8th March 2017

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 December 2016 to 1 February 2017.

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 LI 02 Number of Deaths from all fires

No deaths were recorded during the reporting period.

3.2 LI 14 All Deliberate Property Fires

There were 0 deliberate property fires during the reporting period in the West Area. There were 2 incidents in this area during the same period last year.

3.3 LI15 Number of vehicle fires started deliberately

There were 9 deliberate vehicle fires in this area during the reporting period. There were 9 incidents in this area during the same period last year.

Date	Time	Ward	Vehicle
05/12	02.06	Barnes	Car
07/12	21.52	Sandhill	Car
28/12	19.04	Barnes	Car
14/01	12.12	Sandhill	Caravan
20/01	18.18	Sandhill	Car
20/01	19.25	St Annes	Car
20/01	20.00	St Annes	Car
24/01	19.47	Sandhill	Car
28/01	04.36	Pallion	Car

3.4 LI16 Number of secondary fires not involving property or road vehicles started deliberately

There have been 28 deliberate secondary fires in this area over the report period compared to 9 over the same period last year. This is an increase of 19 over the same reporting period.

Ward	Incidents
St. Anne's Ward	10
Barnes Ward	5
Pallion Ward	3
Sandhill Ward	2
Silksworth Ward	2
St. Chad's Ward	6

Barnes Ward	Total
Loose Refuse	4
Large refuse/ rubbish container	1

Date	Time	Ward	Property Level 4
10/12	15:01	Barnes Ward	Loose refuse
13/12	03:25	Barnes Ward	Large refuse/ container(eg skip)
26/12	16:05	Barnes Ward	Loose refuse
23/01	20:50	Barnes Ward	Loose refuse
25/01	23:41	Barnes Ward	Loose refuse

Pallion Ward	Total
Wheelie Bin	1
Loose refuse (incl in garden)	2

Date	Time	Ward	Property Level 4
28/12	20.20	Pallion Ward	Wheelie Bin
29/12	20.53	Pallion Ward	Loose refuse
22/01	21.54	Pallion Ward	Loose refuse

Sandhill Ward	Total
Loose refuse	2

Date	Time	Ward	Property Level 4
05/01	19:21	Sandhill Ward	Loose refuse
09/01	22:28	Sandhill Ward	Loose refuse

Silksworth Ward	Total
Tree/ scrubland	2

Date	Time	Ward	Property Level 4
19/12	21.21	Silksworth Ward	Tree scrubland
22/12	17:55	Silksworth Ward	Tree scrubland

St Anne's Ward	Total
Loose refuse (incl in garden)	4
small refuse/ rubbish container	2
Wheelie Bin	3
Tree scrub	1

Date	Time	Ward	Property Level 4
02/12	23:29	St Anne's Ward	Wheelie Bin
21/12	21:43	St Anne's Ward	Loose refuse
24/12	18:12	St Anne's Ward	Loose refuse
26/12	14:55	St Anne's Ward	Loose refuse
05/01	07:55	St Anne's Ward	Scrub land
11/01	19:24	St Anne's Ward	Loose Refuse
23/01	19:25	St Anne's Ward	Wheelie Bin
25/01	19:16	St Anne's Ward	Wheelie Bin

29/01	16:22	St Anne's Ward	Small Refuse container	
30/01	17:21	St Anne's Ward	Small Refuse container	

St Chads Ward	Total
Wheelie Bin	4
Grassland/ Pasture/grazing	1
Heathland/ moorland	1

Date	Time	Ward	Property Level 4	
01/12	20:12	St Chads Ward	Wheelie Bin	
01/12	21:23	St Chads Ward	Grassland	
17/12	19:10	St Chads Ward	Wheelie Bin	
17/12	21:10	St Chads Ward	Wheelie Bin	
19/12	13:33	St Chads Ward	Heathland/moorland	
19/12	21:03	St Chads Ward	Wheelie Bin	

3.5 LI33 All deliberate Fires (combination of LI14, LI15 and LI16)

There were a total of 37 deliberate fires (28 secondary fires, 9 vehicle fires) in this reporting period, this is an increase of 23 on last year when there was 14.

This is partly due to large increase in vehicle fires up from 3 in the previous year and an increase in wheelie bin fires up from 1 last year to 8 this year. The fire service, police and council are working together to identify and put forward solutions for incidents of wheelie bin fires.

Ward	December	January	Total
St. Anne's Ward	4	8	12
Barnes Ward	5	2	7
Pallion Ward	2	2	4
Sandhill Ward	1	5	6
Silksworth Ward	2	0	2
St. Chad's Ward	6	0	6

3.6 LI21 Malicious false alarm calls attended

There were 3 Malicious False Alarm calls attended over this period.

4. Recommendations

4.1 Note the content of this report.

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