

West Midlands Fire and Rescue Authority
Appointments to Committees and Panels 2009/2010

Authority (27 elected members) (Con 14; Lab 10; Lib Dem 3) All Members to attend.	Policy Planning Forum (27 elected members) (Con 14; Lab 10; Lib Dem 3) All Members to attend.
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Appointments Committee 9 elected members (Con 5, Lab 3, Lib Dem 1)	
Councillor	Substitute
Ward [Chair]	Delaney
S Davis [Vice Chair]	Gazey
Douglas-Maul [Lead Member]	M Robinson
Ryder [Lead Member]	Turner
Alden [Lead Member]	Andrew
Mulhall	Tagger
Spence	Clinton
Chambers	Singh
Eustace	Jones

Executive Committee 11 elected members (Con 6, Lab 4, Lib Dem 1)	
Councillor	Substitute
Chair of the Authority [Cllr Ward]	Skinner
Vice Chair of the Authority [Cllr S Davis]	Turner
Lead Member for Performance Management [Cllr Douglas-Maul]	Stevenson
Lead Member for Equality and Diversity [Cllr Ryder]	F Robinson
Lead Member for Human Resources [Cllr Alden]	Andrew
Lead Member [Asset Management] [Cllr Gazey]	M Robinson
Hinton	Mulhall
Idrees	G Davies
O'Neill	Chambers
Clinton	Spence
Eustace	Jones

Appeals Committee (6 elected members) (Con 3; Lab 2; Lib Dem 1)	
Councillor	Substitute
Stevenson [Chair]	Ryder
Douglas-Maul [Vice Chair]	Delaney
Alden	F Robinson
G Davies	Hinton
Tagger	Spence
Jones	Ali Khan

Audit Committee 5 members (3 Con, 1 Lab, 1 Lib Dem)	
Councillor	Substitute
Turner (Chair)	Alden
M Robinson (Vice-Chair)	Tweddle
Skinner	F Robinson
Spence	Clinton
Ali Khan	Jones
Independent Member: Mr Ager	N/A

Joint Consultative Panel (6 elected members + employee representatives) (Lab 2; Con 3; Lib Dem 1)	
Councillor	Substitute
Stevenson (Chair)	F Robinson
M Robinson (Vice Chair)	Andrew
Sutton	Gazey
O'Neill	Singh
Chambers	G Davies
Ali Khan	Jones

Standards Committee (6 elected members + 3 Independent Persons) (Lab 2; Con 2; Lib Dem 2)
Councillors
Ryder
Sutton
Singh
Idrees
Jones
Eustace
Independent Members:- Mr Bagley, Mr Denny and Mr Topliss (Chair)

OTHER APPOINTMENTS MADE AT THE ANNUAL MEETING

Position/Councillor
Lead Member for Equality and Diversity Cllr Ryder
Deputy Lead Member for Equality and Diversity Cllr Spence
Lead Member for Performance Management Cllr Douglas-Maul
Deputy Lead Member for Performance Management Cllr Skinner
Lead Member for Human Resources Cllr Alden
Deputy Lead Member for Human Resources Cllr Singh
Lead Member Asset Management Cllr Gazey

Appointments to Outside Bodies 2009/2010

- **West Midlands Regional Management Board***
(3 representatives)

Chairman of the Authority (*Councillor Ward*)
Councillor Hinton
Councillor Jones

- **Local Government Association General Assembly**
(4 representatives)

Chairman of the Authority (*Councillor Ward*)
Vice Chair of the Authority (*Councillor S Davis*)
Councillor Hinton
Councillor Eustace (*or their nominees*)

The Authority has five votes overall and these are allocated amongst members according to proportionality. In 2009/10 votes are allocated as follows:

Conservative 3, Labour 1, Liberal Democrat 1

- **Local Government Association - Fire Service Forum**
(3 representatives)

Chairman of the Authority (Councillor Ward)
Councillor Hinton
Councillor Eustace
(*or their nominees*).

- **Local Government Association Urban Commission**
(2 representatives)

Councillor S Davis
Chief Fire Officer
(*or their nominees*)

(Note: only elected members may vote at meetings. Authorities may appoint two elected members or one member and one officer.)

- **West Midlands Local Government Association**
Association - Observer Member
Chairman of the Authority (Councillor Ward)
(Substitute – Councillor S Davis).
- **Provincial Council**
Councillor Gazey
- **Black Country Consortium**
(1 observer member)
Councillor Turner (or his nominee)
- **West Midlands Fire and Rescue Services Regional Control Centre Limited – Nominated Director**
Councillor Ward
- **West Midlands Road Safety Partnership**
Councillor M Robinson