TYNE AND WEAR FIRE AND RESCUE AUTHORITY

Item No. 4

MEETING: 12 OCTOBER 2020

SUBJECT: APPOINTMENT TO THE AUTHORITY – SUNDERLAND CITY

COUNCIL

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY CLERK TO THE AUTHORITY

1 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 The purpose of this report is to notify the Authority of an appointment made by Sunderland City Council.

2 BACKGROUND

2.1 At its meeting on Wednesday 23rd September, 2020, Sunderland City Council undertook a review of Membership to various committees and outside bodies and it was agreed that Councillor Doyle would replace Councillor Oliver on the Tyne and Wear Fire and Rescue Authority.

3 **CURRENT POSITION**

- 3.1 Members should note that unless a member resigns from their membership of the Authority, the Local Government Act 1985 (Section 31) indicates that the new appointment will take effect one month after notice of the change has been given by the nominating authority.
- 3.2 Due to timing of the publication of this agenda, the Deputy Clerk will verbally report at the meeting the date upon which the appointment of Cllr Doyle takes effect.
- 3.3 Members should note the current vacancies on Committees of the Authority as a result of the change in membership and consider appointments to the following:

Governance Committee Appointments Committee Personnel Appeals Sub-Committee

4 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 4.1 The Authority is asked to:-
 - (i) Note the appointment of Councillor Doyle to the Tyne and Wear Fire and Rescue Authority; and
 - (ii) Consider appointments to the Committees.