

**WEST MIDLANDS FIRE AND RESCUE AUTHORITY**

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**12<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2006**

1. **APPROVAL OF THE AUTHORITY'S BEST VALUE  
PERFORMANCE AND BUSINESS PLAN**

Report of the Chief Fire Officer.

RECOMMENDED

THAT the Committee approve the Authority's Best Value Performance and Business Plan for 2006/2007 as set out in Appendix 1.

2. **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

The purpose of this report is to seek the approval of the Executive Committee to the combined Best Value Performance and Business Plan.

3. **BACKGROUND**

Members may recall that at the February 2006 meeting of the full Authority, approval was given to revise the wording of the Corporate Aims, the top seven Business Plan objectives, the Department Objectives and the Ten Year Scan.

4. **EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

In preparing this report, an initial Equality Impact Assessment was undertaken which did not raise issues which required a full Equality Impact Assessment to be completed.

5. **LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

The course of action recommended in this report does not raise issues which should be drawn to the attention of the Authority's Monitoring Officer.

6. **FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

The costs of producing the combined Best Value Performance and Business Plan will be accommodated within existing budget provision.

**BACKGROUND PAPERS**

Best Value Performance Plan  
Business Plan files  
Report to Authority 13<sup>th</sup> February 2006

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