

REPORT OF THE  
**HAMPSHIRE FIRE and RESCUE AUTHORITY**  
PART II

**1. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT**

- 1.1. At its meeting of 3 April 2019, the Hampshire Fire and Rescue Authority approved the terms of reference for the Combined Fire Authority (CFA) Working Group. It was agreed by both HFRA's Authority Policy & Advisory Group (APAG) and the Cabinet Member responsible for Fire and Rescue for the IWC to establish an interim arrangement for Members to provide guidance, scrutiny, support and direction to Officers managing the submission to the Home Office and associated transition work.

The creation of a new CFA for Hampshire, Isle of Wight, Portsmouth and Southampton supports the HFRA's strategic plan, detailed as its 'Safer and Stronger' priorities and its vision to create safer communities.

- 1.2. At the same meeting, the Authority also approved the Pay Policy Statement, which is required by section 38(1) of the Localism Act 2011 (openness and accountability in local pay) and published on the website.

Further details can be found at the following link:

- [HFRA – 3 April 2019](#)

**COUNCILLOR CHRIS CARTER**  
**Chairman of Hampshire Fire and Rescue Authority**