

29<sup>th</sup> June 2023**REPORT OF THE TYNE & WEAR FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE****1 Purpose of Report**

- 1.1 The following report gives performance-monitoring details in relation to Local Indicators for the Washington Area Committee from 1<sup>st</sup> March 2023 to 31<sup>st</sup> May 2023, compared with the same period in 2022.

**2 Background**

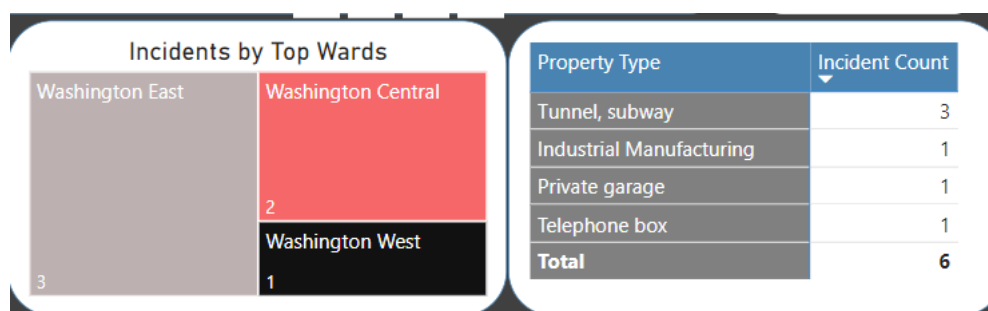
- 2.1 Area Committee agreed that regular updates on Crime and Community Safety would be presented to each committee meeting.

**3 Tyne & Wear Fire and Rescue Service Update****3.1 L.I 02 - Number of Deaths from all fires**

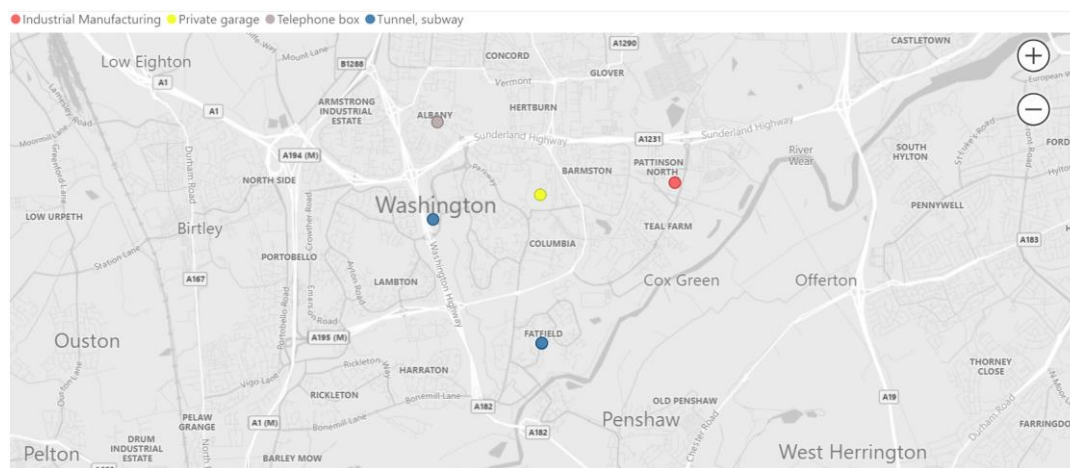
No deaths were recorded during the reporting period.

**3.2 L.I 14 - Number of Deliberate primary fires excluding road vehicles**

6 incidents occurred within this reporting period; this compares to 5 reported incident occurring in the same period during the previous year.



There were an additional 4 incidents involving the underpass/subway on Fallowfield Way. These were recorded as secondary fires therefore do not appear on the L.I 14 report.

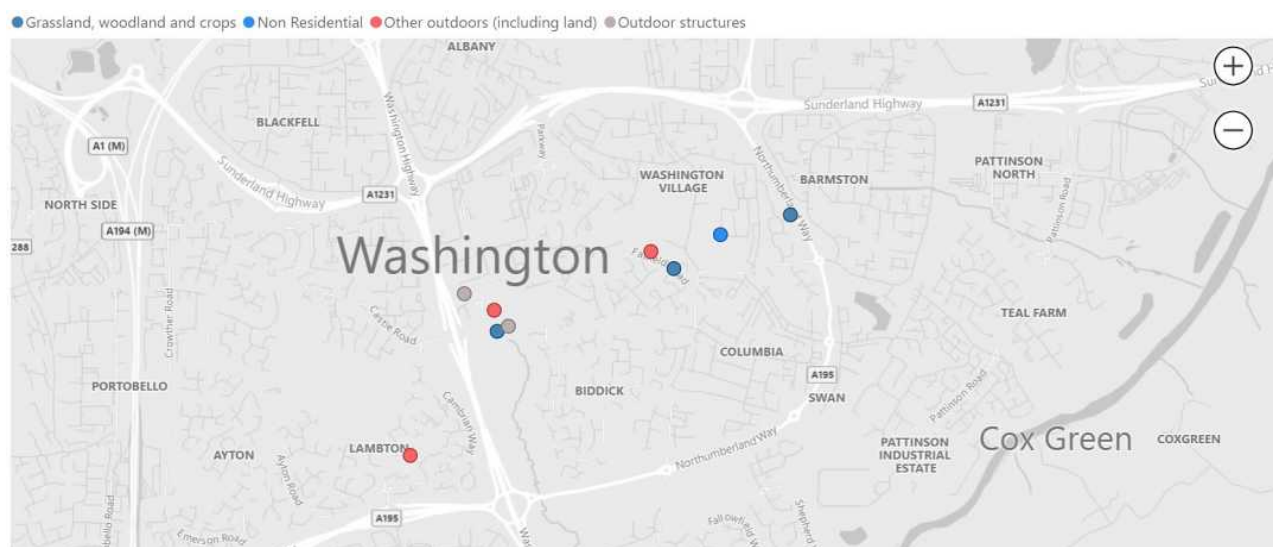


### 3.3 LI 33 - Number of Deliberate fires incorporating Secondary Fires (LI16)

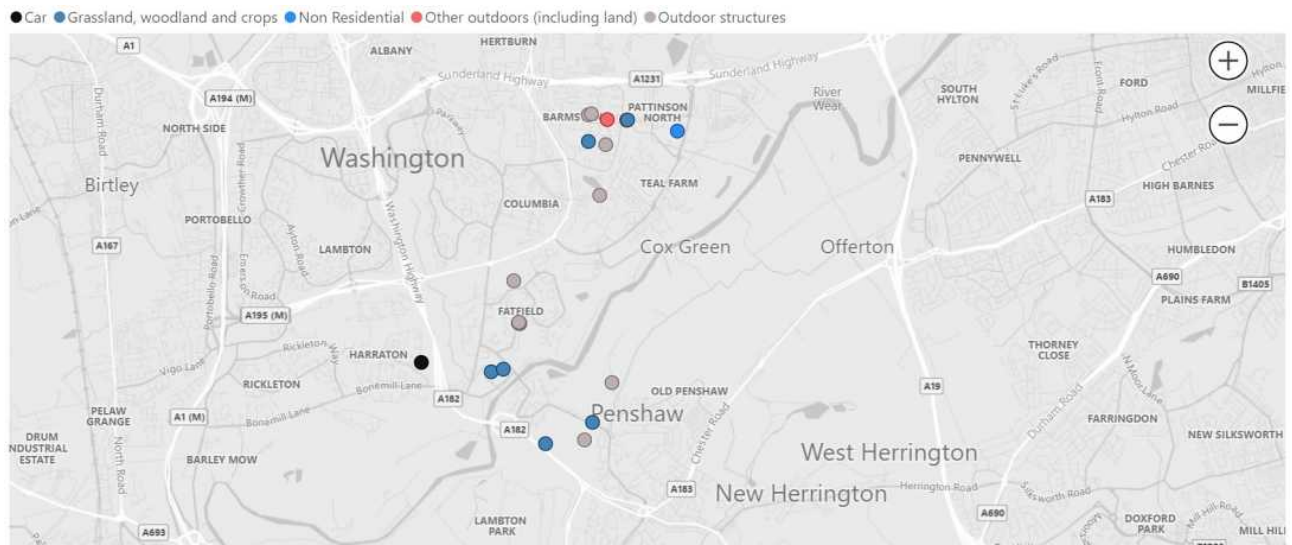
51 deliberate fire related incidents were attended within this reporting period, this compares to 128 incidents in the previous year.

LI 33 - Number of Deliberate fires incorporating Secondary Fires (LI16)								
	2022				2023			
Ward	Mar	Apr	May	Total	Mar	Apr	May	Total
Washington Central Ward	4	12	13	29	0	3	6	9
Washington East Ward	13	10	8	31	8	6	9	23
Washington North Ward	8	23	4	35	1	2	4	7
Washington South Ward	6	13	7	26	2	2	2	6
Washington West Ward	0	6	1	7	0	1	5	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>51</b>

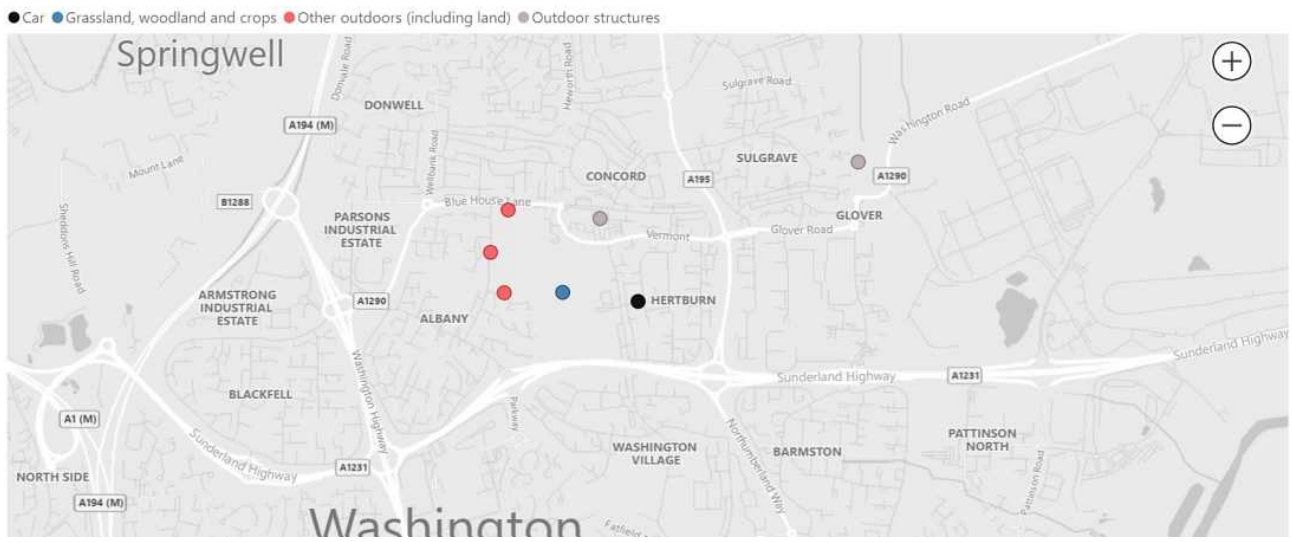
3.3.1 **Washington Central Ward** has seen a decrease in deliberate fire related incidents from 13 the previous year to 9 this reporting period. Incidents have occurred in the following area;



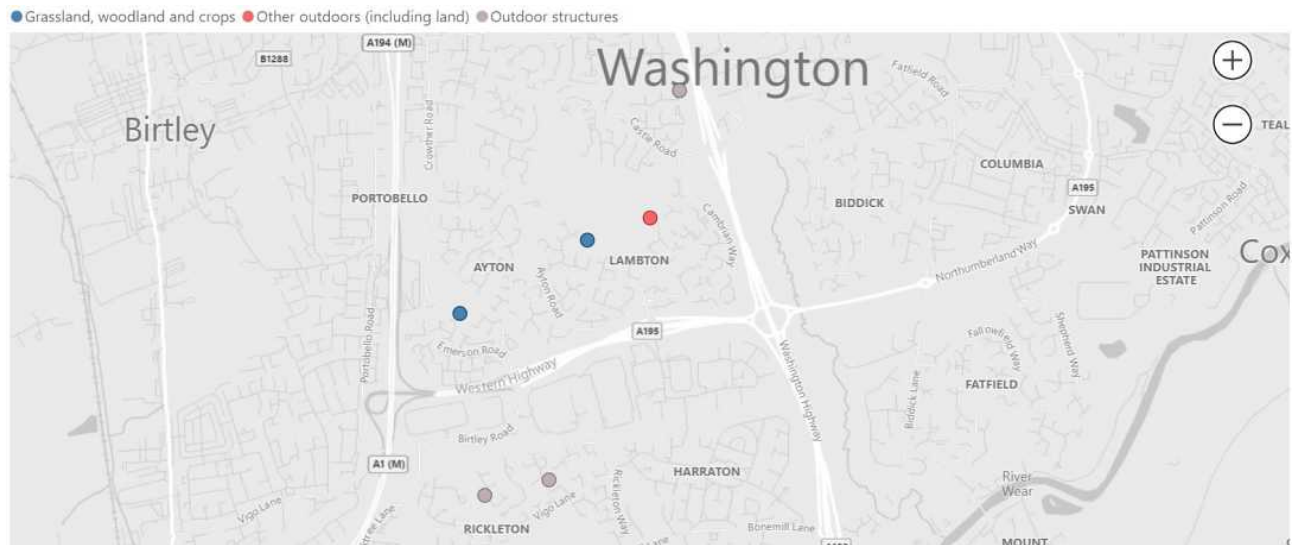
3.3.2 **Washington East Ward** has seen a decrease in deliberate fire related incidents from 31 the previous year to 23 this reporting period. Incidents have occurred in the following areas;



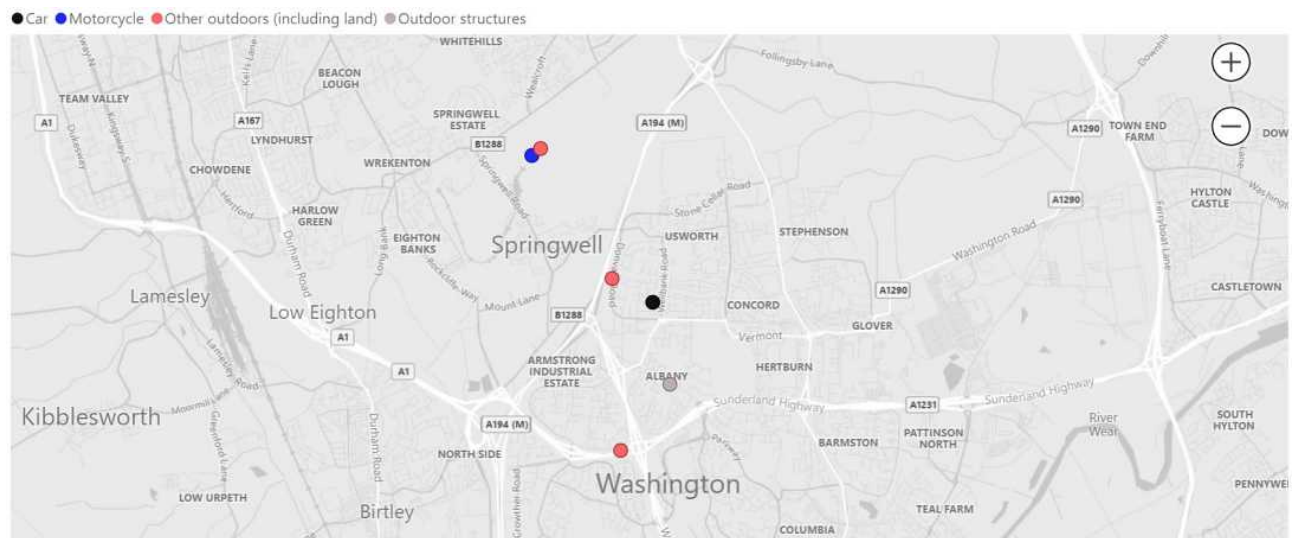
3.3.3 **Washington North Ward** has seen a decrease in deliberate fire related incidents from 35 the previous year to 7 this reporting period. Incidents have occurred in the following areas;



3.3.4 **Washington South Ward** has seen a decrease in deliberate fire related incidents from 26 the previous year to 6 this reporting period. Incidents have occurred in the following areas;



3.3.5 **Washington West Ward** has seen a decrease in deliberate fire related incidents from 7 the previous year to 6 this reporting period. Incidents have occurred in the following areas;





## 4 Fire Stoppers Hotline

- 4.1 It is essential that any fire related issues are reported utilising the Fire Stoppers hotline; 0800 169 5558. Crews from Washington Community Fire Station are encouraged to foster strong working relationships with community groups and partner agencies. Our aim is to positively impact deliberate fire reduction and deter anti-social behaviour, as these activities have a direct and detrimental impact on life risk, property, the environment and the entire Washington community.

Any questions: please feel free to contact the below TWFRS Station Manager.

## 5 Summary

- 5.1 TWFRS will continue to work with Northumbria Police and Local Authority Representatives to investigate and identify trends, create action plans and evaluate activities. Crews at Washington Community Fire Station utilise intelligence led data to target areas of increased activity, allowing resources to be utilised efficiently and effectively.

## 6 Recommendations

- 6.1 The Washington Area Committee are requested to note the content of the report.

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