## WEST MIDLANDS FIRE AND RESCUE AUTHORITY

#### **25 JUNE 2018**

## 1. MEMBERSHIP OF THE AUTHORITY 2018/2019

Report of the Clerk.

#### **RECOMMENDED**

THAT the report be noted.

#### 2. **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

To advise of the appointments made by the constituent district councils to the Authority for 2018/2019.

## 3. **BACKGROUND**

The membership of the Authority for 2018/2019 is as set out in the Appendix.

## 4. **EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

In preparing this report, an initial Equality Impact Assessment is not required and has not been carried out.

## 5. **LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

Fire and Rescue Authorities were first established by Section 26 of the Local Government Act, 1985, which provides that such authorities shall consist of members appointed by the metropolitan districts comprised in the relevant county. The number of members to be appointed by each district council is set out in the Fire and Rescue Authority (Membership) Order 2017, attached as Appendix 1.

## 6. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no direct financial implications.

# **Background Papers**

Letters/emails from district councils.

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Karen Gowreesunker CLERK

# <u>Membership of the West Midlands Fire and Rescue Authority</u> 2018/2019

# Birmingham

Councillor Zafar Iqbal* (Labour)	Councillor Kerry Jenkins** ( <i>Labour</i> )
Councillor David Barrie (Conservative)	Councillor Sybil Spence (Labour)

# Coventry

Councillor Seamus Walsh*(Labour)	Councillor Catherine Miks** (Labour)

# **Dudley**

Councillor Adam Aston*	Councillor Nicolas Barlow**	
(Labour)	(Conservative)	

## Sandwell

Councillor John Edwards* (Labour)	Councillor Christopher Tranter** (Labour)

## Solihull

Councillor Peter Hogarth\* (Conservative)

#### Walsall

Councillor S Craddock*	Councillor P Young**
(Conservative)	(Labour)

## Wolverhampton

Councillor Greg Brackenridge*	Councillor Jasbinder Dehar**
(Labour)	(Labour)

<sup>\*</sup> Member nominated to answer questions under Section 41 of the Local Government Act 1985 ("Lead" Member).

## **Independent Member of the Audit Committee**

Mr M Ager			

## **Independent Member of Appointments, Standards and Appeals**

Mr R Tomkinson	Standards Items only

## **Co-opted Members of the Authority**

To be approved	To be approved

#### **Police and Crime Commissioner**

David Jamieson			

<sup>\*\*</sup> Substitute Member nominated to answer questions under Section 41 of the Local Government Act 1985 ("Lead" Member).