

REPORT OF THE
Hampshire and Isle of Wight
Fire and Rescue Authority

PART II

1. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

- 1.1. On 5 December 2023, the Hampshire and Isle of Wight Fire and Rescue Authority approved the Quarter Two Budget Update report, which included one-off additional income from interest on balances being transferred to the Capital Payments Reserve to be used as a contribution to the costs of upcoming Fire Contaminants work as identified at the October 2023 Authority meeting.
- 1.2. At the same meeting, Members learned of the arrangements for the administration of pensions within the Service following the HR service moving in-house from April 2024. The Authority was also made aware of Community Awards that had been distributed by 3SFire CIC, the business arm of the Service, which had been supported and welcomed by the 3SFire CIC Stakeholder Committee.
- 1.3. Since the previous meetings, Members of the Hampshire and Isle of Wight Fire and Rescue Authority shared their attendance at various events, including a visit to Bishops Waltham and Whitchurch Fire Stations, a Combined Fire Cadet and Princes Trust celebration and also meetings with officers in their Champion role capacities on the Authority.
- 1.4. Further details can be found at the following link:

[HIWFRA Meeting - 5th December 2023](#)

Councillor Rhydian Vaughan MBE
Chairman of Hampshire and Isle of Wight Fire and Rescue Authority