24th April 2013

REPORT OF THE TYNE AND WEAR FIRE SERVICE

1 Purpose of Report

1.1 The following report gives Performance Monitoring details in relation to the Local Indicators for Sunderland West Committee area from 1.4.2012 to 31.3.2013 compared with the same period in 2011/2012.

2 Background

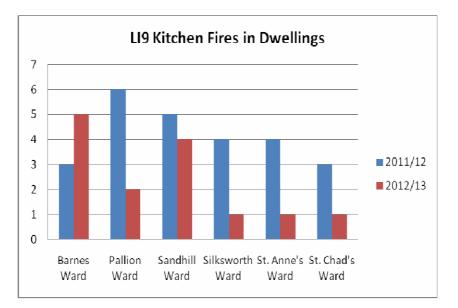
2.1 At its November 2011 meeting Area Committee agreed that regular updates on Crime and Community Safety would be presented to each Committee meeting.

3. Tyne and Wear Fire Service Update

3.1 **LI1 Maintain Number of Deaths in Accidental Dwelling fires** There have been no recorded deaths in this area over the year.

3.2 <u>LI5 Injuries from All Dwelling fires</u> Over the year there have been only 3 injuries in this area and this includes

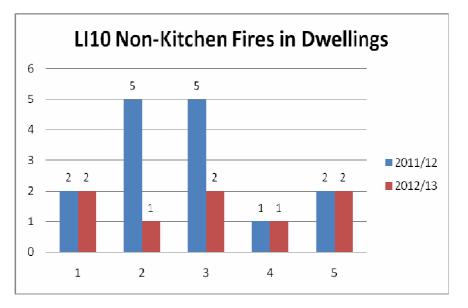
3.3 This compares to 13 over the same period the year before.



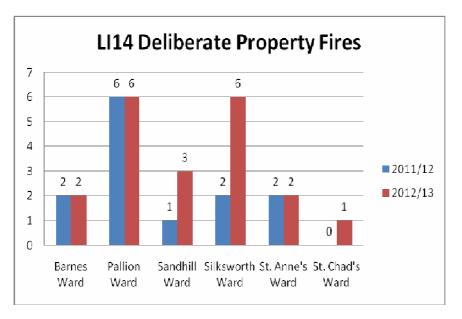
3.4 LI9 Accidental Kitchen Fires in a domestic property

There has been a decrease of 44% in LI9 fires compared to last year (14 compared to 25 last year).

3.5 LI10 Accidental non-kitchen fires in a domestic property

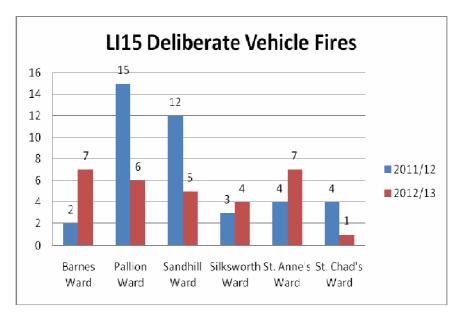


There were 15 LI10 incidents last year compared to 8 this year – (47% reduction).



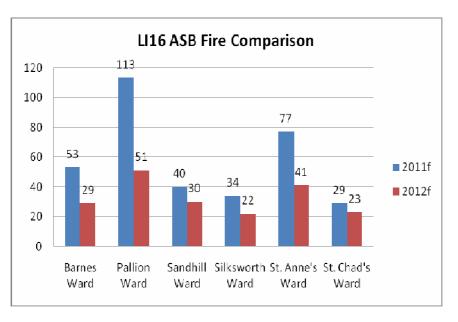
3.6 LI14 Deliberate Property Fires and LI15 deliberate vehicle fires

These incidents have increased from 13 last year to 20 this year(7 incidents up across the whole year)



Vehicle fires have decreased from 40 to 30 (a 25% reduction).

3.7 <u>LI16 Number of secondary fires not involving property or road</u> <u>vehicles started deliberately</u>



There has been a decrease of 43% in deliberate secondary fires compared to last year (196 in 2012/13 compared to 346 in 2011/12).

Sunderland West Area recorded 50 deliberate secondary fires over this report period.

LI16 Fire Property Type	Total
Loose refuse (incl in garden)	16
Wheelie Bin	15
Grassland, pasture, grazing etc	10
Refuse/rubbish tip	3
Scrub land	3
Caravan unspecified	1
Other outdoor location	1
Small refuse/rubbish/recycle container (excluding	
wheelie bin)	1
Total	50

4. Recommendations

4.1 Note the content of the report.

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