information on how the SFRS work to ensure that we keep the communities of Scotland safe through adequate resourcing.
Prosperous Place Stretch Outcomes	Whilst not specific to any Stretch Outcome, this paper provides information of the SFRS resource management systems which ensure that adequate emergency response is available to protect premises and the local environment.
Regional and City Strategies	None

8. IMPACT ASSESSMENTS

Assessment	Outcome
Integrated Impact Assessment	Not required
Data Protection Impact Assessment	Not required
Other	None

9. BACKGROUND PAPERS

[SFRS Local Fire and Rescue Plan 2020 – Aberdeen City](#)

10. APPENDICES (if applicable)

Appendix A – SFRS Local Fire and Rescue Plan Review 2023

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