

ABERDEEN CITY COUNCIL

COMMITTEE	Communities, Housing and Public Protection Committee
DATE	
EXEMPT	No
CONFIDENTIAL	No
REPORT TITLE	Scottish Fire and Rescue Service Thematic Report – Rescue and Specialist Support
REPORT NUMBER	SFR/23/152
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TERMS OF REFERENCE	2.20

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To present the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service Thematic Report – Rescue and Specialist Support

2. RECOMMENDATION(S)

- 2.1 That the Committee consider and note the information provided in this report. **Appendix A** Thematic Report – Rescue and Specialist Support (Aberdeen City)
- 2.2 Note that the Local Senior Officer will make arrangements with the clerk to facilitate a visit(s) to SFRS facilities in Aberdeen.

3. BACKGROUND

- 3.1 This report invites you to review the rescue and Specialist support available in the Aberdeen City area for use throughout Scotland if required.
- 3.2 This update shows the progress being made by the SFRS to ensure specialist rescue appliances, equipment and skills are available throughout the country and in this case the Aberdeen City area.
- 3.3 It is the intention of the Local Senior Officer to make arrangements for members of the Communities, Housing and Public Protection Committee to visit SFRS facilities in Aberdeen in 2023. This will allow an opportunity for members of the committee to learn more about the operations of the SFRS. The Local Senior Officer will take this forward with the clerk to the committee.

4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

4.1 There are no significant financial implications for Aberdeen City Council

5. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

5.1 There are no significant legal implications for Aberdeen City Council

6. MANAGEMENT OF RISK

6.1 Not applicable

7. OUTCOMES

Local Outcome Improvement Plan Themes	
	Impact of Report
Economy	Whilst not specific to any Stretch Outcome, the paper contributes to specialist rescue capabilities which will assist with achieving a safer place to live, work and visit.
People	Whilst not specific to any Stretch Outcome, the paper contributes to specialist rescue capabilities which will assist with achieving a safer place to live, work and visit.
Place	Whilst not specific to any Stretch Outcome, the paper contributes to specialist rescue capabilities which will assist with achieving a safer place to live, work and visit.

Design Principles of Target Operating Model	
	Impact of Report
Customer Service Design	
Organisational Design	

Governance	
Workforce	
Process Design	
Technology	
Partnerships and Alliances	

8. IMPACT ASSESSMENTS

Assessment	Outcome
Equality & Human Rights Impact Assessment	N/A
Privacy Impact Assessment	N/A
Duty of Due Regard / Fairer Scotland Duty	Not required.

9. BACKGROUND PAPERS

None

10. APPENDICES (if applicable)

Appendix A – Scottish Fire and Rescue Service Thematic Report- Rescue and Specialist Support

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