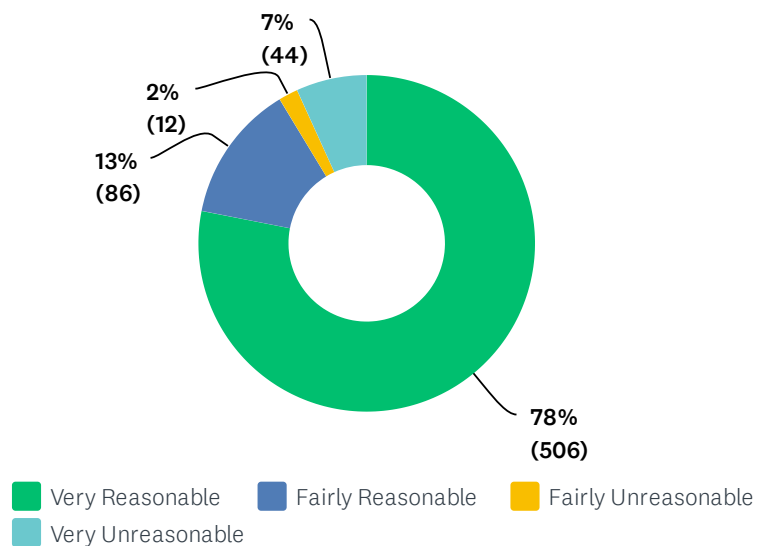


**Q1 Proposal 1:** The Service is proposing to introduce an additional fire engine into the fleet on a permanent basis. This arrangement is currently being piloted at West Denton Community Fire Station which, following a comprehensive review of data relating to risk and demand, was identified as the Service's busiest single fire engine station for this additional resource. This strengthens our commitment to our statutory duties in supporting the community. This additional fire engine will result in an increased resilience across the whole of the area covered by Tyne and Wear FRS. This proposal represents an investment in resources, creating an additional 4 Crew Manager and 12 Firefighter roles, and will enhance operational response, resilience and community safety. Based on the rationale provided do you believe this proposal is reasonable?

Answered: 648 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very Reasonable	78%	506
Fairly Reasonable	13%	86
Fairly Unreasonable	2%	12
Very Unreasonable	7%	44
TOTAL		648

#	ANY ADDITIONAL EXPLANATION / COMMENT:	DATE
1	<b>Positive</b> I would welcome the reintroduction of an appliance at West Denton	8/10/2021 11:34 PM
2	Please, for the safety of the public and fellow firefighters, can we get rid of women firefighters	8/10/2021 6:25 AM
3	<b>Additional Resource</b> I cannot understand what one extra fire engine can do if there is an	8/6/2021 10:27 AM

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emergency in several areas

4	<b>Birtley Population</b> If you live in that area but not for those of us in Birtley who are having out cover reduced significantly	8/6/2021 10:24 AM
5	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Positive</b> As well as acting on A01 being the busiest single pump, this proposal also gives a more robust availability of the command unit .	8/2/2021 12:10 PM
6	<b>Birtley Population</b> Birtley has a very large population now	7/26/2021 6:40 PM
7	<b>Birtley Population</b> Birtley is getting bigger and bigger - with additional housing etc the need for a full time fire station is growing	7/26/2021 4:31 PM
8	<b>Response Times</b> What happens if there is a fire through the night. Everyone knows how quickly fire spreads. If you are bringing fire engines from different locations lives could most certainly be lost. A ridiculous proposition!!!	7/26/2021 3:58 PM
9	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> How many additional resources to cover all proposals. These could easily be used to support birtley 24 hour cover	7/26/2021 3:08 PM
10	<b>Birtley Population</b> Given all the factories in birtley then all the new homes just been & still being built i think is a stupid idea	7/26/2021 12:57 PM
11	<b>Birtley Population</b> Factories with chemicals	7/26/2021 12:47 PM
12	If you need to know why it's unreasonable you shouldn't be asking the question	7/26/2021 10:40 AM
13	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> Having a crew of 4 on all appliances, could cause fatigue to a busy 1 pump crew.	7/26/2021 9:54 AM
14	<b>Birtley Population</b> Additional new housing, lots of factories with chemicals and flammables, rural locations nearer birtley than Washington,	7/26/2021 9:46 AM
15	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> Given the fact you wish to make Birtley Fire Station a daytime only station I believe the money could be better spent by leaving Birtley as a 24 hour station	7/26/2021 9:09 AM
16	<b>Positive</b> Brilliant	7/22/2021 8:52 PM
17	<b>Additional Resource</b> Without seeing a full detailed risk management plan detailing risk mitigation it is hard to make a judgement on this proposal especially for residents who do not live near West Denton. The website is confusing and the documents are not logical	7/16/2021 12:15 PM
18	<b>Positive</b> Welcome return and needed	7/16/2021 11:06 AM
19	<b>Positive</b> An additional appliance at West Denton provides additional resilience to the whole of the service area but specifically the North West. The pilot scheme has already provided the necessary data to support its full implementation.	7/12/2021 8:51 PM
20	<b>Positive</b> With the housing projects and population around West Denton increasing dramatically with further projects ongoing I think the increase in crew will be very welcome for response times.	7/11/2021 1:37 PM
21	<b>Positive</b> Fine! More firefighters are needed	7/8/2021 11:39 AM
22	<b>Positive</b> Whatever's needed to assist the fire service	7/8/2021 9:58 AM
23	<b>Positive</b> An extra engine means better response times	7/8/2021 9:54 AM
24	<b>Positive</b> Any additional provisions to front line services has to be a good thing	7/7/2021 3:58 PM
25	<b>Positive</b> There should be no doubt that people's safety and lives depend on our fire services having the right equipment	7/7/2021 2:35 PM
26	None	7/7/2021 2:21 PM
27	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> It is understood there is a significant staffing shortage within your service currently. This can't be rectified even with your current recruitment model. Why plough headlong into this when there are already outstanding issues re. Staffing? Surely reintroducing your 5th rider on exposed stations as your CFO stated at the time of their removal would be a better option until a better plan is put forward to sort out your staffing problems.	7/6/2021 6:38 PM
28	<b>Positive</b> Positive to see an extra appliance back in the fleet	7/5/2021 9:41 PM

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29	<b>Birtley Population</b>	Birtley will not have fire cover provided by its own station during the most dangerous hours ie: night time.	7/5/2021 4:29 PM
30	<b>Positive</b>	providing additional cover 24/7 is only a good thing!	7/4/2021 12:08 PM
31	<b>Positive</b>	Any improvement in Firefighter numbers can only be a positive step following years of cuts.	7/3/2021 4:50 PM
32	<b>Positive</b>	It's great to see an increase in the fleet I believe the issue will be being able to staff the appliances	7/3/2021 9:12 AM
33	<b>Positive</b>	It is pleasing to see a reinvestment in front line resources, following a period of hard decisions due to harsh cuts.	7/2/2021 5:03 PM
34	<b>Positive</b>	This proposal will be a excellent move as west Denton fire station is quite a far station from others	7/2/2021 3:30 PM
35	<b>Additional Resource</b>	Would prefer to see additional staff put on fire stations with only 1 pump, surely this would enhance public and firefighter safety better than just 1 area of Tyne & Wear	6/28/2021 7:29 PM
36	<b>Positive</b>	A small cost to save life.	6/27/2021 10:54 PM
37	<b>Positive</b>	A small price to pay to save/protect life.	6/27/2021 10:51 PM
38	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b>	What has changed that required the appliance that was at this location to be removed?	6/27/2021 10:01 PM
39	<b>Positive</b>	Excellent news regarding new roles being created. Also, politically, is a very balanced approach without compromising response	6/27/2021 11:07 AM
40	<b>Positive</b>	Must prepare now for future demand.	6/27/2021 12:19 AM
41	<b>Additional Resource</b>	I'm not sure this is the best basis to decide where to allocate the new engine- would it not make more sense to look at which area external resources are sent in to most often? It may be, for example, that W Denton deals with a lot of small fires that only require one unit	6/26/2021 11:37 PM
42	<b>Positive</b>	More firefighters and appliances makes us all safer	6/26/2021 11:29 PM
43	<b>Additional Resource</b>	This response is very infrequent and doesn't need permanent staffing	6/26/2021 10:28 PM
44	<b>Positive</b>	100 percent behind this seems it will help to save more lives	6/26/2021 9:32 PM
45	<b>Positive</b>	Busy fire station should have more resources, quite simple	6/26/2021 8:27 PM
46	<b>Positive</b>	Creating new jobs	6/26/2021 9:54 AM
47	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b>	For the area the station covers 1 appliance puts the public at risk.	6/25/2021 10:27 PM
48	<b>Positive</b>	There can never be too many fire engines or fire fighters	6/25/2021 8:56 PM
49	<b>Positive</b>	Totally agree with the data showing that the area deals with a lot of fire issues	6/25/2021 8:00 PM
50	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b>	<b>Positive</b> After years of cuts this is a positive move	6/23/2021 10:19 PM
51	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b>	<b>Positive</b> A very positive and encouraging proposal that is welcomed after years of austerity and brutal cuts to Tyne and Wear Fire and Rescue Service.	6/22/2021 3:30 PM
52	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b>	Was there a fire engine there a few years ago, and was removed despite the complaints? Why has it been put back now?	6/22/2021 2:23 PM
53	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b>	You removed that engine from the fleet previously, what makes west denton the voice for that location?	6/21/2021 2:16 PM
54	<b>Additional Resource</b>	I still don't believe that it warrants a second pump (other than supporting and enhancing A07s capability)	6/18/2021 6:52 PM
55	<b>Additional Resource</b>	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Positive</b> The introduction of an additional fire engine is a brilliant thing; and it looks as though the comprehensive review of data relating to risk and demand was identifying the single fire engine station which was the busiest. This is great if only the intension was to add an additional fire engine, however the proposal for Birtley	6/17/2021 1:14 PM

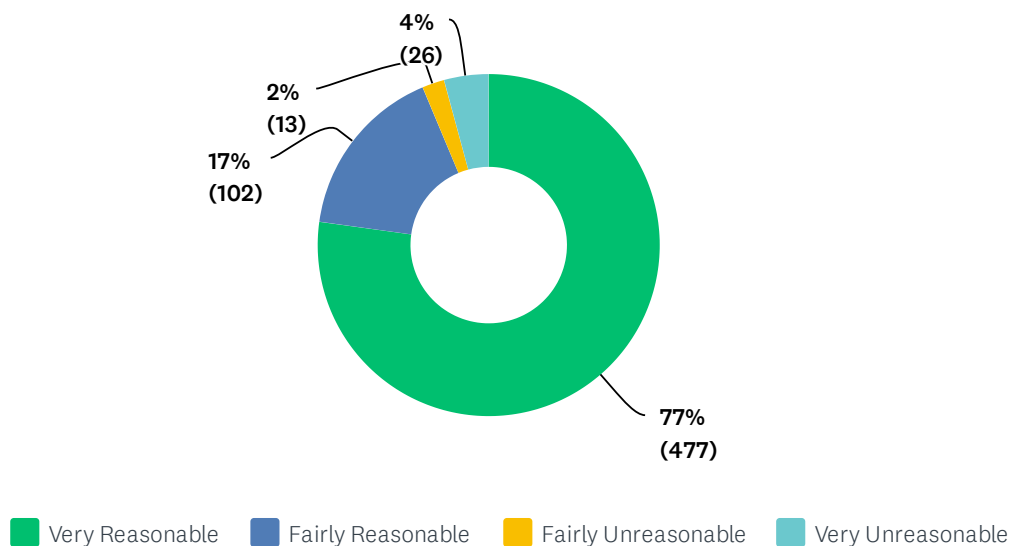
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fire station increases the risk and demand in Birtley and surrounding areas. It seems more reasonable to maintain the resilience by ensuring Birtley fire station have a fire engine 24 hours and not draw resources from neighbouring areas.

56	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> At present insufficient appliances for the area covered	6/17/2021 12:31 PM
57	<b>Positive</b> seems perfectly sensible to place any additional appliance resources in our busiest location	6/17/2021 8:49 AM
58	<b>Positive</b> More appliances and available staff can only increase safety and resilience for the community.	6/17/2021 8:12 AM
59	<b>Positive</b> This is moving the service in the right direction. Bringing pumps back can only be a good thing.	6/17/2021 8:00 AM
60	<b>Positive</b> Very positive move to increase fire cover in the station area and to add an additional resource to the overall fleet	6/16/2021 10:29 PM
61	<b>Positive</b> A brilliant result putting an appliance back on the frontline.	6/16/2021 8:55 PM
62	<b>Positive</b> I feel that the reintroduction of a second appliance at west Denton can only be of benefit to the local communities safety	6/16/2021 4:16 PM
63	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> <b>Positive</b> Addressing past cuts to Firefighters will help to provide a safer community	6/16/2021 2:17 PM
64	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> <b>Positive</b> It is reassuring to see an investment in the Service, as opposed to a (financially driven) cut, as part of the IRMP.	6/16/2021 1:51 PM
65	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> <b>Positive</b> Whilst this is excellent to see, it verges on misleading to advertise this as an introduction of a new appliance. This is the RE-introduction of an appliance that was removed directly as a result of budget cuts. This proposal just lessens the risk to the public and firefighters that was increased a few years ago in the interest of saving money.	6/16/2021 1:48 PM
66	<b>Positive</b> Great proposal - additional resources can only ever be a good thing	6/16/2021 1:43 PM
67	<b>Additional Resource</b> Has there been an increase in fire incidents and risk(s) to justify the increase in FF numbers?	6/16/2021 12:59 PM

**Q2 Proposal 2: To primary staff the Service's Aerial Ladder Platforms (ALPs)** The ALPs are dual staffed, – an arrangement where firefighters staff both the primary fire engine at that station, and also the ALP and crew which ever one is required. Sometimes this can create a conflict as both the fire engine and ALP may be required. Following significant national incidents, and a review of risk and demand data in Tyne and Wear, we are proposing to primary crew the two ALPs. This means if an ALP is required, for a fire in a tall building, a fire engine will not need to be made unavailable so staff from that engine can staff the ALP (as is the current situation). This proposal represents an investment in people resources and will result in the addition of a further 8 Crew Managers and 16 Firefighter roles into the Service. In your opinion, do you think the proposed approach is reasonable?

Answered: 618 Skipped: 30



ANSWER CHOICES		RESPONSES
Very Reasonable		77% 477
Fairly Reasonable		17% 102
Fairly Unreasonable		2% 13
Very Unreasonable		4% 26
TOTAL		618

#	ANY ADDITIONAL EXPLANATION / COMMENT:	DATE
1	<b>Positive</b> a much under used appliance ,and should be primary staffed	8/11/2021 11:54 AM

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2	<b>Positive</b> I welcome this proposal to reintroduce the primary staffing of the ALPs, they should not have been dual staffed at all	8/10/2021 11:36 PM
3	<b>Additional Resource</b> The 2 permanently crewed appliances that are capable of reaching higher up floors should be relocated to the centre of Newcastle and Sunderland respectively where they can reach the most build up areas in the 2 most populated areas of Tyne and Wear and where they can also reach surrounding areas where required	8/10/2021 10:26 PM
4	So long as they are all male firefighters	8/10/2021 6:26 AM
5	<b>Additional Resource</b> Do you really need so many extra crew members?	8/7/2021 11:12 PM
6	<b>Positive</b> This would ensure the PDA for high rise fires could be met as well as not compromising availability of pumping appliances during a large or protracted incident	8/7/2021 12:39 PM
7	I dont really understand this enough to comment	8/6/2021 10:25 AM
8	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Positive</b> Following on from events in recent years this proposal will only serve to increase the safety and reduce the vulnerability of those in the community who reside in high rise premisses.	8/2/2021 12:12 PM
9	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Positive</b> Need more	7/29/2021 9:31 PM
10	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> As previous, more crew managers and firefighters . Base one at birtley and yboth options would be covered	7/26/2021 3:09 PM
11	<b>Birtley Population</b> Why then take 24hr cover away when Birtley has high risk people	7/26/2021 12:49 PM
12	<b>Birtley Population</b> This must be call out from Grenfell. As much as I support more staff and primary staffing, I would rather keep stations open with appliances fully staffed.	7/26/2021 10:00 AM
13	<b>Positive</b> Additional employment is always good for the local community.	7/26/2021 8:55 AM
14	<b>Positive</b> A great response by the service	7/22/2021 8:52 PM
15	<b>Additional Resource</b> Personally I do not think it is necessary to staff 2 alps, very rarely do both alps go out at same time.	7/16/2021 12:51 PM
16	<b>Additional Resource</b> The location of these is questionable	7/16/2021 12:16 PM
17	<b>Positive</b> Welcome return to primary staffing	7/16/2021 11:07 AM
18	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Idea</b> What are the local incidents, could you not use a retained crew for time when the alp is needed to man when needed or a crew from another station to cover, I don't believe the evidence would be there from our area to pay to man the alp 24/7 using this money in other areas would be more beneficial	7/16/2021 6:44 AM
19	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Positive</b> Any additional personnel within the organisation are a valuable contribution to service delivery. The ability to primary staff special appliances , protecting fire cover is a very welcome concept.	7/12/2021 8:53 PM
20	<b>Positive</b> These are very expensive and technical appliances designed to carry out rescues and provide safer working environments for firefighters	7/12/2021 3:12 PM
21	<b>Positive</b> Whatever's needed to assist them in their work	7/8/2021 9:58 AM
22	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Idea</b> <b>Positive</b> Any high rise buildings that are at risk from fire must be be protected, there's a huge concentration in and around Newcastle Gateshead area, mainly students but also a good mix of private and rented accommodation. To have an ALP immediately available from a nearby station, like Gateshead, would be a massive advantage. Since Grenfell, there's alot of pressure to provide this type of firefighting approach. Keep the ALP at Gateshead, it's been there for years and is a central part to the footprint of the fire service.	7/7/2021 4:01 PM
23	<b>Idea</b> Could current staff not be 1/5 trained and used on this service	7/7/2021 2:37 PM
24	None	7/7/2021 2:22 PM
25	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> WOULD RATHER HAVE 5 ON ONE PUMP STATIONS THAN STAFF AN ALP THAT RARLY GETS USED IN ANGER	7/6/2021 7:06 PM
26	<b>Positive</b> Given the risks highlighted no more so than in the media this is a good idea.	7/6/2021 6:38 PM

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27	<b>Positive</b> We will be sad to see this appliance go from Stn V however feel this is a reasonable proposal and support primary staffing other ALP's within the service	7/3/2021 5:14 PM
28	<b>Positive</b> For those living in high rise premises, the ability to respond more expediently will be of great reassurance. Just as importantly, this will not be at the expense of alternative fire cover.	7/3/2021 4:53 PM
29	<b>Additional Resource</b> e the issue will be being able to staff the appliances	7/3/2021 9:12 AM
30	<b>Positive</b> This proposal seems reasonable	7/2/2021 5:04 PM
31	<b>Positive</b> This will be excellent as it won't hold up a appliance and the alps will always be ready to respond	7/2/2021 3:30 PM
32	<b>Additional Resource</b> no - the ALP is rarely used - this would not be cost effective, you would be paying crews to sit around waiting for possibly one incident when they may be required, this is hardly cost effective or efficient	6/30/2021 10:38 AM
33	<b>Positive</b> I live in a flammable flat caught in the fire safety/cladding scandal. Any extra protection from fire will make me feel a little safer.	6/29/2021 12:53 PM
34	<b>Positive</b> Definitely a sensible idea at last	6/28/2021 7:30 PM
35	<b>Positive</b> Totally agree	6/28/2021 11:25 AM
36	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> At previous IRMP an argument was put forward to dual staff these appliances in, what has changed?	6/27/2021 10:03 PM
37	<b>Additional Resource</b> Dual staffing is no good, is an appliance is already out it cannot then be staffed unless it returns leaving that incident to then staff another.	6/27/2021 9:00 PM
38	<b>Additional Resource</b> Staff should not be split between the TRV's and ALP's as this would still cause a conflict	6/27/2021 8:59 PM
39	<b>Additional Resource</b> Dual staffing should never have been introduced	6/27/2021 7:39 PM
40	<b>Additional Resource</b> Is there a requirement for a CM to ride the ALP if it primary crewed? I can understand the additional FF's required to ensure the ALP can be primary crewed and not require the pump as support. Can only be a good thing if both appliances can be available independent of each other.	6/27/2021 12:31 PM
41	<b>Additional Resource</b> Really need to know more details - how many times are the crews conflicted, how many times are the vehicles needed & used, what are the alternatives	6/27/2021 11:39 AM
42	<b>Positive</b> Makes best use of resources. Currently use id one asset renders the other useless.	6/27/2021 12:21 AM
43	<b>Additional Resource</b> I would need more information on how often the ALPs are used, and how often this results in a conflict	6/26/2021 11:40 PM
44	<b>Positive</b> More firefighters and immediate access to aerial appliances has to make us safer	6/26/2021 11:30 PM
45	<b>Additional Resource</b> Response data would show a decline in this appliance need over the last few yrs.... not a greater need	6/26/2021 10:31 PM
46	<b>Positive</b> These ALPs need a dedicated crew so as to maximise their availability and also that of a fire engine. There are many high rise buildings in the area and any delayed response from an ALP could lead to loss of life.	6/26/2021 10:24 PM
47	<b>Positive</b> I live in a apartment building affected by the current cladding and fire safety scandal so an ALP being available with less chance of conflict makes me feel safer	6/26/2021 8:28 PM
48	<b>Positive</b> This would be my preference	6/26/2021 8:25 PM
49	<b>Positive</b> Safety of the public first	6/26/2021 8:21 PM
50	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Positive</b> We need more Firefighters	6/26/2021 9:55 AM
51	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Positive</b> The more staff to support the needs of TWFRS the better for the region	6/25/2021 8:01 PM
52	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Positive</b> More frontline firefighters is good news	6/23/2021 10:20 PM



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53	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> <b>Positive</b> After years of very damaging cuts to the service this proposal speaks volumes about the services commitment to public safety and also to the safety of its employees.	6/22/2021 3:31 PM
54	<b>Positive</b> Will it be based in Newcastle? I'm a student and there's a lot of student accommodation high rise places. Being in Newcastle would be good because it could be there quickly.	6/22/2021 2:25 PM
55	<b>Additional Resource</b> Will the locations of the two stations be based upon the high rise talk building and the time taken to travel to it? Surely, speed and attack is the benchmark for any location and not what suits the political landscape	6/21/2021 2:18 PM
56	<b>Additional Resource</b> The proposal is reasonable but the proposed locations are not. They are not based on statistics but guided by politics. Nothing more than one north of the Tyne and one South.	6/18/2021 6:55 PM
57	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Idea</b> Primary staffed ALPs will increase training opportunities, and going by the data should be placed at Gateshead fire station which has the most attendances and greater amount of taller buildings in the are compared to the proposed Gosforth fire station. Which means the attendance times to taller building will be greater from Gosforth fire station.	6/17/2021 1:36 PM
58	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Positive</b> Extra firefighters available	6/17/2021 12:32 PM
59	<b>Positive</b> again, seems sensible in light of national incidents and risk data	6/17/2021 8:51 AM
60	<b>Positive</b> Not having to make an appliance unavailable to get this appliance to an incident adds further resilience to the fleet.	6/17/2021 8:13 AM
61	<b>Positive</b> Great idea and having an ALP preloaded to respond is a key feature for initial planning at an incident.	6/17/2021 8:01 AM
62	<b>Positive</b> With the additional risks that fires in high rises bring to the residents and firefighters this is long overdue.	6/16/2021 10:30 PM
63	<b>Positive</b> Good to increase the staffing numbers on two 1 pump stations to have 6 on duty as opposed to 4.	6/16/2021 8:56 PM
64	<b>Positive</b> I feel that the provision to not lose any availability for front line appliances when requiring a specialist appliance is a huge benefit	6/16/2021 4:17 PM
65	<b>Positive</b> Primary staffing of ALPs would mean that a Cat 2 appliance wouldn't have to go off the run when ALP is deployed leading to an extra resource should the situation require it	6/16/2021 3:39 PM
66	<b>Additional Resource</b> All specials should be primary staffed	6/16/2021 2:18 PM
67	<b>Positive</b> Seems positive, as it will enhance fire cover.	6/16/2021 1:53 PM
68	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> <b>Positive</b> An good step forward but misleading to promote this as a new investment. This is just reducing the risk that was increased a few years ago ago ALPs were dual staffed in the interest of saving money only.	6/16/2021 1:50 PM
69	<b>Additional Resource</b> <b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> <b>Positive</b> After so many years of reduced staffing this is a positive step to expand our workforce	6/16/2021 1:43 PM



**Q3 Proposal 3:** To change the current shift arrangement at Birtley Community Fire Station (W) Current staffing arrangements in the Service include a combination of shift patterns including Retained/ on-call, day crewing close call (DCCC) and 2-2-4 where staff work 2 days shifts followed by 2 night shifts and then 4 days rest. Following a legal challenge in another area of the Country of the DCCC staffing arrangement in 2018, the High Court declared this arrangement is unlawful, and subsequently directed all FRS to change these arrangements, in the absence of any local collective agreement with representative bodies. No such agreement has been reached between the representative bodies and the Service, therefore we now have to implement an alternative staffing model at this station. Following a detailed analysis of incident and risk data and to meet this ruling, the Service is proposing a change based on risk and demand, from Day Crewing Close Call (DCCC) to a nationally recognised Day Crewed model at Birtley Community Fire Station. This would see a crew of Firefighters working from the fire station in Birtley on day shift from 0800hrs to 2000hrs and through the night fire cover will be provided from surrounding fire stations and crews. This is based on risk and demand and modelling of this provision has clearly highlighted that it is safe and proportionate for the area and communities. Based on the rationale provided and given the legal requirement for the Service to amend the current DCCC arrangements and in consideration of the risk and data analysis - we are interested in any comments you have on this proposal.

Answered: 517    Skipped: 131

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> there should be no delay in turnout times to incident in birtleys area, you should not be staffing one appliance at west denton to the detriment of the Birtley public	8/11/2021 11:57 AM
2	<b>Positive</b> Since Birtley can be covered by other stations in the locality my feeling is West Denton should get the additional appliance because of how busy the station is	8/11/2021 9:52 AM
3	<b>Positive</b> It's hard to say without seeing demand between 2200&0800. If there are barely any call outs in those hours this is a sensible proposal	8/11/2021 7:10 AM
4	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I don't agree with fire cover being provided by neighbouring stations. This is downgrading fire cover in Birtley and is unacceptable and puts people at risk. Extended travel times to incidents in Birtley will put lives at risk especially during busy times or when the service is dealing with other incidents.	8/10/2021 11:39 PM
5	<b>Fire Cover</b> This just appears to be a play on stats. If Birtley requires 24/7 fire cover then introduce shift like everywhere else other than a crewing system during the day then moving a	8/10/2021 10:28 PM

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fire engine from another area at night depleting that area of fire cover

6	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> my only concern is how and where the cover will come from and how it will be arranged? A truck on standby from another station? or cover calls on demand from another station	8/10/2021 12:04 PM
7	The greatest risk to the public and to firefighters is having to pretend that women can do the same job as men.	8/10/2021 6:28 AM
8	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Rather see night time cover as well	8/9/2021 8:05 PM
9	<b>Fire Cover</b> As a local resident I would be very concerned if cover at Birtley was not 24 hour. Fire stations are highly in demand and cover from other stations is unacceptable	8/9/2021 2:33 PM
10	<b>Positive</b> PROPOSAL IS VIABLE AND VALID	8/9/2021 10:05 AM
11	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> Do not agree with this. Birtley is a large area and it seems unreasonable that the fire station is not manned overnight	8/8/2021 6:42 PM
12	No Comment	8/8/2021 2:16 PM
13	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Many Birtley residents are vigilant and work hard to prevent fires. This will be reflected in the number of call-outs. You must put safety before arguments with the unions. Relying on overnight cover from other stations will greatly increase the time it will take to reach an incident in the Birtley area. This is totally unacceptable!	8/7/2021 11:17 PM
14	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> As a resident who lives in a part cover area I feel this proposal is extremely concerning given the large area that would be left without nightly cover.	8/7/2021 10:43 PM
15	<b>Birtley Population</b> This is a very large area to be without cover during the night.	8/7/2021 10:41 PM
16	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Response Times</b> Is there an option to send an appliance into that area to cover the risk during the night, considering the life risk during the night is potentially higher than during the daytime? ie people sleeping and the need for early intervention	8/7/2021 2:43 PM
17	Is this what has been done in other parts of the country?	8/7/2021 12:54 PM
18	<b>Fire Cover</b> I believe that a decision based on the rationale of demand modelling fails to take into account the reality of unforeseen events occurring.	8/7/2021 12:26 AM
19	<b>Positive</b> Great idea	8/6/2021 3:50 PM
20	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> Due to the detailed rational and the legal requirement, I agree it is the best way forward	8/6/2021 1:31 PM
21	<b>Positive</b> Makes sense.	8/6/2021 1:17 PM
22	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> If implemented, can communities be assured that there will be monitoring to ensure the risk model has worked out as planned? Where will this information be available? Will the fire service have sufficient reserves to reinstate cover if this is needed without detriment to other areas of Tyne and Wear?	8/6/2021 1:05 PM
23	<b>Positive</b> This seems to be a reasonable solution to manage the legal challenge and appropriately protect the community	8/6/2021 1:02 PM
24	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> Why is cut backs more important than peoples lives beggars belief. When you think the thousands of houses that are in Birtley now and all of the council tax that is paid?	8/6/2021 10:28 AM
25	<b>Fire Cover</b> Which stations will cover Birtley? My understanding is this area is down to the bare bones for cover as it is so to remove cover from 2000-0800 seems dangerous and could leave people vulnerable	8/6/2021 10:26 AM
26	<b>FBU</b> shame a local agreement can't be met.	8/6/2021 9:56 AM
27	<b>Positive</b> Still keeps a strong FRS presence in area during the day	8/5/2021 8:42 PM
28	<b>24-7 station</b> Accidents and fires don't just happen between 8am and 8pm. A fire station should be manned 24 hours a day - no matter how low the perceived risk is	8/5/2021 2:19 PM
29	<b>Response Times</b> can twfrs Guarantee response times at night from which stations ?	8/5/2021 1:41 PM

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30	<b>Positive</b> Very reasonable and a good use of resources to ensure that areas are still kept safe	8/3/2021 3:56 PM
31	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> I would not feel safe if the station is unmanned at night.	8/2/2021 7:23 PM
32	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> Common sense approach given the legal ruling	8/2/2021 4:00 PM
33	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Response Times</b> As the working hours have been challenged and the duty system needs to change in line with this, my concern is that it means a reduction in fire cover when the Birtley appliance isn't on the run.	8/2/2021 12:13 PM
34	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> The rationale is based MONEY not people's SAFETY!	7/31/2021 9:02 PM
35	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Would not feel safe under this proposal as cover could take crucially longer time to reach fire callout in Birtley.	7/31/2021 8:08 PM
36	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> The station should be operational 24 hours, are Birtley residents not worthy of a full time fire service ??	7/31/2021 7:57 PM
37	n/a	7/30/2021 3:17 PM
38	<b>24-7 station</b> Not acceptable, I want to see the fire station staffed at all times.	7/30/2021 4:37 AM
39	<b>24-7 station</b> We need cover 24 hours 7 days a week	7/29/2021 9:31 PM
40	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Will this extend response times in the Birtley/Chester le street area throughout the night???	7/29/2021 7:10 PM
41	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I think it needs to be manned 24/7 as Birtley is a fairly big area and by the time others crews have reached the area significant damage will have been done and possibly increased fatalities due to response time from crews further away.	7/29/2021 5:39 PM
42	<b>Response Times</b> Birtley is an industrial area, the main road will be closed overnight for works for years slowing response times.	7/29/2021 4:46 PM
43	<b>24-7 station</b> I think this is unreasonable. Keep a 24hr crew at Birtley	7/29/2021 3:49 PM
44	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> crazy - Birtley fire station is a vital necessity for Birtley, having many hazardous and chemical factories in our locale madness to take away our manned 24-hour station the residents of Birtley do not want these cuts or changes to Birtley fire station	7/29/2021 10:14 AM
45	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> Not acceptable	7/29/2021 2:10 AM
46	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> Birtley is a growing area, why would you make the service smaller when it needs it most... when everyone is in their houses. I think it should stay as it is.	7/28/2021 8:19 PM
47	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Please look at alternative shift arrangements instead. The increasing number of properties in the area imply a greater need for night cover rather than removing it.	7/28/2021 7:16 AM
48	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Unacceptable, Birtley residents would then be reliant on fire crews from outside the area which will add additional time to crews attending emergencies. Birtley is an ever-growing town with more and more new houses being built, I feel we warrant a fire station that can be open day and night to protect the residents and give them peace of mind.	7/27/2021 8:44 PM
49	<b>Response Times</b> This will potentially cost lives as the timescale for an engine to arrive would be longer. I totally disagree with this proposal.	7/27/2021 7:37 PM
50	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Taking into account the amount of appliances that have been lost in recent years from surrounding stations and the fact that crewing levels have also been reduced I think it is a bad idea not to have a primary staffed appliance in Birtley during night time hours especially considering the amount of new housing estates in the Birtley area	7/27/2021 7:09 PM
51	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Response Times</b> I think is very unreasonable. It's vital to have fire crew to support the area especially through the night when victims could be trapped in their homes. Waiting that extra time for crew from a nearby station could be the difference between life and death.	7/27/2021 5:26 PM

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52	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> I do not feel safe with no local night time cover in the Birtley area.	7/27/2021 2:24 PM
53	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Response Times</b> Not happy, there are lots of care homes and new housing and other housing which is older properties and lots of older people. Does everyone have smoke alarms, I doubt it. How long would someone have to wait for help. Could you live with the guilt if someone is hurt due to help not getting there on time?	7/27/2021 2:12 PM
54	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Absolutely ridiculous to leave a town the size of Birtley without a fire service at night	7/27/2021 1:47 PM
55	<b>24-7 station</b> leave it as it is	7/27/2021 1:05 PM
56	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I live in Birtley, and I find the proposal quite scary. I'm lucky that I've never had to call the fire brigade out over night, but I have seen others need to. Having to wait longer for a crew to arrive from wherever one is spare would be terrifying! I fully understand that what a risk analysis can show, but it doesn't necessarily follow that an emergency situation will follow previous occasions. I think this proposal is completely unreasonable.	7/27/2021 9:17 AM
57	<b>Positive</b> Agree due to rationale this is a good idea.	7/27/2021 9:07 AM
58	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> not good	7/27/2021 9:04 AM
59	<b>Response Times</b> Will the pre determined attendance times for Birtley fire station be met after 2000hrs ?	7/27/2021 8:59 AM
60	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Staffing</b> Completely disagree and find it unacceptable. So instead of implementing alternative staffing model it was decided to close it for the night?? Find a suitable and lawful arrangement and keep it open for night! By this logic all other fire stations should be closed for night, which is obviously not the case, so they have lawful shift patterns, therefore it can be done. Change the birtley shift patterns to meet the criteria it needs to and keep it open!	7/27/2021 7:01 AM
61	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Absolutely not!!!!!! Ridiculous proposal!! Lots of new build estates in Birtley. Night cover for Birtley from Birtley fire station.	7/27/2021 12:51 AM
62	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> No, this needs to be operational at all times. Considering the chaos that's going on with the A1 and the new housing estate springing up.	7/26/2021 10:35 PM
63	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Birtley has an ever growing population. Reducing cover during the night could only result in more risk to them. My family and I think this would be detrimental to our safety and very foolish	7/26/2021 8:55 PM
64	<b>24-7 station</b> The fire station needs to be a 24hr service for the residents of Birtley and surrounding areas	7/26/2021 8:29 PM
65	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> This would be deadly as many fires are at night. Only a few month ago a car was on fire at 2am very close to houses. The fire crew were there fast for being so close and was able to stop serious injury	7/26/2021 8:14 PM
66	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Response Times</b> Absolutely disgraceful!! The amount of house getting built to then cut services is unthinkable!! Can't understand the thinking of some people. So if anything happens God Willing it doesn't, we have to panic and wait longer? No way!! Definitely a huge mistake!!	7/26/2021 8:06 PM
67	<b>Response Times</b> The access into Birtley can very often be backed up and this would cause a significant delay in an engine reaching a fire	7/26/2021 7:58 PM
68	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I feel that this would leave the surrounding area of birtley and further a field potentially limited if other stations were busy dealing with call outs especially when there are so many factories and homes in birtley which is only growing further as more homes are built and more residents move to the area. I hope a 24/7 service will continue and provide our community with a fire service no matter what time of the day.	7/26/2021 7:34 PM
69	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Absolutely not. Birtley has seen a huge volume of new houses built. Majority are large homes from 3-5 bedrooms. Big family homes. Moving to Gateshead increasing time it takes to get to a burning building	7/26/2021 7:17 PM

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increases the risk of the fire spreading rapidly. We all know how quickly a fire can spread in a home.

70	-	7/26/2021 6:56 PM
71	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> We need fire station covered 24 hours a day	7/26/2021 6:54 PM
72	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> That is putting lives at risks.	7/26/2021 6:48 PM
73	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> This is so dangerous. I would be extremely opposed to this and think it would worry lots of residents (of which our towns population is constantly expanding). Night time preparedness and proximity is VITAL. Please do not implement this it is absolutely and completely dangerous to home owners in Birtley. Please look at the views of your residents and re-evaluate this!	7/26/2021 6:33 PM
74	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> There are a lot of factories and new housing in the birtley area. Removing cover overnight does not seem in the best interests of the local population	7/26/2021 6:30 PM
75	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> I would not support a move away from full cover from The Birtley Fire Station. Birtley needs a fire station which covers the whole day. Agreement needs to be reached to ensure Birtley Fire Station remains open all day.	7/26/2021 5:30 PM
76	<b>Fire Cover</b> Totally unacceptable...this seems to suggest that fires are less dangerous at night. This is a money saving exercise, and safety has not been taken into account	7/26/2021 4:55 PM
77	<b>Birtley Population</b> Given that the number of homes has increased in Birtley I don't agree with the proposal	7/26/2021 4:41 PM
78	<b>Birtley Population</b> With the ever growing population of the town, the vacinity of the A1 and proposed road works, I believe this is a very poor decision which will cost lives.	7/26/2021 4:27 PM
79	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> As a resident of Birtley, I am very much again the station changing to only day time. With all the extra houses built and and continuing to be built, I really feel that Birtley warrant a full time fire station. I also feel that if anything, more support is required during the evening time as this is when most people are at home. I strongly disagree with this proposal.	7/26/2021 4:21 PM
80	<b>24-7 station</b> Not to change, leave as they were.	7/26/2021 4:08 PM
81	<b>24-7 station</b> It's a horrendous idea and proposal	7/26/2021 4:05 PM
82	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> I have concerns regarding the increase in housing built in Birtley area and no crew overnight.	7/26/2021 3:59 PM
83	<b>FBU</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Looks like union's calling the shots and people of birtley put at risk. Allocate some of the other proposals to birtley and share risk across brigade area.. Modelling is only as good as I put and constraints which have been applied. Birtleyamd surrounding area are on gateshead house building, ie additional	7/26/2021 3:14 PM
84	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Birtley area has had a very large amount of building of properties in recent years. Therefore I believe closing birtley on a night would actually be a negative in the area. There is over 2000 new homes in the area and 4000 more people in or coming into those homes. Sure Common sense prevails that due to the increase risks in area will also increase, therefore the engine will be of great importance in the area as. Moving this service would endanger lives and increase call times massively	7/26/2021 2:43 PM
85	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Could you please state which surrounding fire stations you mean as there is none surrounding Birtley ..... Low Fell , West Pelton , Washington are all approx 3 miles away which is 3 miles too many where life is concerned..... may i also ask if your shoulders are broad enough to carry the responsibility of the loss of that life.	7/26/2021 1:53 PM
86	<b>Fire Cover</b> It worries me greatly if this change is implemented. we need 24 hour coverage!	7/26/2021 1:48 PM
87	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> "Most fires happen at night," so making Birtley a day only station will put lives at risk and putting demands on other fire houses like Gateshead and Washington. Also With the increase of house building in Birtley local area. Puts strain on other fire houses, I strongly support Birtley fire station stays operating a full service to local area & Not as a day station. Education is always key supporting everyone about the dangers of fires, starting fires & putting out fires & the safety of all in dealing with	7/26/2021 1:26 PM



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fires. Just because detailed analysis data says it's a good idea doesn't make it a good idea, I feel if this decision goes ahead TWFRS will be putting lives at risk for all. C sells 5 Fellcross Dh3 1bq

88	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I live in Birtley and I think this is a bad decision, with all the new housing and factories in the area, we would be relying on other areas where critical time would be lost, in the time it would take to reach the accident/fire etc. I hope this does not go ahead and the fire station stays how it is.	7/26/2021 1:09 PM
89	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Ridiculous with all the new housing etc going on in Birtley there is a need for 24hour cover.	7/26/2021 1:05 PM
90	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> I think its ridiculous that there will be no cover in birtley during the night considering the size of birtley x	7/26/2021 1:02 PM
91	<b>Fire Cover</b> 10 hours with cover miles away is not exceptable	7/26/2021 12:50 PM
92	<b>24-7 station</b> Too many flammable factories surrounding Birtley therefore 24 hour fire service is required	7/26/2021 12:31 PM
93	<b>24-7 station</b> We do not want our station to be crewed 8 til 8 only. There must be an arrangement where we still have full 24hrs coverage legally!	7/26/2021 12:09 PM
94	<b>Fire Cover</b> I feel unsafe knowing that the local fire station would not be operational overnight. This surely has safety implications for the local area.	7/26/2021 12:05 PM
95	<b>24-7 station</b> Going to take yhe death of a child or oap to make people realise that station cover needs to be 24hours not 12 hours	7/26/2021 11:58 AM
96	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> very unreasonable given the amount of new builds and increase of populus in Birtley also concerns if engine coming from elsewhere major roadworks on Durham Road, A1231 and A1 will cause delays to at scene time. Birtley also has a number of large care homes with immobile patients who need an immediate response in the case of an alarm activation or fire incident	7/26/2021 11:53 AM
97	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Surely the risk of losing life by delayed response during the night is increased by this.	7/26/2021 11:46 AM
98	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Birtley fire station is central to our town and having no night cover would be catastrophic. It can take minutes for a fire to take hold and if we are waiting for cover from Washington or Gateshead this could lead in homes and lives being lost.	7/26/2021 11:25 AM
99	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> This is completely unreasonable, having no night staff available at Birtley Fire Station is detrimental to the safety of Birtley residents, workers and anyone in the area during the night. If this goes ahead it will cost lives.	7/26/2021 11:07 AM
100	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Given the growing population within Birtley I don't agree with nighttime cover from supporting fire stations in Gateshead or Washington which will both take in excess of 15mins to arrive. I would strongly support any change of shifts which provides 24hr cover from Birtley, for Birtley.	7/26/2021 11:06 AM
101	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Ridiculous idea, surely cover is needed even more at night? Can't see any logic in this proposal at all. It just puts us residents of Birtley at greater risk with no benefits whatsoever	7/26/2021 10:58 AM
102	<b>Response Times</b> Can you provide data on current call out times ?	7/26/2021 10:42 AM
103	None	7/26/2021 10:40 AM
104	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I am against this reduction of fire service cover in Birtley.I also believe this change would also have a detrimental effect on other cover and work load of the stations in the surrounding areas	7/26/2021 10:36 AM
105	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Birtley is a town with a large amount of factories and some which work with highly dangerous chemicals if a fire was to start in one of them the extra time for an engine to arrive would give the fire chance to spread. Also the housing in Birtley is constantly expanding and if a fire starts at night in a house where people are asleep an extra 5-10 minutes for an engine to arrive could mean the death of the people sleeping in there.	7/26/2021 10:27 AM

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106	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> I think this is a very bad idea we need full cover there are thousands of new houses being built surely this is a greater risk I do not agree with this proposal at all	7/26/2021 10:24 AM
107	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Birtley is still increasing in size as current building of new properties. There are several elderly buildings which may use a stay put policy which time will be wasted waiting for a crew from another area.	7/26/2021 10:17 AM
108	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> No, it should not be closed from 8pm - 8am! The station is not a busy station, but if a house fire/Road traffic incident occurred in the Terraces of Birtley or the estates of Barley Mow. Appliances from Gateshead or Washington would take a min 7-8 mins to get in the vicinity, without local knowledge it could take a further min or two to locate the incident. This is not acceptable and does not consider the safety of Birtley residents! Will this have an impact on house insurance?	7/26/2021 10:15 AM
109	<b>Birtley Population</b> I think this is appalling- Birtley is an industrial area with many factories etc. and increased population with new housing going up everywhere, very close to the A1 etc. I do not support this proposal at all.	7/26/2021 10:14 AM
110	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I've recently moved to Birtley from next to the fire station that would probably be covering this area in that situation and I believe it is too far away. Lives and livelihoods would be at a much higher risk as it is so far. There is also a lot of new build estates meaning the population has increased quite dramatically with a higher number of houses to cover- their role is more in demand than before.	7/26/2021 10:00 AM
111	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I don't think this is a good proposal at all. More people in their homes at night, and with more houses being built in Birtley meaning there is more risk to life during the night. And if the fire crews have to come from further afield then their response times are going to be longer and this could be the difference between saving a life and not. Birtley fire station should be a 24/7	7/26/2021 9:58 AM
112	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> No believe we need a dedicated 24hr service in Birtley. We have a large demographic here. New housing, factories, chemicals etc, motorways, rural roads and railways. Therefore we need fire cover 24/7 in Birtley We need	7/26/2021 9:51 AM
113	<b>Fire Cover</b> If through the night cover will be provided from other surrounding stations why can't it continue from Birtley. I believe this will put lives at risk!	7/26/2021 9:29 AM
114	I think this offer is completely unreasonable	7/26/2021 9:27 AM
115	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> Totally illogical given the expansion of homes in the Birtley and surrounding areas, Birtley fire station should be staffed and open 24hrs a day.	7/26/2021 9:26 AM
116	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I think there should be cover from Birtley fire station 24 hours a day. There are many new housing developments in the area and the evening/nighttime is when the highest number of homes will be occupied. Lives will undoubtedly be put at risk if there is no overnight staffing in Birtley- a few extra minutes can make a huge difference in the containment of a serious fire.	7/26/2021 9:26 AM
117	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> This is preposterous! I live in Birtley with my young family. This proposal will put lives at risk and create so much insecurity in the area. Birtley's housing levels have grown exponentially in the recent years and to reduce this service isn't logical and isn't safe!!	7/26/2021 9:26 AM
118	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> With all the new build in Birtley and the extensive industrial areas I strongly disagree with shutting the fire station at night.	7/26/2021 9:25 AM
119	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> Birtley should stay both a day and night time station. Birtley is growing significantly and the requirement for a fully staffed station will grow. I am opposed to the proposal.	7/26/2021 9:20 AM
120	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> The high social unrest and anti social behaviour in the surrounding areas of Birtley, Barley Mow and Allerdene, it would be highly irresponsible to close this by night	7/26/2021 9:18 AM
121	<b>Fire Cover</b> Concerned about cover overnight	7/26/2021 9:17 AM
122	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> I do not agree with this proposal. Birtley is a growing town and any night time emergency response coming from a "nearby" area is not close enough to	7/26/2021 9:15 AM



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	birtley to safeguard property and minimise the risk to life in the event of a fire.	
123	Terrible idea. Not safe.	7/26/2021 9:14 AM
124	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Absolutely dreadful proposal! Birtley has a large population with new houses being built all the time. To reduce the station to day time only service would be negligent and dangerous	7/26/2021 9:12 AM
125	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> The population of Birtley is growing with numerous new builds. Yes it's not far away from Washington station but you add into the mix the number of different roadworks and that adds time into travel placing lives at risk.	7/26/2021 9:06 AM
126	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> Totally oppose this plan. Birtley should be covered 24/7 by a local crew. Increasing population in Birtley. How many new houses have been built in the area recently? Also access from other stations could be a problem with all the ongoing road works.	7/26/2021 9:05 AM
127	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> The nearest fire station to Birtley is Gateshead or Washington- 10-15 minutes from my home. Whilst we keep our fire alarms in check, we personally came to a close call one night and should it have escalated, we know that we would have been protected due to the fire station being within yards. However, with the proposed changes our family would become at risk, especially if we would have been stuck in a burning building for this time. A LOT CAN HAPPEN IN 15 MINUTES! The Birtley population is vastly growing and Washington's priority will always be Washington, as will Gateshead to theirs- who will look after our needs? You cannot put a price on a family's safety. This change is ridiculous!! Not all of the fire crew live in Birtley either, so relying on them to drive will be a serious misjudged effort to cut costs. How many lives will be lost unnecessarily before it would only change back to how it is currently? Please think of the welfare of the town and not about a cost cutting or legal battle. Our town is unique and it works how it is!	7/26/2021 9:03 AM
128	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> There are major roadworks underway around Birtley, with night time closure of the A1 and sometimes the slip road from the A1231. I am very concerned that these roadworks could cause significant delay to any units responding from a neighbouring area, and increase what is already going to be a slow response time.	7/26/2021 9:02 AM
129	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Birtley Fire Station is very centrally based for the Tyne and Wear area. Closing during the night could have a detrimental effect on the local area, especially Birtley which is growing in population day by day. Surely, statistics show there will be a large volume of calls during the night. I think it is WRONG to implement this proposal and do not agree with it.	7/26/2021 8:59 AM
130	<b>Cuts to Fire Service</b> Putting lives at risk over money	7/26/2021 8:53 AM
131	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> There are a lot of new build houses being built in the area which increases risk if the station is unstaffed at night. More area to cover means longer arrival times for other engines.	7/26/2021 8:45 AM
132	<b>Positive</b> The move to 2 2 4 system will reduce Firefighter's working long and illegal hours and will fall in line with the rest of the service.	7/25/2021 9:18 PM
133	<b>Idea</b> Could we cover with a standby crew like we do with one pump stations on E-days?	7/25/2021 1:36 PM
134	<b>Positive</b> Sounds logical	7/24/2021 1:23 PM
135	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> unavoidable situation	7/23/2021 9:58 AM
136	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> Should go ahead if the court said its unlawful	7/23/2021 5:16 AM
137	<b>Staffing</b> Original shift patterns have worked for a long time, why change when working well	7/22/2021 9:13 PM
138	<b>Positive</b> I trust the judgement of the people who lead the service and who proposed the ideas	7/22/2021 8:54 PM
139	Don't know	7/22/2021 2:44 PM
140	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> A Nationally recognised day crew model would be the right approach to amending the unlawful arrangement	7/22/2021 1:27 PM
141	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Obviously there is a greater life risk at night. The number of accidental dwelling fires in this area is low (10 last year) and 15 the year before. 9 of these 15 were in the time period when Birtley's area would be covered by neighbouring stations. Two of these incidents had injuries - one of which could have been more serious if there was a delay	7/21/2021 11:45 AM

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in appliances arriving from further away. So I have concerns about life risk. Also if the two nearest stations (Gateshead and Washington) were busy elsewhere Control would have to take the extra cover required for Birtley's area into account.

142	<b>FBU</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I live in Birtley and would be unhappy about the proposed change. Remember it only takes a second to start a fire and only takes a second for someone to die maybe you should challenge the high courts decision. Keep writing to the prime minister for extra funding.	7/21/2021 10:00 AM
143	No answer	7/21/2021 9:58 AM
144	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Response Times</b> I'm not sure how this works, but Birtley Fire Station does need 24 hour coverage as other stations must be at least 5 miles away. I cannot really decide on any of this	7/21/2021 9:57 AM
145	No answer	7/21/2021 9:55 AM
146	No answer	7/21/2021 9:54 AM
147	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Staffing</b> make station whole time as it used to be with 4 watches	7/20/2021 8:58 PM
148	<b>Positive</b> adequate proposal	7/20/2021 5:44 PM
149	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> I think this proposal sounds very reasonable and seems to be a clear practical solution to a legal challenge.	7/20/2021 3:07 PM
150	<b>Staffing</b> Following the detailed analysis of incident and risk data what research has been carried out to ensure the Brigade can fulfil this option? ie the personnel within the Birtley footprint for DCCC.	7/20/2021 1:10 PM
151	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> It is important to indicate to the public that Birtley community fire station protects whether the night cover will provided from neighbouring stations relocated to Birtley or those stations would have travel in to the area from their own station areas	7/20/2021 10:21 AM
152	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Birtley is expanding at a very fast pace with house building taken place in various parts. Surely to leave people without their local fire station at any time is unacceptable but overnight when people are asleep and are statistically more likely to fall victim of a serious fire incident in their home. This is madness. I think many residents would feel safer having a night time only fire station. No matter how you fluff this up local people will have to wait longer for a fire engine in the dead of night when people are sleeping, therefore at a higher risk of becoming trapped than in the day. Who is proposing these decisions?? Why can't we even have a retained station? Surely this would save life saving minutes. Madness TWFRS!	7/20/2021 1:53 AM
153	<b>Positive</b> ok	7/19/2021 10:57 PM
154	.	7/19/2021 8:36 PM
155	<b>Fire Cover</b> This could be worrying for people in the Birtley area with regard to night time cover, especially vulnerable persons.	7/19/2021 3:10 PM
156	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Staffing</b> Happy for the same shift pattern to apply	7/19/2021 2:44 PM
157	<b>Positive</b> As long as it is safe for the community	7/19/2021 10:42 AM
158	<b>Positive</b> no issues	7/19/2021 9:47 AM
159	<b>Positive</b> Sounds reasonable	7/19/2021 9:43 AM
160	<b>Positive</b> The proposal is very reasonable	7/18/2021 7:41 PM
161	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Staffing</b> Current DCCC arrangements at Birtley provide night fire cover . Proposal 3 will result in a further reduction of night fire cover within the service from 2 appliances to 3. I strongly believe the 2-2-4 shift pattern would be a better option.	7/18/2021 6:44 PM
162	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Staffing</b> Whilst I am sure the service would appreciate volunteers to fill the positions at Birtley FS, has there been anything put out asking those already working the DCCC system if they would continue to work at the station with this new shift system or if they would be looking to return to a more traditional system. If there are insufficient volunteers presumably employers would be compulsory transferred to cover vacancies. Has the service any intention of conducting research to see how much interest there would be from employees	7/18/2021 4:25 PM

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moving to a 12 hour day shift and how likely enforced moves be? Also the information provided through the IRMP proposal change has a link to a Workload Modelling Document dated December 2020, where proposal C is very similar to the above proposal with 20:00-09:00 cover being provided by Q02. Is this the finer details of this proposal or is cover into Birtley's area to be provided by appliances mobilising from home station when required?

163	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> As a resident of Birtley I find this unacceptable. There are often fires during the night and we would have to wait twice as long waiting for an engine from Low Fell!	7/18/2021 1:27 PM
164	The proposal is a disgrace	7/17/2021 9:41 PM
165	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Staffing</b> Could this not return to a normal shift pattern instead of the 0800 - 2000 arrangement.	7/17/2021 8:48 PM
166	<b>Response Times</b> Not acceptable. More than 10,000 people will be affected as it will take longer for the brigade to attend fires from other stations.	7/17/2021 12:21 PM
167	<b>Positive</b> I agree	7/17/2021 11:11 AM
168	<b>Fire Cover</b> I think this works when there isn't traffic for surrounding stations trucks to negotiate when entering station 'W' fire ground.	7/17/2021 11:11 AM
169	No comment	7/16/2021 7:12 PM
170	.	7/16/2021 3:32 PM
171	<b>Positive</b> Very reasonable to change the shift pattern to day crewing	7/16/2021 3:32 PM
172	Hard to agree without seeing the data	7/16/2021 1:23 PM
173	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Positive</b> The proposal makes absolute sense if cross border co-operation between Fire Services can also be relied upon to assist TWFRS around the boundaries between the two Services.	7/16/2021 1:04 PM
174	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> As someone who lives in birtley, I find the proposal to not have cover during the night at birtley fire station slightly alarming, the extra few minutes it would take for an appliance to arrive on scene could be crucial to saving the property or life's.	7/16/2021 12:54 PM
175	/	7/16/2021 12:47 PM
176	<b>Positive</b> Yes	7/16/2021 12:43 PM
177	<b>Fire Cover</b> the data support this move from DCCC to DC	7/16/2021 12:37 PM
178	<b>Positive</b> I can imagine this perceived reduction in fire cover for the residents of Birtley will be very concerning and is understandable. However as the appropriate risk modelling has been completed and the proposal is deemed to be safe and proportionate I consider it to be a reasonable option.	7/16/2021 12:36 PM
179	<b>FBU</b> <b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Staffing</b> Has an agreement been reached with rep bodies on 12 hr shifts? If not then it is at risk of a legal challenge and you are in the same position	7/16/2021 12:18 PM
180	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> You have no option	7/16/2021 11:31 AM
181	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> If unlawful then you must abide by the law	7/16/2021 11:09 AM
182	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> Completely and utterly ridiculous! How can you propose to man an alp and not a fire station in a large town which covers a lot of industrial areas and the a1, given it is the evening but no accidents fires emergency happen after 8pm, I think not they don't have a time restriction and neither should the fire service! Your heads are in the clouds; have you spoke to the local community in person rather than leaflets and Facebook? I suggest you arrange and invite people to the oversized over priced community fire station and use one of the many unused rooms and have a face to face consultation on the matter. Or are you thinking of the future where you can leave the people of Birtley and surrounding area with out a fire station and sell of the community station and line you bank with a tidy sum like you did when you said that birtley needed a bigger station as it was growing when you built the community one? They is much better options available than a non maned station. Maybe you should never changed it from being a retained crewed station,,,	7/16/2021 6:57 AM
183	No comment	7/15/2021 10:42 AM

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184	None	7/14/2021 11:30 PM
185	<b>Positive</b> Very reasonable	7/13/2021 8:04 PM
186	<b>FBU</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Staffing</b> The current DCCC model appears to work very well at both locations. It provides the required level of fire cover and provides significant cost savings to the organisation. It is a mutually agreeable work pattern, it is frustrating to see that a local agreement can not be developed with the representative body (FBU) . All personnel that work that particular shift pattern apply for the location and shift pattern and fully accept the conditions . The current DCCC provides the service with all round fire cover, the day crewing method does provide a reduced level of cover depending on the day crewing arrangement.	7/12/2021 9:01 PM
187	i have no comments to make on this	7/12/2021 5:21 PM
188	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> providing fire cover from surrounding stations must obviously increase the attendance time for fire appliances during the night. if the need exists during the day then surely the need exists at night when a sleeping risk poses a greater risk of fatalities.	7/12/2021 3:16 PM
189	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> <b>Staffing</b> Why is retained not an option? There's plenty of adequate housing for firefighters to occupy so they are in close quarters to the fire station but saves on expenses ... this still allows a quicker response time. The rationale of having other stations providing cover seems extreme considering retained works well in Chopwell and has not been explored in Birtley.	7/11/2021 10:24 PM
190	<b>Positive</b> Using nearby fire stations and crews from other stations during the night sounds like a reasonable solution if you can't have resource 24/7z doesn't seem ideal but provides a cost effective answer.	7/11/2021 4:21 PM
191	<b>Positive</b> If it has been deemed as safe for the size of the community it seems ok but would be good to think it was put under review - perhaps asking the community in 12 months time if a difference/ disadvantage is felt by the new arrangement	7/11/2021 4:02 PM
192	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> <b>Response Times</b> If I lived in that area I would be concerned about fire coverage and response times. However, I appreciate that the high court ruling puts you in a difficult position.	7/11/2021 3:42 PM
193	<b>Positive</b> ok	7/11/2021 2:26 PM
194	<b>Positive</b> Great idea	7/11/2021 1:43 PM
195	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> <b>Staffing</b> I think the staff could be the primary consultees on this kind of shift change also will the other areas response times be affected by increase of coverage needed overnight?	7/11/2021 1:39 PM
196	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> <b>Response Times</b> Would allow alignment to legal requirement, however would place pressure on surrounding stations to cover	7/11/2021 1:31 PM
197	<b>24-7 station</b> A ridiculous situation, the station should be permanently maned on a 2-2-4 as with the rest of the brigade.	7/11/2021 12:48 PM
198	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> It would be helpful to provide the local Birtley community with the evidence used in the risk analysis to provide confidence that we are not going to be negatively impacted by the change. So for instance, the number of night call outs Birtley currently experiences, the expected increase in call out time for using covering stations and reassurance that Birtley fire station will continued to be used in the future.	7/10/2021 8:44 PM
199	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>FBU</b> LIVES are more important than failing to find a compromise with the unions. If you can keep Rainton open for 24 hours why can't you do the same at Birtley?	7/10/2021 1:47 PM
200	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> It's very worrying that Birtley will not have a crew during the night. Every second counts in the event of a fire and lives could be lost by the time a crew from another fire station arrives. There's a lot of new houses being built in the area and we are surrounded on by factories and manufacturing. A lot of these factories are open during the night. I think it could be a very dangerous decision to not man birtley station overnight	7/10/2021 11:43 AM
201	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>FBU</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> The best modelling and statistical measures may not be fully compatible with risk to life incidents, regardless how many call-outs the crews have. The population of Birtley and its surrounding communities is increasing with much new, additional housing. Reducing the Station's operational periods is a backward step	7/9/2021 10:51 PM

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which, as a Birtley resident, I cannot support. Are lives less important than reaching a compromise with the Fire Unions? The next stage could be to close the Birtley Station altogether, as was suggested by the Fire Authority a few years ago. Relying on appliances from other stations to attend incidents in the Birtley area will increase the response times considerably. Please put human lives ahead of operational difficulties and keep the Birtley Station operational for 24 hours every day.

202	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Response Times</b> We had a part time station in Birtley for years. When our new station was built opening on a 24 hour basis our residents felt at ease our growing town would be safe. The town is still growing so would think a 24 hour service is still needed and more so the bigger the town gets. Having to wait for a surrounding station to attend a house fire or Rta in our town is a risk we're not willing to chance.	7/9/2021 6:16 PM
203	<b>Response Times</b> Strongly against this proposal. Response times will be increased on a evening and night when the service is needed most.	7/9/2021 5:29 PM
204	Nothing to add.	7/9/2021 1:19 PM
205	<b>Fire Cover</b> I would like to see the statistics that back up this proposal as a resident of this area	7/9/2021 9:44 AM
206	No comment	7/8/2021 4:24 PM
207	<b>Positive</b> So long as a risk and demand analysis has been carried out and that the data has proven that this is a safe change to implement	7/8/2021 3:53 PM
208	No comment	7/8/2021 1:57 PM
209	<b>Positive</b> It's needed for safety reasons for the community as well as our fire persons	7/8/2021 1:56 PM
210	<b>Positive</b> Yes I support this shift change	7/8/2021 1:54 PM
211	No comment	7/8/2021 1:53 PM
212	<b>Positive</b> Sounds good and fair	7/8/2021 12:04 PM
213	<b>Positive</b> The proposal looks to be ok	7/8/2021 12:02 PM
214	No comment	7/8/2021 12:01 PM
215	<b>Fire Cover</b> As long as adequate 24 hour cover is provided it should be fine	7/8/2021 11:59 AM
216	Very unreasonable	7/8/2021 11:58 AM
217	No comment	7/8/2021 11:56 AM
218	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> I think we should have night cover at Birtley - not from neighbouring stations. Birtley has lots of new homes being built so needs local 24hr cover	7/8/2021 11:49 AM
219	No comment	7/8/2021 11:47 AM
220	No comment	7/8/2021 11:45 AM
221	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> The Birtley Fire Station is paramount not only to Birtley but for the surrounding areas. I think this idea/arrangement will be a poor one. Who is to say that if the Birtley one is closed and the others are open and busy and fire happens in Birtley or a nearby the distance and time would be factors. I believe our council tax is being used without thought and being misspent. Do not close Birtley Fire Station	7/8/2021 11:42 AM
222	No comments	7/8/2021 11:03 AM
223	<b>Positive</b> If it helps the lads do there jobs better and easier	7/8/2021 9:58 AM
224	<b>Fire Cover</b> I'm not sure of the rate of fires are during the day and fires during the night, but I hope the cover for night fires are as good as they are now	7/8/2021 9:55 AM
225	<b>Fire Cover</b> Fire's can happen 24 hours a day I do not think the station should be closed on a night as this is putting the local community at risk	7/7/2021 10:20 PM
226	No comment	7/7/2021 4:35 PM



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227	<b>Positive</b> If you have documented proof that this is safe practice then it sounds reasonable	7/7/2021 4:34 PM
228	<b>Positive</b> Yes, Birtley is a very quiet station with very little risk. Neighbouring stations would be able to swallow up the shortfall after 8pm.	7/7/2021 4:03 PM
229	<b>24-7 station</b> Keep the same	7/7/2021 2:37 PM
230	no comment	7/7/2021 2:34 PM
231	no comment	7/7/2021 2:33 PM
232	<b>Positive</b> This new work pattern seems reasonable to me	7/7/2021 2:27 PM
233	None	7/7/2021 2:22 PM
234	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> I feel the proposal is evidenced as the best option based on the situation and options available.	7/7/2021 11:49 AM
235	<b>Fire Cover</b> My concern is that while cover is not provided from Birtley after 8pm this would impact on the service if it was needed during the night.	7/7/2021 10:17 AM
236	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Fire cover is either needed or not. Cant just have cover during the day. 1 minute extra time is very questionable this can not be achieved	7/6/2021 7:08 PM
237	<b>24-7 station</b> Should be 24 hours	7/6/2021 6:55 PM
238	<b>Response Times</b> The dayshiftbtimes seem very loose in terms of when most FRS attend incidents. I'd be surprised if the data truly supported these timings.	7/6/2021 6:41 PM
239	nil	7/6/2021 4:57 PM
240	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> The Incidents after 2000hrs needs to be Analysed over the past few years to be able to get an average call out percentage and weather factors and seasons need looking at also , Using other stations to in effect look after nightshift is removing appliances from any major incidents should they be called .	7/6/2021 4:43 PM
241	<b>Positive</b> <b>Response Times</b> The proposal seems fairly reasonable providing the surrounding fire stations could attend an incident within the average response time.	7/6/2021 1:43 PM
242	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Staffing</b> Disappointing, as it offers better coverage of the station area and an opportunity for increased earnings for operational staff.	7/6/2021 11:42 AM
243	<b>Positive</b> No comment as its a positive step to find a solution	7/6/2021 11:22 AM
244	<b>Positive</b> I support this proposal. The data and modelling supports it. 1 second slower for first fire engine a 3 and 2 seconds quicker for second fire trucks and whole are average response stays steady. What's not to support? The shift system is a nationally agreed shift system in the grey book. It may mean firefighters moving around but that's fairly common across fire brigades.	7/5/2021 11:35 PM
245	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Slight concern on impact of having a different shift system (non DCCC) running alongside current 2-2-4 and how it would work. Also issue of increased response time for residents of Birtley and surrounding area between 2000 and 0800.	7/5/2021 9:45 PM
246	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> As a resident of the area I think this proposal is of detriment to the people of Birtley . Appliances from other stations cannot attend incidents as rapidly as an engine based in Birtley which will give a fire more time to develop putting the public and oncoming fire crews at greater risk , this proposal will also affect the western part of Washington as Birtley turns out to this area where they are often first in attendance (was the factored into the modelling ? ) ALPs may well be turned out on more occasions than Birtley but modelling must show they are actually deployed and used on far fewer occasions C McGuire S G/W	7/5/2021 7:26 PM
247	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Staffing</b> Employ a further crew to ensure 24 hr cover	7/5/2021 7:25 PM
248	.	7/5/2021 2:45 PM
249	hhr	7/5/2021 11:11 AM
250	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> As it is a legal requirement to change and following comprehensive data analysis I believe this to be a fair proposal	7/5/2021 11:11 AM

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251	I don't have the data to make an informed opinion of this	7/5/2021 11:03 AM
252	<b>Positive</b> This is fair	7/5/2021 8:54 AM
253	<b>Positive</b> This is reasonable	7/4/2021 9:04 PM
254	<b>Fire Cover</b> Totally unreasonable need 24 hour cover locally	7/4/2021 3:53 PM
255	<b>Positive</b> This appears to be a sensible solution to the problem given the neighbouring stations can provide a timely response outside the hours covered by the personnel on that Station.	7/4/2021 2:40 PM
256	<b>Positive</b> as long as changes are appropriate to risk	7/4/2021 12:09 PM
257	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> As a member of the community of birtley, i think that it is a totally disgrace that you are proposing to remove the nightshift from our local station. Given that i know of a few incidents that have occurred during the night. Having to wait for crews to get here from other areas could be the difference between life and death. Instead of investing money into other stations and adding crew, why dont you invest in the birtley station and change the way in works but keep the nightshift.	7/4/2021 10:27 AM
258	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Response Times</b> With the extra housing currently being built in the Birtley area and Birtley as a Town becoming a bigger buisier area I object to the removal of a night firefighting crew to this area. Fires spread quickly and a crew is needed directly in Birtley to be on the scene of a major fire as quickly as possible.	7/4/2021 8:49 AM
259	<b>Fire Cover</b> Very concerned that fire cover is diluted after 20:00. 12 hours of no cover within the station area until an appliance from a neighbouring station finally arrives is risky and gambling.	7/3/2021 10:12 PM
260	<b>Positive</b> i strongly agree with this proposal and i think this should go ahead as the service will be more beneficial from this.	7/3/2021 7:59 PM
261	<b>Positive</b> As long as the night crewing arrangement is not detrimental to other areas of the service this seems a good compromise	7/3/2021 5:42 PM
262	Personally don't know enough about this shift system or response times to Birtley's area, more information required for this proposal	7/3/2021 5:17 PM
263	<b>Fire Cover</b> The lack of fire cover at night is a cause of concern, the decision based upon risk and demand modelling surely impacts on community and firefighter safety where incidents occur in other parts of the county simultaneously.	7/3/2021 4:57 PM
264	N/a	7/3/2021 3:08 PM
265	X	7/3/2021 1:25 PM
266	<b>Fire Cover</b> I don't see a need for this station. The area can be covered by two neighbouring stations within a fraction of time difference. This station is just a pension pot builder.	7/3/2021 11:44 AM
267	<b>FBU</b> Although I understand the rationale to this I know personally feel that both W and H should remain as they are with a local agreement put in place with personnel wiling to do this, the union and the employers. I feel the Union have been very short sighted locally.	7/3/2021 9:15 AM
268	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Idea</b> Totally disagree. The fire service plays a massive part in our community. With crime and fires set by youths on the rise (more so at night) then this is when we need the fire service based in Birtley. Not only that they are actually based directly in front of where fires are often set by youths. The fire service here would benefit from more community work to reach out to young people and to engage them in their service	7/2/2021 8:51 PM
269	<b>Positive</b> I believe this is the most logical and practical proposal to implement based on all data and analysis.	7/2/2021 5:42 PM
270	<b>FBU</b> It seems a shame that the Service is pushed into a position, where a staffing arrangement that is working and generally liked by staff, to have to change that arrangement, due to a conflict in another Service. Disappointing to learn the local FBU couldn't stand up to this challenge and speak out for what is best for the area.	7/2/2021 5:07 PM
271	<b>FBU</b> Disappointing that this option is having to be put in place because of a failure to have this shift pattern formally recognised by the FBU when it is so popular with the staff.	7/2/2021 4:40 PM



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272	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Would providing fire-cover from surrounding stations during the night not increase response times to incidents in the Birtley area? I would be concerned to the increased risks to the residents of Birtley during the night when they will have no immediate fire-cover.	7/2/2021 4:31 PM
273	<b>Idea</b> retained cover from 20:00 - 08:00 might be an idea as its not inconceivable that S Y and V may be busy	7/2/2021 4:24 PM
274	<b>Positive</b> I think this is reasonable	7/2/2021 4:20 PM
275	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> This is a alright proposal but it says *night time cover will be provided from surrounding fire stations* it may be good if they keep that station open during night as it may delay turnouts in the birtley area unless there's another pump standby there during night	7/2/2021 3:33 PM
276	None	7/2/2021 2:55 PM
277	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> The proposal for an alternative staffing model at Birtley Fire Station appears to be a very viable option based on the legal requirements presented.	7/2/2021 2:54 PM
278	.	7/2/2021 2:48 PM
279	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> Appreciate this is a difficult situation for the service. Will be very hard to find a solution that all parties are happy with.	7/2/2021 2:42 PM
280	<b>Positive</b> Sounds reasonable.	7/2/2021 2:24 PM
281	<b>Staffing</b> Change that staffing system but leave our 15hrs on nightshift and 9hours on dayshift alone. Why would you change a staffing module that is family friendly to a one that isn't. We continually state that we are a family friendly organisation, which after my recent experience I find us not to be, to something that would severely affect people's home lives	7/2/2021 2:19 PM
282	<b>Staffing</b> More information is required before comment can be made ie how many days in a row would crews work? Why 8 til 8? Why 12 hour shifts?	7/2/2021 1:54 PM
283	<b>Fire Cover</b> My only main concern would be that this proposal may take away fire cover from other areas that are busier.	7/2/2021 1:33 PM
284	<b>Staffing</b> all avenues should be explored to change or influence legislation allowing voluntary participation in the DCCC staffing structure as it provides benefits for the service and the individual staff that have chosen to work at the two locations that currently adopt this model	7/2/2021 12:43 PM
285	<b>Staffing</b> If the 12 hour shift pattern falls in line with the current shift pattern (4 on and 4 off) will this be a hard position to fill? What alternative shift patterns involving 12 hour days are being discussed?	7/2/2021 12:25 PM
286	<b>Fire Cover</b> This proposal will reduce fire cover and should therefore be avoided	7/2/2021 12:22 PM
287	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Staffing</b> The better solution unless reverting back to a 24/7 4 watch based system	7/2/2021 11:56 AM
288	<b>Positive</b> Agree with the proposal	7/2/2021 11:47 AM
289	<b>Fire Cover</b> This removes a fire appliance from the fleet for 12 hours	7/2/2021 11:21 AM
290	No comment	7/2/2021 11:05 AM
291	No comment	7/2/2021 11:03 AM
292	<b>Positive</b> Proposal appears to be fine.	7/2/2021 11:00 AM
293	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> Following a legal requirement so little choice it seems	7/2/2021 10:59 AM
294	<b>Positive</b> Agree	7/1/2021 6:03 PM
295	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Positive</b> <b>Response Times</b> I like the idea of the this proposal but the night time where station is closed isn't really a good idea as turnout is going to be a bit later as they would have to send a station from a different station and if there is hazmat incident the vehicle in birtley will have no one to cover over night unless it's at a different station.	7/1/2021 4:24 PM
296	No opinion	7/1/2021 10:16 AM

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297	<b>Fire Cover</b> The Workload modelling information contained in appendix G of the Fire Authority committee paper contains no scenario where the appliance at Birtley is unavailable from 20:00 to 08:00. All scenarios appear to provide 24hr fire cover via an appliance at Birtley. How is this move safe if the scenario has not been correctly modelled?	6/30/2021 2:22 PM
298	<b>Response Times</b> Obviously response times between 20:00 hrs and 08:00 hours will increase for the Birtley area. Will the predicted response time increases be published for public consumption?	6/30/2021 1:59 PM
299	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> The DCCC shift pattern issue needed addressing before any legal action could possibly be taken against our brigade . This proposal makes sense . The solution at Birtley looks like a good one	6/30/2021 12:03 PM
300	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> i do not agree with this proposal - since most fatal fires happen at night why would the service remove an appliance covering the birtley area, appliances further away would have to travel further to get to any incident in the area, additional travel time would impact on how quickly appliances arrive at an incident, how does this provide reassurance to the residents of birtley, surely this would impact on the risk of fatalities for any such house fire in the future, is this a risk the service is willing to take?	6/30/2021 10:48 AM
301	<b>FBU</b> <b>Positive</b> Very reasonable, disappointing that the FBU have caused this change.	6/30/2021 10:31 AM
302	<b>Fire Cover</b> This is not safe and not reasonable, the station should have 24 hour cover, to to protect the and respond in a timely manner. These cuts will cost lives	6/29/2021 7:02 PM
303	<b>Positive</b> A pragmatic solution, which, based on the information provided, will provide resilience to the station and ensure welfare of staff.	6/29/2021 4:39 PM
304	<b>Fire Cover</b> it is a question of peoples interpretation of safe and proportionate for areas and communities. Is it proportionate because it fits into a model outcome?	6/29/2021 2:49 PM
305	<b>Positive</b> Agree	6/29/2021 1:15 PM
306	I'm not sure on this one	6/29/2021 12:54 PM
307	No	6/29/2021 9:28 AM
308	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Response Times</b> DCCC should be removed immediately and without question as the high court as ruled this is unlawful. I am concerned around the response times when the station would be closed, I don't think this is a good solution either.	6/29/2021 7:29 AM
309	<b>Idea</b> <b>Response Times</b> Fire services across the uk run a day crew service with a 5min response from the same crew on a pager/app after day shift ends which is an approved crewing system and Why can't this be employed here considering it was once a retained station then whole time/retained till it become DCCC. This would save taking an appliance from another area to cover during the night & not affect amount of appliances available through the night?	6/28/2021 10:17 PM
310	<b>Positive</b> Sound idea	6/28/2021 9:42 PM
311	.	6/28/2021 8:36 PM
312	<b>Fire Cover</b> That shift system should never have been introduced, would prefer full time 24 cover	6/28/2021 7:31 PM
313	<b>Staffing</b> Why not just normal rotation	6/28/2021 11:27 AM
314	<b>24-7 station</b> Cover should be 24/7 so 2 2 4 should be best option	6/28/2021 9:36 AM
315	<b>24-7 station</b> 2 2 4 should be undertaken	6/28/2021 9:00 AM
316	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Response Times</b> review how other services around the country handle these situations, what impact will this change have on response times in the area, what proposals do the staff that raised the legal challenge have?	6/28/2021 8:30 AM
317	<b>FBU</b> What is the FBU thoughts on this?	6/28/2021 8:26 AM
318	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> I agree if the current arrangements are not lawful then a change is required. My only concern is the details to how the fire cover will be met through surrounding Fire stations.	6/28/2021 8:22 AM

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319	<span>Positive</span> Reasonable	6/28/2021 7:54 AM
320	<span>24-7 station</span> <span>Fire Cover</span> I do not believe that the people of Birtley should have no dedicated fire appliance at night, statistically fire deaths occur at night	6/28/2021 7:49 AM
321	<span>Legal Requirement</span> <span>Positive</span> It's a no brainer. And you have a legal obligation to do so.	6/28/2021 6:49 AM
322	<span>Positive</span> <span>Response Times</span> Seems reasonable. Only concern would be slower response times.	6/27/2021 11:41 PM
323	<span>Response Times</span> It is difficult to be objective without the time of attendance differential between day and night.	6/27/2021 10:59 PM
324	<span>24-7 station</span> I would want it staffed full time.	6/27/2021 10:23 PM
325	<span>Cuts to Fire Service</span> Why was this system not implemented in the first place when it is apparently safe and proportional and obviously cheaper?	6/27/2021 10:08 PM
326	None	6/27/2021 9:53 PM
327	<span>Response Times</span> Not in favour. Although less demand as night, increase in response time in the area at night.	6/27/2021 9:39 PM
328	<span>Fire Cover</span> Would this not stretch the stations covering Bartley during the night, especially if there was a major incident.	6/27/2021 9:22 PM
329	<span>Staffing</span> Not a good proposal. Horrendous shift patterns and no consideration taken for the staff involved or the impact on their family life.	6/27/2021 9:02 PM
330	<span>Staffing</span> Terrible idea, totally against horrendous shift patterns and not family friendly in the least	6/27/2021 9:01 PM
331	<span>Positive</span> Makes sense	6/27/2021 8:59 PM
332	Not in agreement	6/27/2021 8:53 PM
333	<span>Response Times</span> As long as it is safe to do so and it does not increase the risk of loss of life due to increased response times.	6/27/2021 8:53 PM
334	.	6/27/2021 8:41 PM
335	This seems like a bad idea	6/27/2021 8:23 PM
336	<span>Fire Cover</span> I'm concerned that if anything happens outside of these hours and there is a loss of property or life, will there be a backlash from the public.	6/27/2021 8:20 PM
337	Why?	6/27/2021 8:02 PM
338	None	6/27/2021 7:40 PM
339	<span>Idea</span> <span>Staffing</span> Staff it on a retained basis at night	6/27/2021 7:40 PM
340	No comment	6/27/2021 7:21 PM
341	<span>Positive</span> As long as the night shift system works well and is reviewed on a regular basis I see no problem	6/27/2021 5:01 PM
342	<span>Fire Cover</span> <span>Response Times</span> The only concern would be around the proximity of other fire stations in relation to night cover and how long it would take them to respond.	6/27/2021 4:55 PM
343	<span>24-7 station</span> <span>Fire Cover</span> Firefighters with extended equipment need to be trained and maintain their training which takes time. Regional resilience needs operators of such equipment to be trained and ready to go quickly and 24/hour crew is necessary	6/27/2021 4:41 PM
344	<span>Staffing</span> I believe there will be some challenges to operationally fulfilling this working pattern and securing volunteers. It may have been an opportune time to seek through staff consultation the appetite within the brigade for working this pattern and identifying volunteers from each of the respective ranks.	6/27/2021 4:16 PM
345	<span>Staffing</span> As part of a DCCC Station i am slightly saddened that this system could be coming to an end, as my initial thoughts were that this station and system were saving the service a lot of valuable money over the years.	6/27/2021 4:14 PM

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346	<b>Staffing</b> Keep current model if staff are happy / volunteer to work this dccc model	6/27/2021 3:05 PM
347	<b>Positive</b> AGREE	6/27/2021 3:02 PM
348	<b>Positive</b> Sounds fine	6/27/2021 1:42 PM
349	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Idea</b> <b>Staffing</b> due to the volumes of calls Birtley receives would it not be better taking it to an fully RDS station which would make large savings which could be used for other things.	6/27/2021 1:04 PM
350	None.	6/27/2021 12:58 PM
351	<b>Staffing</b> On face value it seems like an appropriate decision based on the information provided however there are other questions this information doesn't answer. Is DCCC the same as Day Crewing Plus (I.e., positive hours 0800-2000 on station and standby hours in provided accommodation, on station grounds, but classed as separate premises?) My understanding of Day Crewing includes those on the system providing cover from a home address (live within 5mins of the station) between the hours of 2000-0800hrs. Is this the case in this situation or will the area simply have to rely on resources from further afield? What would be the working arrangements (I.e., 3 on 3 off / 4 on 4 off). What would be the outcome in relation to staffing, would there be a reduction in staffing and if so are these simply being redeployed to proposal 1 and 2, therefore not actually increasing the establishment overall? Will those on the new DC system (if implemented) simply be day duty workers and if so, what would be implemented to ensure a fair appointment process given an assumed appetite for no longer working nights. Or, would those on the system be redeployed on nights to cover shortfalls across T&W (based on the assumption they would still align to a 2-2-4 system providing their days at Birtley and nights where) needed?	6/27/2021 12:58 PM
352	<b>Positive</b> Good idea	6/27/2021 12:46 PM
353	N/a	6/27/2021 12:44 PM
354	<b>24-7 station</b> Just crew the station permanently.	6/27/2021 12:28 PM
355	<b>Fire Cover</b> Fire appliances are either required or not 24hrs. Fire does not know the difference between night and day. Arguable that there is a higher life risk during the night.	6/27/2021 12:27 PM
356	<b>Fire Cover</b> Why can't the area be covered from another station all the time if it is ok at night why not during the day?	6/27/2021 11:40 AM
357	<b>Response Times</b> What is the difference in turnout times using this model should a night shift full time crew not be supplied	6/27/2021 11:38 AM
358	None	6/27/2021 11:29 AM
359	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Positive</b> Good idea but how do you ensure the resilience out of hours	6/27/2021 11:23 AM
360	<b>Positive</b> Very reasonable approach considering the demand in those areas	6/27/2021 11:09 AM
361	?	6/27/2021 10:56 AM
362	<b>Positive</b> Seems ok	6/27/2021 10:48 AM
363	<b>Fire Cover</b> All fire appliances should be manned 24hrs a day.	6/27/2021 10:43 AM
364	<b>FBU</b> Agreement should have been reached.	6/27/2021 10:27 AM
365	<b>Positive</b> Good idea have better coverage	6/27/2021 9:43 AM
366	<b>24-7 station</b> The station should operate at night	6/27/2021 9:29 AM
367	<b>Positive</b> Im a great believer in "if it's not broken don't mend it" but do whatever is safest for the crews.	6/27/2021 9:14 AM
368	<b>Positive</b> Ok	6/27/2021 9:03 AM
369	<b>Staffing</b> It would depend on crewing for this model and pattern of working. This type of model could have an impact on family life for some personnel	6/27/2021 9:03 AM
370	<b>Staffing</b> Legal requirement therefore something needs to be changed, survey the FF's currently at Birtley on their preferred shift pattern	6/27/2021 9:00 AM

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371	A		6/27/2021 8:51 AM	
372	24-7 station	Man it 24 7	6/27/2021 8:50 AM	
373	Positive	Very reasonable	6/27/2021 8:39 AM	
374	Positive	Yes that would seem reasonable	6/27/2021 8:24 AM	
375	Positive	seems reasonable	6/27/2021 8:17 AM	
376	Fire Cover	Stretching other stations and crews to cover a larger area from 8pm to 8am doesn't sound like a brilliant idea!	6/27/2021 8:03 AM	
377	Idea	Could it not be day crewed and on-call overnight?	6/27/2021 7:57 AM	
378	24-7 station	Crew birtley 24/7	6/27/2021 7:52 AM	
379	Staffing	DCCC was and is an unsustainable, unsafe practice only pushed through to save money. That no single senior officer that brought in the shifts jin any brigade has ever volunteered to do these shifts shows that they recognise the huge strain on people they represent.	6/27/2021 7:51 AM	
380	X		6/27/2021 7:50 AM	
381	Staffing	Do the Wholetime Crew not provide night cover at their station?	6/27/2021 7:48 AM	
382	Idea	Staffing Previous fire services have operated these arrangements and incidents within the station area operating a Day Crewed system resulted in fire deaths and drew large amounts of criticism of the system. Has consideration been given to the potential to have On Call cover from 2000-0800?	6/27/2021 7:34 AM	
383	Positive	As long as it's backed by the data	6/27/2021 7:12 AM	
384	No comment		6/27/2021 6:48 AM	
385	24-7 station	Losing a staffed fire station is not in the best interests of the community under any circumstances	6/27/2021 2:35 AM	
386	Positive	Its again very reasonable	6/27/2021 2:10 AM	
387	Positive	I think this is a good idear	6/27/2021 12:45 AM	
388	.		6/27/2021 12:29 AM	
389	Fire Cover	Only if a sizeable disparity between day and night risk/demand should result in being uncrewed at night	6/27/2021 12:26 AM	
390	NA		6/27/2021 12:25 AM	
391	Positive	As long as other stations have the resources to cover I don't see a problem	6/27/2021 12:10 AM	
392	Positive	Based on the info provided, this sounds reasonable	6/26/2021 11:42 PM	
393	Fire Cover	Idea	Staffing This is a reduction in fire cover for the people living in Birtley. RDS cover at night would be cost effective.	6/26/2021 11:33 PM
394	Positive	I don't live in that area but think that's reasonable	6/26/2021 11:00 PM	
395	Legal Requirement	Positive	This seems like a logical option if the change is a legal requirement	6/26/2021 10:57 PM
396	Dccc is not a good idea for anyone		6/26/2021 10:40 PM	
397	24-7 station	Staffing the station full time would seem the safest solution	6/26/2021 10:38 PM	
398	Positive	Alright if the crews involved are happy with this shift pattern	6/26/2021 10:35 PM	
399	Idea	Staffing	The only valid option is self rostering. Why do you need to ask this question? Look to Yorkshire	6/26/2021 10:34 PM
400	Positive	Staffing	Seems like the best option has been considered to conserve the most appropriate staffing and response levels for the station and surrounding area as well as the welfare of the crew involved.	6/26/2021 10:31 PM

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401	<b>Positive</b> The reduced risk makes the proposal reasonable.	6/26/2021 10:28 PM
402	<b>Idea</b> Does the data analysis show that the appliance is required during the day? Could the station area be covered by surrounding stations or move the appliance to one of the surrounding stations and save money by closing Birtley.	6/26/2021 10:20 PM
403	<b>Positive</b> Its a shame there will be no nighttime coverage, but you have to do what you can. Thankfully the station will not be closed. A reasonable compromise.	6/26/2021 10:11 PM
404	.	6/26/2021 10:06 PM
405	<b>Positive</b> This seems reasonable to me and like it is needed to help with operational capacity	6/26/2021 10:04 PM
406	No comment	6/26/2021 10:01 PM
407	<b>Positive</b> I agree, if day staff are needed more than the night staff, it makes more sense to have a constant stream of day staff.	6/26/2021 10:00 PM
408	<b>Positive</b> Sounds reasonable if public safety isn't risked and no firefighters are affected financially	6/26/2021 9:55 PM
409	<b>Fire Cover</b> I feel that having day crew only would potentially put lives at risk	6/26/2021 9:51 PM
410	Na	6/26/2021 9:44 PM
411	<b>Positive</b> If it has been assessed on risk and demand I assume it is a safe shift rota	6/26/2021 9:44 PM
412	Do what you want. Tyne & Wear are a law to themselves	6/26/2021 9:33 PM
413	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Response Times</b> <b>Staffing</b> Why not staff it full time like other fore stations - by doing this surely response time will increase during the evening/nights when the engine is required. This may just save a life and surely that is priceless!	6/26/2021 9:31 PM
414	<b>24-7 station</b> Full time crew	6/26/2021 9:28 PM
415	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Response Times</b> This station needs 24hr cover there are a number of sheltered housing units in the area and the time taken to attend an incident at Birtley may mean the difference between life and death	6/26/2021 9:26 PM
416	<b>Positive</b> <b>Staffing</b> Antiquated Victorian shift systems should not be maintained. They afford no resilience at extended incidents and are an additional pension burden on the authority and the FPS.	6/26/2021 9:24 PM
417	No comment	6/26/2021 9:17 PM
418	<b>Idea</b> <b>Staffing</b> What about day crewed as you suggest then retained on call firefights for night duty it would be like going back to an old style system in a way	6/26/2021 9:05 PM
419	<b>Positive</b> Sounds good to me	6/26/2021 9:03 PM
420	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> The risk to life is at night so this assessment is flawed. You need a staffed appliance during the night more than during the day. Nearest appliances cannot meet reasonable attendance times from surrounding stations.	6/26/2021 9:00 PM
421	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Staffing</b> You need to arrange night cover from the station - not leave it unstaffed. You must put in on call arrangements here, not leave it unstaffed at night.	6/26/2021 8:51 PM
422	<b>24-7 station</b> <b>Response Times</b> Needs to have better service in the Birtley area 24/7. I'm sure that if Gateshead and a Washington were on calls then the time to attend from other stations could be life threatening due to the attendance time.	6/26/2021 8:38 PM
423	Terrible	6/26/2021 8:37 PM
424	None	6/26/2021 8:34 PM
425	I don't feel qualified to comment on this	6/26/2021 8:32 PM
426	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> I believe the lack of night shift in a given station would undoubtedly cause a delayed response on a fire within that stations operating radius. Of course adjacent stations would be able to deal with the situation but I do think the delayed time would be crucial.	6/26/2021 8:31 PM



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427	<span>24-7 station</span> Stick with 2-2-4	6/26/2021 8:29 PM
428	None	6/26/2021 8:29 PM
429	<span>Fire Cover</span> De-staffing other areas isn't the answer to this requirement.	6/26/2021 8:27 PM
430	<span>Response Times</span> Surely this will/could put a strain on services between the hours 20:00-8:00 where there will be less cover?	6/26/2021 8:25 PM
431	<span>Positive</span> As long as fire cover is provided within a reasonable parameters then I have no objection.	6/26/2021 8:24 PM
432	<span>Fire Cover</span> The service should look at this from data collected on the risk and demand and also crew safety	6/26/2021 8:23 PM
433	<span>Positive</span> Reasonable	6/26/2021 8:21 PM
434	<span>Positive</span> <span>Response Times</span> If this is safe then yes however I would question the response times for incidents within the area and obviously if incidents happen in the locale of the engine coming in what happens then?	6/26/2021 8:20 PM
435	<span>Positive</span> A reasonable staffing model	6/26/2021 8:20 PM
436	<span>Positive</span> Good proposal	6/26/2021 8:15 PM
437	<span>Positive</span> Seems fair.	6/26/2021 8:11 PM
438	<span>Legal Requirement</span> <span>Staffing</span> Pursue other alternatives to keeping the shift system, eg. loophole in European time directive	6/26/2021 3:18 PM
439	<span>Fire Cover</span> Will surrounding crews go to W for the cover period or respond from their own stations?	6/26/2021 1:59 PM
440	No opinion	6/26/2021 11:17 AM
441	No opinion	6/26/2021 9:56 AM
442	<span>Staffing</span> I don't agree with mixing day and night shift, I used to work mixed and I found it played havoc with sleep patterns	6/26/2021 9:49 AM
443	No opinion on this	6/26/2021 9:20 AM
444	<span>Idea</span> Close the station completely	6/26/2021 8:38 AM
445	<span>Positive</span> Reasonable	6/26/2021 7:34 AM
446	None	6/26/2021 7:26 AM
447	Would need further information to offer alternative options	6/25/2021 10:28 PM
448	<span>Fire Cover</span> <span>Response Times</span> Could the service publish the incident figures and times of incidents to back up the decision? Also how the response times would be met by neighbouring station during those hours when normal crews were not available?	6/25/2021 9:42 PM
449	I would surmise that the risk has been evaluated to put this proposal forward. Building security after hours would be a concern	6/25/2021 8:54 PM
450	<span>Positive</span> Good idea	6/25/2021 8:16 PM
451	<span>Positive</span> If the data supports the shift change and supports that nearby fire stations can support the area then that makes sense	6/25/2021 8:05 PM
452	<span>Fire Cover</span> Would it be wise to leave a large area to be manned during nightshift by other stations	6/25/2021 8:01 PM
453	<span>Positive</span> Very reasonable	6/25/2021 7:47 PM
454	Not fair to comment, I do not live in the area	6/25/2021 7:41 PM
455	<span>Positive</span> As long as the risk to community remains low then I believe this is a very reasonable proposal.	6/24/2021 11:34 PM
456	test	6/24/2021 10:25 AM



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457	<b>Positive</b> As its only a one pump station this should be managable.	6/23/2021 10:21 PM
458	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Staffing</b> Are there any other legal and viable shift patterns other than 12hrs for this station?	6/23/2021 11:25 AM
459	<b>24-7 station</b> Should go back to a fully staffed station 2,2,4	6/22/2021 10:17 PM
460	<b>FBU</b> <b>Staffing</b> It will be sad to see DCCC go as it works perfectly for the organisation and all personnel who work it and at the same time providing 100% quality fire cover to the public ensuring their safety 24 hours a day.	6/22/2021 3:44 PM
461	no comment	6/22/2021 3:16 PM
462	<b>Idea</b> Does Birtley need a fire station?	6/22/2021 2:25 PM
463	I	6/22/2021 7:36 AM
464	none	6/22/2021 7:32 AM
465	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Idea</b> If the risk is that low for incidents, then why staff it during the day at all? You're suggesting that fires do not happen after 8pm	6/21/2021 2:20 PM
466	none	6/21/2021 1:29 PM
467	<b>Fire Cover</b> Concerns over whether this could leave this area of the brigade stretched between the hours of 2000hrs - 0800hrs when cover is being provided by neighbouring stations.	6/20/2021 7:37 PM
468	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Staffing</b> if the cover is required through the night then why not change the station back to normal shifts instead of taking fire cover from surrounding stations areas.	6/20/2021 12:14 PM
469	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Staffing</b> Would this not reduce the fire cover at the stations having to provide cover, how would this be organised with other commitments, Eday cover at Stn Y etc.	6/19/2021 6:43 PM
470	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Staffing</b> further work to maintain DCCC to be explored	6/19/2021 10:47 AM
471	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Staffing</b> All options to have DCCC should be exhausted before any changes being made.	6/19/2021 10:08 AM
472	<b>Idea</b> <b>Staffing</b> If night cover can be provided by surrounding stations why not have them provide day cover as well? The shift that is being suggested will not be popular and so trainees will possibly be posted there due to their Nomad contracts and the fact they are less likely to oppose such a posting.	6/18/2021 7:02 PM
473	<b>Positive</b> This is a reasonable proposal.	6/18/2021 6:53 PM
474	No comment	6/18/2021 5:00 PM
475	None	6/18/2021 4:18 PM
476	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Staffing</b> This is a big change to what was in place but had to change due to a legal requirement, hopefully this type of cover will not roll over to other stations within the brigade .	6/18/2021 7:51 AM
477	<b>Positive</b> This proposal seems to be a reasonable move.	6/17/2021 5:12 PM
478	<b>Positive</b> Understood	6/17/2021 3:55 PM
479	<b>Birtley Population</b> <b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Looking at proposals A-D and the calculations used. Road speed limits etc. The risk and data analysis suggests it is proportionate for the immediate area, however the risk in the neighbouring stations will increase. The geography and risk in the neighbouring areas would increase the response times much more than what the data suggests. Furthermore the introduction of an additional fire engine West Denton whilst reducing fire cover in Birtley will increase demand in local areas and possibly increase risk.	6/17/2021 1:49 PM
480	<b>Positive</b> this is a logical proposal based on evidence of risk Level 1 incidents occurring after 20:00	6/17/2021 12:53 PM
481	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> Should stay as it is due to the demands on other stations who would have to cover	6/17/2021 12:33 PM
482	<b>Positive</b> <b>Staffing</b> If the current shift system can not be maintained and the data suggests	6/17/2021 12:24 PM

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that providing a day shift between the recommended hours would be sufficient, I am happy to support this proposal as I don't see that there is any other option?

483	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> <b>Staffing</b> I've never been operational, to be fair, but obviously the fact DCCC has been declared as unlawful, changing the work pattern to follow a nationally recognised model seem the sensible thing to do	6/17/2021 8:53 AM
484	<b>Positive</b> The area has surrounding Stations that can quickly attend incidents in that area. If the figures show that the number of incidents are low at the times suggested I feel this would be a proportionate move.	6/17/2021 8:15 AM
485	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Staffing</b> This has been forced on the service but like the previous way this is a shift system which i don't think many people would like. I would normally object whole heartily if this pattern was brought in across the board.	6/17/2021 8:03 AM
486	.	6/17/2021 7:48 AM
487	Don't know	6/16/2021 11:23 PM
488	<b>Positive</b> Makes sense to make this change	6/16/2021 11:07 PM
489	<b>FBU</b> I'm disappointed the FBU have not been able to work with TWFRS to agree that this shift system can continue although a day crewing model will provide fire cover at a cheaper cost than a shift station.	6/16/2021 10:32 PM
490	<b>Idea</b> <b>Staffing</b> Would it be appropriate to suggest an on call system for the evenings to allow staff to be on call from home and assist when needed	6/16/2021 10:12 PM
491	N/A	6/16/2021 9:08 PM
492	.	6/16/2021 9:00 PM
493	<b>FBU</b> <b>Legal Requirement</b> It is a pity an agreement could not have been agreed to keep the staffing model of DCCC.	6/16/2021 8:57 PM
494	<b>24-7 station</b> All fire stations should provide 24/7 cover	6/16/2021 7:44 PM
495	cfgnghjgjfj	6/16/2021 5:13 PM
496	<b>FBU</b> <b>Legal Requirement</b> I believe it is appalling that the service tried to arrange a local collective agreement to negate this High Court ruling; that declared this arrangement is unlawful, and subsequently directed all FRS to change these arrangements as far back as 2018.	6/16/2021 5:12 PM
497	<b>Positive</b> I'm sure all modelling has been carried out and supports this action	6/16/2021 4:18 PM
498	None	6/16/2021 3:48 PM
499	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> If the service are doing something unlawful then this has to be addressed. If there is a lower risk in the evening then it is sensible to reduce the shifts which would clearly provide an efficiency	6/16/2021 3:48 PM
500	ftghdfh	6/16/2021 3:31 PM
501	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Positive</b> this makes sense as then only Chopwell will be On Call - (unless that also requires the change due to legal requirements)also covered by Swalwell.	6/16/2021 3:03 PM
502	<b>Idea</b> <b>Staffing</b> A return to pre DCCC staffing should be implemented	6/16/2021 2:19 PM
503	<b>Fire Cover</b> Will this mean we will be relying on 13/16 agreements more?	6/16/2021 2:10 PM
504	<b>FBU</b> <b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> Given the legal position and the fact that Rep bodies are unwilling to enter in to a local agreement the FA has no option but to introduce this measure.	6/16/2021 2:04 PM
505	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> Reasonable in the circumstances.	6/16/2021 1:57 PM
506	<b>FBU</b> <b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> It appears that the FBU challenge, and subsequent legal decision, has left the Service with no option but to propose this.	6/16/2021 1:55 PM
507	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Response Times</b> It is concerning that this leaves Birtley without any fire cover between 2000 and 0800. If a house fire was to occur in Birtley's area and Birtley's appliance	6/16/2021 1:50 PM

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was available, the attendance of the first pump would likely be within a few minutes. The proposal is that during 2000 and 0800 it is acceptable that this first pump may now take 4 or 5 minutes on top of that to arrive. That could be the difference between a life saved and a life lost. In addition, by making what would have historically been the second pump in attendance now the first pump in attendance, you are increasing the attendance time of the second and third pump by an even greater stretch. This will massively have a negative impact on firefighter safety should an incident occur. Due to the increased length of time without support firefighters are limited to what they can safely do and could expose themselves to greater risk as a result.

508	<b>Positive</b> Agree with the proposed new model	6/16/2021 1:46 PM
509	<b>Legal Requirement</b> No comment other than we have no choice to respond	6/16/2021 1:44 PM
510	<b>Positive</b> I agree with this proposal	6/16/2021 1:20 PM
511	<b>Idea</b> will the station be remodelled?	6/16/2021 1:00 PM
512	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> I would agree that allowing Fire crews from this Service to perform unlawful shifts needs to change, and that this type of shift change should be implemented and re-evaluated after a period of time.	6/16/2021 12:59 PM
513	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> Due to the legal challenge i understand this is necessary	6/16/2021 12:58 PM
514	<b>FBU</b> <b>Positive</b> in the absence of a local agreement i believe it is reasonable that this approach be undertaken	6/16/2021 12:40 PM
515	no	6/16/2021 12:27 PM
516	<b>Fire Cover</b> <b>Positive</b> Agree, as long as appropriate cover is provided and does not impact surrounding areas.	6/16/2021 12:27 PM
517	<b>Legal Requirement</b> <b>Positive</b> I understand the Service has to respond to an ongoing legal challenge which necessitates the proposed changes.	6/16/2021 10:41 AM

**Q4 Proposal 4:** To change the current shift arrangement at Rainton Bridge Community Fire Station (H) Current staffing arrangements in the Service include a combination of shift patterns including Retained/ on-call, day crewing close call (DCCC) and 2-2-4 where staff work 2 days shifts followed by 2 night shifts and then 4 days' rest. Following a legal challenge in another area of the Country of the DCCC staffing arrangement in 2018, the High Court declared this arrangement is unlawful, and subsequently directed all FRS to change these arrangements, in the absence of any local collective agreement with representative bodies. No such agreement has been reached between the representative bodies and the Service, therefore we now have to implement an alternative staffing model at this station. To meet this ruling, the Service is proposing a change based on risk and demand, from Day Crewing Close Call (DCCC), to the 2-2-4 shift system, at Rainton Bridge Community Fire Station. This shift system would see a crew of firefighters based at the station throughout every 24 hr period as per current arrangements albeit on a different shift pattern. Analysis of the data and risk information has informed this proposal and underpins the proposal to have a crew on the station for 24 hrs per day. The level of activity has indicated that the proposal to maintain a 24 hr cover is balanced and appropriate based on the evidence and data. Overall, this proposal will not result in any reduction of crewing or availability of staff in the Rainton Bridge station area and is simply a change to the shift pattern. Based on the rationale provided and given the legal requirement for the Service to amend the current DCCC arrangements and in consideration of the risk and data analysis - we are interested in any comments you have on this proposal.

Answered: 494   Skipped: 154

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	<b>Staffing</b> it seems to have taken a long time since the court ruling to change the shifts at DCCC	8/11/2021 11:58 AM
2	No views	8/11/2021 9:53 AM
3	<b>Positive</b> Good	8/11/2021 7:11 AM
4	<b>Positive</b> I am pleased to see that fire cover is not being reduced under this proposal, unlike proposal 3. Fire cover should not be reduced at all.	8/10/2021 11:40 PM
5	<b>Positive</b> Accepted	8/10/2021 10:28 PM

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6	<span>Positive</span> pleased 24 hour cover will be maintained	8/10/2021 12:06 PM
7	Whilst you continue to employ female firefighters, you put us all at risk.	8/10/2021 6:29 AM
8	<span>Positive</span> Very reasonable	8/9/2021 8:06 PM
9	<span>Positive</span> Appears on the surface acceptable	8/9/2021 2:35 PM
10	<span>Positive</span> CHANGE OF SHIFT PATTERN IS THE MOSTY LOGICAL THING TO DO.	8/9/2021 10:06 AM
11	<span>Birtley</span> Could this not be implemented in Birtley?	8/8/2021 6:42 PM
12	No Comment	8/8/2021 2:16 PM
13	<span>Birtley</span> This is what you should be doing at Birtley!	8/7/2021 11:18 PM
14	Hmmm	8/7/2021 10:44 PM
15	no comments	8/7/2021 10:41 PM
16	<span>Birtley</span> <span>Staffing</span> How does this proposal differentiate with the proposal for station W? W is losing nighttime cover but H is keeping nighttime cover and could be seen as an enhancement due to firefighters are now 'at work' and not on close call?	8/7/2021 2:45 PM
17	<span>Positive</span> This makes sense as H01 can be a busy station	8/7/2021 12:55 PM
18	<span>Positive</span> I believe this to be of benefit.	8/7/2021 12:26 AM
19	<span>Positive</span> Due to detailed rational and legal requirement, I agree it is the way forward	8/6/2021 1:32 PM
20	<span>Positive</span> No concerns	8/6/2021 1:18 PM
21	<span>Positive</span> If this is a change to shift pattern and does not impact on fire cover for communities this seems reasonable, presuming that this has no detrimental impact on firefighters in terms of training, wage, pension, etc.	8/6/2021 1:08 PM
22	<span>Positive</span> Reasonable solution based on the legal challenge and appropriate protection of the community	8/6/2021 1:03 PM
23	This system cannot work in any areas	8/6/2021 10:28 AM
24	<span>24/7</span> <span>Birtley</span> So they get 24 hour cover but Birtley doesnt - very odd	8/6/2021 10:26 AM
25	as per previous question	8/6/2021 9:56 AM
26	<span>24/7</span> <span>Positive</span> Gives fire cover 24/7 still and maintains the FRS presence in area.	8/5/2021 8:43 PM
27	None	8/5/2021 2:20 PM
28	no views	8/5/2021 1:42 PM
29	<span>Positive</span> Good use of resources again ensuring surrounding areas still protected through a different shift pattern	8/3/2021 3:58 PM
30	<span>Positive</span> Good	8/2/2021 7:26 PM
31	<span>Positive</span> Common sense approach following the legal ruling	8/2/2021 4:01 PM
32	<span>24/7</span> <span>Positive</span> It is good to see the return to the 2-2-4 on cessation of this duty pattern as it means that full 24 hour fire cover will be maintained in this area.	8/2/2021 12:14 PM
33	It does not seem safer	7/31/2021 9:06 PM
34	<span>Positive</span> No problem provided sufficient cover is available.	7/31/2021 8:12 PM
35	More cost cutting life risk.	7/31/2021 7:58 PM
36	n/a	7/30/2021 3:17 PM
37	None	7/30/2021 4:39 AM
38	<span>24/7</span> We need cover 24/7 in all close areas	7/29/2021 9:32 PM
39	<span>Birtley</span> Why doesn't Birtley not get this arrangement also ??	7/29/2021 7:11 PM

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40	<span>24/7</span> <span>Positive</span> See previous answer. Regardless of the area, people pay taxes and deserve a service that is available to them in an emergency	7/29/2021 5:40 PM
41	<span>Birtley</span> Do this for Birtley	7/29/2021 4:46 PM
42	Unreasonable	7/29/2021 3:50 PM
43	<span>Positive</span> no services should be restricted in any community firestation	7/29/2021 10:15 AM
44	Not acceptable	7/29/2021 2:11 AM
45	I di not know the area	7/28/2021 8:20 PM
46	<span>Birtley</span> Please consider this approach for the birtley station.	7/28/2021 7:17 AM
47	N/a	7/27/2021 8:44 PM
48	<span>Positive</span> If 24hr cover is to be provided I totally agree.	7/27/2021 7:39 PM
49	<span>Birtley</span> This shift pattern shows more common sense than the one proposed for birtley	7/27/2021 7:11 PM
50	No comment	7/27/2021 5:27 PM
51	<span>24/7</span> <span>Staffing</span> Can you not just have a day shift and night shift crew.	7/27/2021 2:26 PM
52	<span>Birtley</span> Same reply as for Birtley	7/27/2021 2:13 PM
53	.	7/27/2021 1:48 PM
54	<span>24/7</span> <span>Staffing</span> cut down to 3 shifts 24 on 24 off 24 rest	7/27/2021 1:06 PM
55	N/a	7/27/2021 9:18 AM
56	<span>Positive</span> Again based on the rationale agree this is a reasonable change.	7/27/2021 9:08 AM
57	<span>24/7</span> definitely 24hr cover needed	7/27/2021 9:06 AM
58	<span>Positive</span> Seem reasonable as long as standards of fire cover are not decreased.	7/27/2021 9:01 AM
59	<span>Birtley</span> Birtley should also have this.	7/27/2021 12:53 AM
60	This is out of my living area	7/26/2021 10:37 PM
61	Depending on the demograph of the area I can't see this being a prudent plan	7/26/2021 8:56 PM
62	<span>Positive</span> Keep	7/26/2021 8:30 PM
63	Na	7/26/2021 8:14 PM
64	<span>Birtley</span> I'm sorry but if this is good enough for Rainton Bridge why can't they do this at Birtley?	7/26/2021 8:08 PM
65	I don't know the area to know what shift system would work	7/26/2021 8:00 PM
66	<span>Birtley</span> I feel If this option is possible at this station a similar offering should be made at Birtley where shift changes are implemented in line with this station to ensure community safety	7/26/2021 7:36 PM
67	NA TO ME	7/26/2021 7:17 PM
68	Putting lifes at risk	7/26/2021 6:48 PM
69	My thoughts are exactly the same as the previous response.	7/26/2021 6:35 PM
70	<span>Birtley</span> Don't know much about the Rainton area but it is difficult to see how removing nighttime cover could be in the best interests of the local population	7/26/2021 6:33 PM
71	<span>Birtley</span> <span>Positive</span> Sounds sensible. Why can't you apply this approach to Birtley.	7/26/2021 5:33 PM
72	See previous comment...unacceptable and not as safe	7/26/2021 4:56 PM
73	No comment	7/26/2021 4:42 PM
74	<span>Birtley</span> My main concern is the change to Birtley, not knowing this area I can't comment	7/26/2021 4:28 PM

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75	No comment	7/26/2021 4:22 PM
76	I don't think this will work plus it's too risky.	7/26/2021 4:14 PM
77	X	7/26/2021 4:05 PM
78	Madness to change one station and then change another to what the first one was already doing.	7/26/2021 4:00 PM
79	As before. Sort collective barge ing for the good of all, Not to fit in with an in appropriate business plan.	7/26/2021 3:16 PM
80	<span>Positive</span> This would be fine	7/26/2021 2:44 PM
81	read	7/26/2021 1:48 PM
82	<span>Birtley</span> My reply is the same as thoughts about Birtley fire station. No to day time only	7/26/2021 1:29 PM
83	None	7/26/2021 1:10 PM
84	<span>Birtley</span> Still need to be using birtley	7/26/2021 1:08 PM
85	<span>Cuts to fire service</span> Again as before there should never be a cut down in service.	7/26/2021 1:05 PM
86	<span>Birtley</span> Why then are you changing Birtley 24 hrs cover	7/26/2021 12:52 PM
87	N/A	7/26/2021 12:32 PM
88	<span>Birtley</span> <span>Positive</span> This seems reasonable and should be done 24hrs the same at birtley	7/26/2021 12:10 PM
89	<span>Birtley</span> I hope that this arrangement can be made to Birtley fire station.	7/26/2021 12:07 PM
90	<span>Birtley</span> How can this happen at one station but not another	7/26/2021 12:00 PM
91	<span>Birtley</span> <span>Positive</span> reasonable could a similar shift pattern be implemented at Birtley	7/26/2021 11:54 AM
92	<span>Positive</span> This proposal would make me feel much safer as I know if anything were to go wrong and I had a fire there would be firefighters close by to help.	7/26/2021 11:26 AM
93	<span>Birtley</span> <span>Positive</span> I agree with this proposal, why is this not happening with Birtley though?	7/26/2021 11:09 AM
94	<span>Birtley</span> <span>Positive</span> Providing 24hr cover is available I have no issues. Why can't this be implemented in Birtley?	7/26/2021 11:08 AM
95	<span>Birtley</span> Why can't this be done in Birtley too??	7/26/2021 10:59 AM
96	None	7/26/2021 10:40 AM
97	The option of the affected personal should be followed	7/26/2021 10:39 AM
98	.	7/26/2021 10:28 AM
99	Totally disagree	7/26/2021 10:24 AM
100	This is another increasing population area which resources are going to be removed from	7/26/2021 10:19 AM
101	<span>24/7</span> If the staffing model has to be changed. The 2-2-4 system must be adopted and the alliance kept fully available	7/26/2021 10:18 AM
102	Nothing	7/26/2021 10:14 AM
103	<span>Birtley</span> I don't know the area very well but as with Birtley I believe there to be a lot more new builds in that area therefore they are needed now more than ever for the safety of locals.	7/26/2021 10:01 AM
104	<span>Birtley</span> <span>Positive</span> This is fair. And should be the same at birtley fire station	7/26/2021 9:59 AM
105	None	7/26/2021 9:52 AM
106	No comments	7/26/2021 9:37 AM
107	<span>Birtley</span> Don't agree as per birtley station response this will put lives at risk	7/26/2021 9:29 AM
108	I think this offer is unreasonable	7/26/2021 9:28 AM
109	<span>24/7</span> Provided there is adequate staffing 24 hrs per day, I can't see an issue with this	7/26/2021 9:28 AM



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110	<span>24/7</span> <span>Birtley</span> So how logical is this, make 1 station 24 hrs yet Birtley becomes day time only??	7/26/2021 9:28 AM
111	<span>Birtley</span> Totally illogical, should be staffed and open 24hrs a day	7/26/2021 9:27 AM
112	I don't think you should be doing this.	7/26/2021 9:25 AM
113	Again highly irresponsible	7/26/2021 9:24 AM
114	<span>Birtley</span> Same proposal should apply to Birtley	7/26/2021 9:21 AM
115	<span>24/7</span> Fire stations should be staffed 24 hours	7/26/2021 9:16 AM
116	Terrible idea. Not safe.	7/26/2021 9:14 AM
117	Again, not a good idea	7/26/2021 9:13 AM
118	I can't comment as I don't know the area	7/26/2021 9:07 AM
119	<span>24/7</span> <span>Positive</span> Looks like the area covered by this station is still going to have 25/7 coverage.	7/26/2021 9:07 AM
120	<span>Birtley</span> my only concern is birtley!	7/26/2021 9:04 AM
121	No comment	7/26/2021 9:03 AM
122	<span>Birtley</span> Same reasons as given previously for Birtley Fire Station.	7/26/2021 8:59 AM
123	Putting lives at risk over money	7/26/2021 8:53 AM
124	NA	7/26/2021 8:45 AM
125	<span>24/7</span> <span>Positive</span> The move to 2 2 4 system will reduce Firefighter's working long and illegal hours and will fall in line with the rest of the service.	7/25/2021 9:18 PM
126	<span>Positive</span> Fair and just	7/25/2021 1:37 PM
127	<span>Positive</span> Sounds logical	7/24/2021 1:23 PM
128	<span>Positive</span> unavoidable situation	7/23/2021 9:58 AM
129	<span>Positive</span> Should go ahead if the court said its unlawful	7/23/2021 5:17 AM
130	<span>Positive</span> Good idea	7/22/2021 9:14 PM
131	<span>Positive</span> I trust the service	7/22/2021 8:54 PM
132	Don't know	7/22/2021 2:44 PM
133	<span>Positive</span> This shift pattern has worked previously at Rainton Bridge and the risk and data provides the support for the rationale	7/22/2021 1:29 PM
134	<span>Positive</span> I presume the same model as proposed at Birtley could not be followed here as Rainton Bridge is more isolated and fire cover cannot easily be provided by neighbouring stations overnight, so this proposal makes sense.	7/21/2021 11:52 AM
135	No answer	7/21/2021 10:00 AM
136	No answer	7/21/2021 9:58 AM
137	It is better than the people of Rainton give you their opinion	7/21/2021 9:57 AM
138	No answer	7/21/2021 9:55 AM
139	No answer	7/21/2021 9:54 AM
140	<span>Positive</span> excellent decision	7/20/2021 8:58 PM
141	<span>Positive</span> Again, a very reasonable solution to a legal challenge.	7/20/2021 3:08 PM
142	<span>Positive</span> <span>Staffing</span> Fantastic that we can put Rainton Bridge back to 2-2-4, I am concerned the current Staffing Model would not allow this to happen. Has there been a 3, 5 and 10 year staffing model forecast deep dive? A new recruitment model?	7/20/2021 1:16 PM

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143	<b>Positive</b> Given the legal obligation on the service and the need for cover in that area this seems a reasonable alternative	7/20/2021 10:22 AM
144	<b>Birtley</b> Could this be considered at Birtley instead of fire cover from neighbouring stations?	7/20/2021 1:55 AM
145	<b>Positive</b> ok	7/19/2021 10:57 PM
146	.	7/19/2021 8:36 PM
147	<b>FBU</b> Unfortunate for some FFs that this has been declared unlawful, as they were willing to work that pattern and made some benefit from it.	7/19/2021 3:20 PM
148	<b>Positive</b> Happy for the same shift pattern to apply	7/19/2021 2:44 PM
149	<b>Positive</b> As long as it is safe for the community	7/19/2021 10:42 AM
150	<b>Positive</b> no issues	7/19/2021 9:47 AM
151	<b>Positive</b> Agreed	7/19/2021 9:44 AM
152	<b>Positive</b> A good shift change, with positive action to Improve the service that is provided	7/18/2021 7:43 PM
153	<b>Positive</b> Strongly agree	7/18/2021 6:45 PM
154	<b>Positive</b> In light of being forced to amend the system at Hotel going to a 2-2-4 traditional shift system seems like a good proposal.	7/18/2021 4:25 PM
155	No comment	7/18/2021 1:28 PM
156	N/a	7/17/2021 9:42 PM
157	<b>Positive</b> Return to a normal shift pattern is welcomed.	7/17/2021 8:49 PM
158	<b>Birtley</b> Birtley and Rainton Bridge Stations should both be full-time	7/17/2021 12:22 PM
159	<b>Positive</b> In my opinion this is the shift pattern needed for this station anyway as it is relatively busy.	7/17/2021 11:12 AM
160	<b>Positive</b> I agree	7/17/2021 11:11 AM
161	No comment	7/16/2021 7:12 PM
162	.	7/16/2021 3:33 PM
163	<b>Positive</b> fair	7/16/2021 3:33 PM
164	<b>Positive</b> I have no issue with this change	7/16/2021 1:23 PM
165	<b>Positive</b> Bringing this Station in line with the rest of our other Fire Services Station's makes sense and it returns this Station's model back to where it was prior to DCCC being introduced.	7/16/2021 1:12 PM
166	<b>Positive</b> Happy with that decision	7/16/2021 12:55 PM
167	/	7/16/2021 12:47 PM
168	<b>Positive</b> Yes	7/16/2021 12:43 PM
169	<b>Positive</b> The data supports the move from DCCC to a whole time station	7/16/2021 12:38 PM
170	<b>Positive</b> I consider this to be a reasonable proposal	7/16/2021 12:37 PM
171	<b>Positive</b> Should never have introduced an unlawful duty system, welcome return to a compliant system	7/16/2021 12:23 PM
172	<b>Positive</b> Seems like a positive decision	7/16/2021 11:32 AM
173	<b>Positive</b> If unlawful then you must abide by the law	7/16/2021 11:10 AM
174	<b>Positive</b> If the correct evidence is there then this is the correct thing to do	7/16/2021 6:57 AM
175	No comment	7/15/2021 10:42 AM
176	None	7/14/2021 11:30 PM

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177	<b>Positive</b> Very reasonable	7/13/2021 8:04 PM
178	<b>24/7</b> I would like to understand the potential proposals for 24 hour cover at Rainton Bridge before I can make any informed comments.	7/12/2021 9:03 PM
179	none	7/12/2021 5:22 PM
180	<b>Positive</b> this proposal still provides fire cover as it is at present and if this cover is proving effective then the proposal appears to be satisfactory	7/12/2021 3:19 PM
181	<b>Birtley</b> Better idea than Birtley.	7/11/2021 10:25 PM
182	<b>Positive</b> Makes sense	7/11/2021 4:22 PM
183	<b>24/7</b> <b>Positive</b> It seems a fair proposal and safe if still covered by staff for 24 hours	7/11/2021 4:03 PM
184	<b>Birtley</b> <b>Positive</b> I am more content with this proposal than with the previous that only provides a 12 hour cover at Birtley community fire station.	7/11/2021 3:43 PM
185	<b>Positive</b> ok	7/11/2021 2:26 PM
186	<b>Positive</b> Great idea as long as nothing changes in crewing ability	7/11/2021 1:44 PM
187	<b>Staffing</b> This could be a staff consultation due to their own work/life balance as there is no direct impact to the staffing coverage in the area.	7/11/2021 1:40 PM
188	<b>Positive</b> Good, allows 24/7 coverage	7/11/2021 1:32 PM
189	<b>Positive</b> I fully agree with this change, there should be a 24hour cover for all.	7/11/2021 12:50 PM
190	Same as previous answer	7/10/2021 8:44 PM
191	<b>Positive</b> Acceptable	7/10/2021 1:47 PM
192	<b>24/7</b> <b>Birtley</b> Can't understand why it's proposed this one operates 24 hours a day yet Birtley is proposed to be without cover overnight?	7/10/2021 11:45 AM
193	<b>24/7</b> This site is close to Durham County's boundary and reciprocal agreements with their Fire & Rescue Service would allow assistance from them without increasing manpower at the station. However, I do accept that all Stations should be manned 24 hours per day.	7/9/2021 10:55 PM
194	<b>Cuts to fire service</b> The risk to local residents and property can not be decided fully on data. one major incident puts pressure not only on the area but also surrounding areas now running at full strength and full capacity. Why when local rates go up to help pay the rising costs of the service is it then deemed part year to cut services. I only hope after the cuts in service that our service personnel don't cop for the failings of those higher making the cuts.	7/9/2021 6:22 PM
195	Nothing to add.	7/9/2021 1:20 PM
196	<b>Birtley</b> Could this proposal not be applied to Birtley?	7/9/2021 9:44 AM
197	No comment	7/8/2021 4:24 PM
198	<b>24/7</b> <b>Positive</b> This is not a quiet station, by any means, and would benefit from a full time crew in position at all times	7/8/2021 3:55 PM
199	No comment	7/8/2021 1:57 PM
200	No comment	7/8/2021 1:56 PM
201	<b>Positive</b> Yes I support this shift change	7/8/2021 1:55 PM
202	No comment	7/8/2021 1:53 PM
203	I have no opinion as this does not affect my area	7/8/2021 12:04 PM
204	<b>Positive</b> Looks ok	7/8/2021 12:03 PM
205	No comment	7/8/2021 12:01 PM
206	<b>24/7</b> <b>Positive</b> See answer 3	7/8/2021 12:00 PM
207	Very unreasonable	7/8/2021 11:58 AM

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208	No comment	7/8/2021 11:56 AM
209	No comment	7/8/2021 11:56 AM
210	No comment	7/8/2021 11:47 AM
211	No comment	7/8/2021 11:45 AM
212	<b>Positive</b> If the proposal is no reduction good, and is simply a change in the shift pattern is fine	7/8/2021 11:43 AM
213	No comments	7/8/2021 11:03 AM
214	<b>Positive</b> As above	7/8/2021 9:58 AM
215	No comment	7/8/2021 9:56 AM
216	Again I think this is very irresponsible and is putting the local and wider community at risk	7/7/2021 10:21 PM
217	No comment	7/7/2021 4:35 PM
218	<b>Positive</b> As above	7/7/2021 4:34 PM
219	<b>Positive</b> Good idea. Rainton bridge is a busy station, neighbouring Durham brigade, so it makes sense to return it back to the original shifts	7/7/2021 4:04 PM
220	Keep the same	7/7/2021 2:37 PM
221	no comment	7/7/2021 2:34 PM
222	no comment	7/7/2021 2:33 PM
223	<b>Positive</b> This also appears to be reasonable	7/7/2021 2:27 PM
224	None	7/7/2021 2:22 PM
225	<b>Positive</b> I feel the proposal is evidenced as the best option based on the situation and options available.	7/7/2021 11:49 AM
226	<b>Response Times</b> My concern is that while cover is not provided from Rainton Bridge after 8pm this would impact on the service if it was needed during the night as station Quebec is a fair ride to Rainton Bridge and the time it would take to get to their area.	7/7/2021 10:20 AM
227	No comment	7/6/2021 7:09 PM
228	Don't know	7/6/2021 6:56 PM
229	As previous answer	7/6/2021 6:41 PM
230	nil	7/6/2021 4:57 PM
231	<b>Positive</b> Sounds reasonable considering the station will be manned 24hours .	7/6/2021 4:45 PM
232	<b>Positive</b> This proposal seems reasonable.	7/6/2021 1:44 PM
233	<b>Positive</b> No issues with this proposal.	7/6/2021 11:43 AM
234	<b>Positive</b> Positive to increase establishment with Service Delivery	7/6/2021 11:22 AM
235	<b>Positive</b> Data appears to support it so I agree. Is still got cover all the time so what's the issue. Agree with the proposal.	7/5/2021 11:36 PM
236	<b>Positive</b> No objections	7/5/2021 9:45 PM
237	<b>Birtley</b> This should be implemented in Birtley to	7/5/2021 7:27 PM
238	No comment	7/5/2021 7:26 PM
239	.	7/5/2021 2:45 PM
240	<b>Positive</b> Once again, as it is based on data this is fair; however it should continue to be monitored	7/5/2021 11:12 AM
241	hth	7/5/2021 11:11 AM

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242	<b>Positive</b>	As long as firefighters are happy with the changes they will have to work around	7/5/2021 11:05 AM
243	<b>Positive</b>	This is fair	7/5/2021 8:55 AM
244	<b>Positive</b>	This is reasonable	7/4/2021 9:04 PM
245	No comment		7/4/2021 3:53 PM
246	<b>24/7 Positive</b>	Again, a sensible response. Good that the Station will have fire cover 24 hours a day.	7/4/2021 2:42 PM
247	<b>Positive</b>	must be changed to operate within the law	7/4/2021 12:10 PM
248	<b>Birtley</b>	I think this would work, and this would also benefit the birtley community station aswell. Your proposal to remove a nightshift from one station and not another is outrageous. You need to come up with a proposal that will see all staions crewed 24hrs on the correct shift patterns. Not remove the services.	7/4/2021 10:30 AM
249	<b>Positive</b>	Rainton is a large populated area and I consider the shift arrangements necessary.	7/4/2021 8:52 AM
250	<b>Positive</b>	It's a good thing that staffing levels are increased on this station	7/3/2021 10:13 PM
251	<b>Positive</b>	Seems to be a good solution, as current levels of staffing and cover will not be reduced at rainton bridge	7/3/2021 5:43 PM
252	<b>24/7 Positive</b>	I support keeping this station with 24 hour cover	7/3/2021 5:18 PM
253	<b>24/7 Birtley Positive</b>	This appears to be a sensible approach ensuring 24 hour cover, a similar model at Birtley would make much more sense.	7/3/2021 4:59 PM
254	<b>Positive</b>	N/a	7/3/2021 3:08 PM
255	X		7/3/2021 1:25 PM
256	<b>Positive</b>	This proposal is to the benefit of the community.	7/3/2021 11:45 AM
257	<b>Birtley FBU</b>	Although I understand the rationale to this I know personally feel that both W and H should remain as they are with a local agreement put in place with personnel wiling to do this, the union and the employers. I feel the Union have been very short sighted locally.	7/3/2021 9:15 AM
258		I am unsure of Rainton and how this will affect the area	7/2/2021 8:52 PM
259	<b>Positive</b>	Minimal impact change with very beneficial outcomes. The most logical proposal based on data and analysis.	7/2/2021 5:44 PM
260	<b>FBU</b>	Again, it is a shame that TWFRS are being pushed into a position by a national, trade union issue, that will not benefit the Service.	7/2/2021 5:14 PM
261	<b>Positive</b>	Welcome the proposal	7/2/2021 4:41 PM
262	<b>Positive</b>	No Issues with this.	7/2/2021 4:32 PM
263	<b>Positive</b>	Good	7/2/2021 4:26 PM
264	<b>Positive</b>	Reasonable	7/2/2021 4:20 PM
265	<b>Positive</b>	This is a good proposal as stations are quite a distance away from rainton bridge this will increase turnout response in the area as it will have a pump 24/7 to respond	7/2/2021 3:35 PM
266	None		7/2/2021 2:55 PM
267	<b>Positive</b>	N/A.	7/2/2021 2:55 PM
268	.		7/2/2021 2:48 PM
269	<b>Positive</b>	Seems reasonable	7/2/2021 2:43 PM
270	<b>Positive</b>	Again, sounds reasonable.	7/2/2021 2:24 PM
271		See previous answer	7/2/2021 2:19 PM
272	<b>Positive</b>	Good idea	7/2/2021 1:55 PM
273		I have neutral feelings regarding this.	7/2/2021 1:35 PM

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274	<b>FBU</b> <b>Staffing</b> all avenues should be explored to change or influence legislation allowing voluntary participation in the DCCC staffing structure as it provides benefits for the service and the individual staff that have chosen to work at the two locations that currently adopt this model	7/2/2021 12:43 PM
275	<b>Positive</b> Due to the risk and data analysis this seems a fair change	7/2/2021 12:28 PM
276	<b>Positive</b> Good idea	7/2/2021 12:22 PM
277	<b>Positive</b> Agree with the proposal and rationale	7/2/2021 11:57 AM
278	<b>Positive</b> Agree with the proposal	7/2/2021 11:48 AM
279	<b>Positive</b> Very good news.	7/2/2021 11:21 AM
280	No comment	7/2/2021 11:05 AM
281	No comment	7/2/2021 11:03 AM
282	<b>Positive</b> Proposal seems to be fine	7/2/2021 11:01 AM
283	<b>Positive</b> Likewise as the current shift pattern is no longer permitted	7/2/2021 10:59 AM
284	<b>Positive</b> Agree	7/1/2021 6:03 PM
285	<b>Positive</b> This proposal is a good idea due to it being a far station from other stations and this will increase the turnout time quicker if there is a call in the area	7/1/2021 4:24 PM
286	No opinion	7/1/2021 10:16 AM
287	<b>Positive</b> Seems reasonable	6/30/2021 2:23 PM
288	<b>Positive</b> Makes no difference to response times.	6/30/2021 2:00 PM
289	<b>Positive</b> I agree with this proposal . The removal of the DCCC and returning the station to the original shift pattern makes sense	6/30/2021 12:05 PM
290	<b>Positive</b> this is a good proposal	6/30/2021 10:49 AM
291	<b>Positive</b> Very reasonable, disappointing that the FBU have caused this change.	6/30/2021 10:31 AM
292	<b>Positive</b> yes good move to go back to normal shift pattern	6/29/2021 7:02 PM
293	<b>Positive</b> The proposal seems to meet the expectations set out, ensure the welfare of staff and aligned to operational demand.	6/29/2021 4:40 PM
294	<b>Positive</b> seems reasonable	6/29/2021 3:15 PM
295	<b>Positive</b> Agree	6/29/2021 1:15 PM
296	I'm not sure on this one	6/29/2021 12:54 PM
297	No	6/29/2021 9:28 AM
298	<b>Positive</b> DCCC should be removed immediately and without question as the high court as ruled this is unlawful.	6/29/2021 7:33 AM
299	<b>Positive</b> This is a suitable proposal.	6/28/2021 10:17 PM
300	<b>Positive</b> Sound idea	6/28/2021 9:45 PM
301	.	6/28/2021 8:37 PM
302	<b>Staffing</b> That shift system should never have been introduced !!	6/28/2021 7:32 PM
303	<b>24/7</b> <b>Positive</b> Agree with 24 hour staffing	6/28/2021 11:28 AM
304	<b>24/7</b> 2 2 4 shift pattern is ideal	6/28/2021 9:40 AM
305	<b>24/7</b> 2 2 4	6/28/2021 9:02 AM
306	<b>Positive</b> seems appropriate and reasonable	6/28/2021 8:31 AM
307	<b>FBU</b> Again to allow a view we need to hear from the FBU	6/28/2021 8:27 AM



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308	<b>Positive</b>	I agree with this proposal	6/28/2021 8:22 AM
309	<b>Positive</b>	N/a	6/28/2021 7:50 AM
310	<b>Positive</b>	It's a no brainer. And you have a legal obligation to do so.	6/28/2021 6:49 AM
311	<b>Positive</b>	Again seems reasonable, only concern would be response times	6/27/2021 11:42 PM
312	<b>Response Times</b>	If I lived in this/any area I would like the reassurance of rapid help in time of crisis.	6/27/2021 11:01 PM
313		Staffed full time?	6/27/2021 10:23 PM
314	<b>Positive</b>	In favour	6/27/2021 9:39 PM
315	<b>24/7 Positive</b>	24 hour cover, in my mind, is a necessity however this is covered by the shift patterns.	6/27/2021 9:26 PM
316	<b>Positive</b>	The 2-2-4 seems a fair proposal	6/27/2021 9:04 PM
317	<b>Positive</b>	Good idea	6/27/2021 9:01 PM
318	<b>Positive</b>	Yes	6/27/2021 8:59 PM
319	<b>Positive</b>	I support this proposal	6/27/2021 8:55 PM
320		Not in agreement	6/27/2021 8:53 PM
321		.	6/27/2021 8:41 PM
322	<b>Positive</b>	I like this idea.	6/27/2021 8:23 PM
323	<b>Positive</b>	If staff agree to proposal?	6/27/2021 8:02 PM
324	<b>Positive</b>	Acceptable change	6/27/2021 7:43 PM
325		None	6/27/2021 7:40 PM
326		No comment	6/27/2021 7:21 PM
327	<b>Positive</b>	The same as the answer to the previous question	6/27/2021 5:02 PM
328	<b>Positive</b>	Very reasonable	6/27/2021 4:56 PM
329	<b>Positive</b>	24/7! It's good for response and training needs	6/27/2021 4:43 PM
330	<b>FBU Staffing</b>	As a serving Firefighter at Station Hotel, i have enjoyed working on the DCCC system and will be sorry to see the system change, as my thoughts were that it saved the service valuable amounts of money over the years.	6/27/2021 4:20 PM
331	<b>Staffing</b>	As per proposal 3 response. It is also worth noting that at present those who volunteer to work within those current arrangements are purely voluntary, the incentive is largely for financial gain and therefore what attraction is their to work the proposed pattern.	6/27/2021 4:18 PM
332	<b>Positive</b>	Good proposal for a more a high activity station .	6/27/2021 3:07 PM
333	<b>Positive</b>	AGREE	6/27/2021 3:02 PM
334	<b>Positive</b>	Sounds good	6/27/2021 1:43 PM
335	<b>Staffing</b>	If the risk and activity levels dictate the need for 2-2-4 then again it seems like an appropriate decision. Without fully understanding the staffing model of DCCC, I'm of the understanding that to move from DCCC to 2-2-4, there would be a need for an increase in staff. Your proposal only mentions that there wouldn't be a reduction in staff which begs the question, is additional staff needed and if so where are they being taken from or how are they being sourced? Also why did the station move to DCCC in the first place if the risk and demand requires 2-2-4 now? Has there been an increase in risk / demand and if so, what is T&W doing in response to the increase? Or is it simply a case that no other shift system DC or On Call would be able to meet the level of risk / demand?	6/27/2021 1:08 PM
336	<b>Positive</b>	makes sense	6/27/2021 1:05 PM
337	<b>Positive</b>	Good idea as long as it works for crew	6/27/2021 12:47 PM

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338	<span>Positive</span> Sounds good to me no one loses there job.	6/27/2021 12:30 PM
339	<span>Birtley</span> <span>Positive</span> Better option than at Birtley	6/27/2021 12:28 PM
340	<span>24/7</span> <span>Staffing</span> Surely the demand/risk in the area does it warrant a fully crewed station - why not use retained crews all the time?	6/27/2021 11:42 AM
341	<span>Birtley</span> This should be used in proposal 3 as well	6/27/2021 11:39 AM
342	None	6/27/2021 11:35 AM
343	<span>Positive</span> Sensible	6/27/2021 11:23 AM
344	<span>Positive</span> Very reasonable approach considering the demand and good news on new posts being created	6/27/2021 11:10 AM
345	?	6/27/2021 10:57 AM
346	<span>Positive</span> Seems ok	6/27/2021 10:49 AM
347	<span>Positive</span> All fire appliances to be manned 24hrs a day.	6/27/2021 10:44 AM
348	<span>FBU</span> Agreement should have been reached.	6/27/2021 10:28 AM
349	<span>24/7</span> <span>Positive</span> 24 hour cover great	6/27/2021 9:29 AM
350	<span>Positive</span> Sounds ok	6/27/2021 9:15 AM
351	<span>Positive</span> Good proposal	6/27/2021 9:04 AM
352	<span>Positive</span> Yes	6/27/2021 9:03 AM
353	<span>Staffing</span> Speak to FF's for their favoured idea	6/27/2021 9:01 AM
354	A	6/27/2021 8:52 AM
355	K	6/27/2021 8:51 AM
356	<span>Positive</span> Agree	6/27/2021 8:39 AM
357	<span>Positive</span> I agree with return to 224	6/27/2021 8:27 AM
358	<span>Positive</span> as long as staff agree	6/27/2021 8:18 AM
359	<span>Positive</span> Almost the opposite to proposal 4! Having more crews (available at all times of the day), more local sounds like a brilliant idea!	6/27/2021 8:06 AM
360	<span>Positive</span> Petfect	6/27/2021 7:58 AM
361	<span>24/7</span> The only two shifts that provide 24hr cover are 2-2-4 and day crewing (categorically not dccc) any other shifts do not provide 24hr cover	6/27/2021 7:54 AM
362	X	6/27/2021 7:50 AM
363	<span>24/7</span> <span>Positive</span> Very happy with this change to have 24/7 crew manning the station	6/27/2021 7:49 AM
364	<span>Positive</span> Evidence indicates that 2-2-4 shift systems are the most productive therefore it is a positive change.	6/27/2021 7:35 AM
365	<span>Positive</span> As long as it's backed by the data	6/27/2021 7:12 AM
366	<span>Positive</span> Agree	6/27/2021 6:49 AM
367	<span>Positive</span> As before	6/27/2021 2:10 AM
368	<span>24/7</span> This is ok, if you have the personnel to achieve 24 hour cover.	6/27/2021 12:47 AM
369	.	6/27/2021 12:29 AM
370	<span>Positive</span> Agree	6/27/2021 12:27 AM
371	<span>Positive</span> No problems with the proposal	6/27/2021 12:10 AM
372	<span>Positive</span> Seems reasonable	6/26/2021 11:43 PM

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373	<span>Positive</span> In agreement with immediate 2-2-4 cover	6/26/2021 11:36 PM
374	<span>Positive</span> I dont live in that area but think it's reasonable	6/26/2021 11:02 PM
375	<span>Positive</span> 2-2-4 should be standard!	6/26/2021 10:41 PM
376	<span>Positive</span> Seems appropriate	6/26/2021 10:38 PM
377	<span>Positive</span> Good	6/26/2021 10:37 PM
378	<span>Idea</span> Self rostering	6/26/2021 10:35 PM
379	<span>Positive</span> Seems like the best option has been considered to conserve the most appropriate staffing and response levels for the station and surrounding area as well as the welfare of the crew involved.	6/26/2021 10:31 PM
380	<span>Positive</span> The reduced risk makes the proposal reasonable	6/26/2021 10:29 PM
381	<span>24/7</span> Due to its location a 24 he cover should be available	6/26/2021 10:22 PM
382	<span>Positive</span> No issues. Very reasonable	6/26/2021 10:12 PM
383	<span>Positive</span> This seems reasonable to me	6/26/2021 10:05 PM
384	No comment	6/26/2021 10:01 PM
385	<span>Staffing</span> What shift pattern would be offered. This would be nice to know to gain a further understanding.	6/26/2021 10:01 PM
386	<span>Positive</span> As long as no risk to public safety or financial impacts on firefighters financially, then it is reasonable	6/26/2021 9:56 PM
387	I feel I can't comment as I'm unsure where this area is	6/26/2021 9:53 PM
388	<span>Positive</span> N/a	6/26/2021 9:44 PM
389	No further comment	6/26/2021 9:44 PM
390	<span>Birtley</span> see question 3 answer	6/26/2021 9:34 PM
391	<span>Birtley</span> As my previous comment about Birtley Station. Do not cut staffing levels this may cost lives, look to increase the staffing at these stations by making them full time.	6/26/2021 9:33 PM
392	<span>24/7</span> <span>Positive</span> Full Time crew	6/26/2021 9:28 PM
393	As I don't tkownthe area I have no cooment to make	6/26/2021 9:27 PM
394	<span>Birtley</span> As per previous comment reference Birtley	6/26/2021 9:25 PM
395	No comment	6/26/2021 9:17 PM
396	<span>Idea</span> <span>Staffing</span> Day shift and then on call night shift retainer like the old way it used to be	6/26/2021 9:06 PM
397	<span>Positive</span> I agree	6/26/2021 9:04 PM
398	<span>24/7</span> 24 hour cover by any means is definitely required.	6/26/2021 9:01 PM
399	<span>Positive</span> Based on no reduction in crewing then agree	6/26/2021 8:52 PM
400	<span>Positive</span> Adequate provision	6/26/2021 8:39 PM
401	Pk	6/26/2021 8:38 PM
402	None	6/26/2021 8:35 PM
403	<span>Staffing</span> Provided this change has no effect on the effectiveness of the fire station, I am neither in support or disagreement with this proposal. It would certainly depend on what the crew members working at the station would find more convenient.	6/26/2021 8:34 PM
404	No comment	6/26/2021 8:33 PM
405	<span>Positive</span> Yes agree	6/26/2021 8:29 PM
406	None	6/26/2021 8:29 PM

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407	<b>Positive</b> The fire brigade should do as they see fit and safe for crews and residents within the stations footprint.	6/26/2021 8:28 PM
408	<b>Positive</b> No issues with this scenario	6/26/2021 8:27 PM
409	<b>Positive</b> This makes sense	6/26/2021 8:25 PM
410	<b>Positive</b> Happy with this change.	6/26/2021 8:25 PM
411	<b>Positive</b> A fair agreement	6/26/2021 8:22 PM
412	<b>Positive</b> Reasonable	6/26/2021 8:21 PM
413	<b>Positive</b> I agree	6/26/2021 8:20 PM
414	<b>Positive</b> Beneficial	6/26/2021 8:15 PM
415	<b>Positive</b> A simple change in shift pattern seems fair.	6/26/2021 8:15 PM
416	<b>Positive</b> Best result if European time directive is not challenged	6/26/2021 3:19 PM
417	<b>Positive</b> yes	6/26/2021 2:04 PM
418	No opinion	6/26/2021 11:17 AM
419	No opinion	6/26/2021 9:57 AM
420	<b>Positive</b> If the shift pattern has adequate rest days between the end of night shift and the start of day shift this shouldn't be a problem	6/26/2021 9:52 AM
421	No opinion	6/26/2021 9:20 AM
422	<b>Positive</b> agreed	6/26/2021 8:38 AM
423	<b>Positive</b> Reasonable	6/26/2021 7:35 AM
424	None	6/26/2021 7:26 AM
425	<b>Staffing</b> Need further information to propose other options	6/25/2021 10:29 PM
426	<b>Staffing</b> This is returning to the original staffing of the station when it was built because off the loss of the neighbouring durham county station.	6/25/2021 9:45 PM
427	<b>Positive</b> I would agree that the change in shift pattern would be preferable.	6/25/2021 8:56 PM
428	<b>Positive</b> Good idea	6/25/2021 8:17 PM
429	<b>Positive</b> If the data supports the proposal and the risk to local people isn't going to increase then it makes sense	6/25/2021 8:08 PM
430	Not sure	6/25/2021 8:02 PM
431	<b>Positive</b> Very reasonable f	6/25/2021 7:48 PM
432	Not fair to comment, I do not live in the area	6/25/2021 7:42 PM
433	<b>Positive</b> I believe this is a very reasonable proposal based on the rationale provided.	6/24/2021 11:36 PM
434	test	6/24/2021 10:25 AM
435	<b>Positive</b> No risk to Community	6/23/2021 10:23 PM
436	<b>Positive</b> This is a good option	6/23/2021 11:27 AM
437	<b>Positive</b> correct proposal	6/22/2021 10:17 PM
438	<b>Positive</b> It will be sad to see DCCC go as it works perfectly for the organisation and all personnel who work it and at the same time providing 100% quality fire cover to the public ensuring their safety 24 hours a day.	6/22/2021 3:44 PM
439	no comment	6/22/2021 3:19 PM
440	None	6/22/2021 2:26 PM
441	I	6/22/2021 7:36 AM

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442	none	6/22/2021 7:32 AM
443	<b>Positive</b> Yes.. a sound idea	6/21/2021 2:20 PM
444	none	6/21/2021 1:29 PM
445	No comments	6/20/2021 7:38 PM
446	<b>Positive</b> this is an absolutely fantastic proposal bringing back a normal shift pattern.	6/20/2021 12:16 PM
447	Further details would be required in order to make comment	6/19/2021 6:44 PM
448	<b>Staffing</b> further work to maintain DCCC to be explored	6/19/2021 10:47 AM
449	All options to have DCCC should be exhausted before any changes being made.	6/19/2021 10:08 AM
450	<b>Positive</b> Makes sense.	6/18/2021 7:05 PM
451	<b>Positive</b> I think this will be beneficial to the service.	6/18/2021 6:55 PM
452	No comment	6/18/2021 5:00 PM
453	None	6/18/2021 4:18 PM
454	<b>Birtley</b> same as previous answer in question 3	6/18/2021 7:52 AM
455	<b>Positive</b> It is pleasing to see more operational roles being introduced into the service.	6/17/2021 5:13 PM
456	<b>Positive</b> Great cover	6/17/2021 3:57 PM
457	<b>24/7</b> <b>Positive</b> Crewing the fire station 24 hrs a day is a good thing	6/17/2021 1:53 PM
458	<b>Positive</b> Unlike Birtley the outlying position of Rainton Bridge and number of calls to Risk level 1 incident this again a logical proposal , however should a way of maintaining this crewing model through exemption of Working time directive i believe this model at rainton bridge should continue	6/17/2021 12:55 PM
459	Insufficient knowledge to comment	6/17/2021 12:35 PM
460	<b>Positive</b> As this seems like an increase firefighters and the only change is a different shift system, I am happy to support this proposal.	6/17/2021 12:26 PM
461	<b>Birtley</b> please see my response to Proposal 3	6/17/2021 8:54 AM
462	<b>Positive</b> Due to having to change the current system, and the travel distances from surrounding stations into this area I think this is the only choice to maintain sufficient cover in this area.	6/17/2021 8:16 AM
463	<b>Positive</b> <b>Staffing</b> This is excellent just like A02 and the ALPS. My question would be how does the service expect this to impact on staffing overall and in particular with driver numbers? More firefighters are needed so i see courses starting to be ran which is great. More CM means potentially less drivers. Have the service planned forward with driving school, to the potential of a lot of new drivers being needed? if not is this going to hold back on FFs who are drivers, wanting to go to CM?	6/17/2021 8:07 AM
464	.	6/17/2021 7:49 AM
465	Don't know	6/16/2021 11:23 PM
466	<b>Positive</b> Great move	6/16/2021 11:08 PM
467	<b>24/7</b> <b>Positive</b> Good to upgrade the shift system although the previous model still ensured 24 hour cover	6/16/2021 10:33 PM
468	No Comments	6/16/2021 10:13 PM
469	<b>Positive</b> N/A	6/16/2021 9:08 PM
470	.	6/16/2021 9:00 PM
471	<b>FBU</b> It is a shame Station H could not have stayed DCCC	6/16/2021 8:58 PM
472	<b>24/7</b> <b>Positive</b> All fire stations should provide 24/7 cover	6/16/2021 7:44 PM

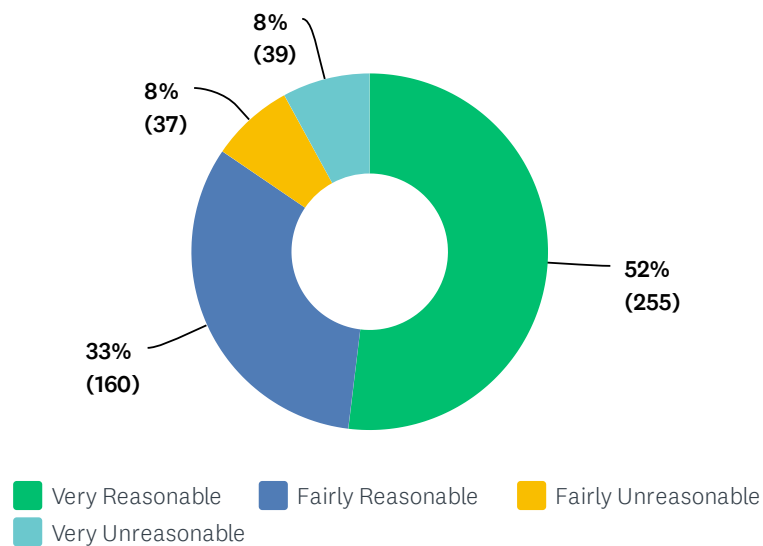
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473	ghjyhj	6/16/2021 5:13 PM
474	<b>FBU</b> <b>Positive</b> Excellent news for staff and community of Rainton Bridge. But wish to say as much as this is good news I believe it is appalling that the service tried to arrange a local collective agreement to negate this High Court ruling; that declared this arrangement is unlawful, and subsequently directed all FRS to change these arrangements as far back as 2018.	6/16/2021 5:13 PM
475	<b>Positive</b> I'm sure all modelling has been carried out and can strengthen this recommendation	6/16/2021 4:19 PM
476	<b>Positive</b> If data shows there are greater risks in this area then full fire cover is an excellent option	6/16/2021 3:53 PM
477	None	6/16/2021 3:48 PM
478	hghh	6/16/2021 3:31 PM
479	<b>Positive</b> it is apparent from increase in incidents around the Hetton areas that this station is kept busy and used by DDFRS for some cross boundary incidents) leaving Quebec to cover	6/16/2021 3:08 PM
480	<b>Positive</b> A return to pre DCCC staffing should be implemented	6/16/2021 2:19 PM
481	.	6/16/2021 2:12 PM
482	<b>FBU</b> <b>Positive</b> Based on the legal aspect and the fact that Rep bodies are unwilling to enter in to a local agreement the FA has no option but to introduce this measure.	6/16/2021 2:04 PM
483	<b>Positive</b> Reasonable in the circumstances	6/16/2021 1:58 PM
484	<b>Birtley</b> Fire cover in Rainton Bridge's area will not be impacted as a pump will still be on the run in the area 24/7. If this is possible here, why is this also not possible at Birtley? Regardless of whether Rainton Bridge has a higher rate of incidents than Birtley, an incident still presents the same risks to Firefighters and the public regardless of where it occurs and how often they occur. Why is it acceptable to accept a greater risk in Birtley?	6/16/2021 1:50 PM
485	<b>Positive</b> Agree with the proposed new model	6/16/2021 1:46 PM
486	No comment other than we have no choice to respond	6/16/2021 1:44 PM
487	<b>Positive</b> i agree with this proposal	6/16/2021 1:20 PM
488	answer as previous question	6/16/2021 1:00 PM
489	<b>Positive</b> No objections to this being implemented at Rainton Bridge	6/16/2021 1:00 PM
490	<b>Positive</b> Due to the legal challenge i understand this is necessary	6/16/2021 12:58 PM
491	<b>Positive</b> i believe this is an acceptable response	6/16/2021 12:40 PM
492	Unable to comment.	6/16/2021 12:28 PM
493	no	6/16/2021 12:27 PM
494	<b>Positive</b> I understand the Service has to respond to the legal challenge.	6/16/2021 10:42 AM



**Q5 Overall IRMP Proposals:** The proposed changes to operational response will support continuous improvement in standards through utilising staff and resources more effectively, efficiently and appropriate to risk and demand both locally and nationally. This also sees the introduction of 54 posts into the establishment all with the aim of supporting community safety. In your opinion, do you consider the proposals in our IRMP 2021-24 to be:

Answered: 491 Skipped: 157



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very Reasonable	52%	255
Fairly Reasonable	33%	160
Fairly Unreasonable	8%	37
Very Unreasonable	8%	39
TOTAL		491

#	ANY ADDITIONAL EXPLANATION / COMMENT:	DATE
1	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Staffing</b> consider bringing back retained cover at Birtley	8/11/2021 11:58 AM
2	Your equality questions are excessive	8/11/2021 7:13 AM
3	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Staffing</b> I agree with proposals 1 & 2, however proposal 3 is unacceptable. Proposal 4 does not impact the fire cover that is already in place therefore is merely a change in the shift pattern.	8/10/2021 11:42 PM
4	<b>Resource Location</b> As previously mentioned. The 2 staffed appliances that can reach higher buildings should be relocated to Newcastle and Sunderland central fire stations respectively so all tall buildings in central Newcastle can be accessed quickly and be equidistant for all surrounding parts of Newcastle/Gateshead..similarly with Sunderland	8/10/2021 10:30 PM
5	<b>Positive</b> great that jobs are being created	8/10/2021 12:09 PM

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6	The highest risk is the employment of women as firefighters. They are a danger to themselves, their colleagues, and the public.	8/10/2021 6:31 AM
7	<b>Cuts to the Fire Service</b> <b>Staffing</b> How are there suddenly 54 new roles available in community safety when it was cut down drastically in the past because there was no work for the existing staff?? Also, will they be paid on a corporate scale or a Fire Fighter wage? If you are planning on paying a FF wage then you will have some very angry other staff. Equality at its best as ever in the fire service. Jobs for the boys	8/8/2021 2:18 PM
8	<b>Birtley Station</b> Why does Birtley have to suffer. We pay for the whole service but you plan halving it.	8/7/2021 11:19 PM
9	<b>Cuts to the Fire Service</b> <b>Staffing</b> Would be nice to see where the efficiency savings have been made and projected finance figures for future uses to sustain and maintain these additional numbers, will other departments need to make any savings to finance these new posts now and in the future?	8/7/2021 2:47 PM
10	<b>Staffing</b> Where are these people coming from? Not on operational sector money I would hope	8/7/2021 1:07 PM
11	<b>Staffing</b> How does this impact on other areas of the Service? Introduction of 54 posts, where has this funding come from? Is this to the detriment of other functions and departments? Is there a suitable structure in place to recruit and train the additional firefighters?	8/6/2021 1:10 PM
12	<b>Resource Location</b> <b>Staffing</b> If there is a very serious fire in different areas at the same time how on earth can utilising staff all be in areas and what with this covid effecting people where could you get cover from then. why cant people have a meeting to decide and have a vote on these proposals?	8/6/2021 10:29 AM
13	<b>Idea</b> <b>Positive</b> agree with the proposals but as a T&W council tax payer, would like to see our firefighters do more than fight fires / attend incidents. There's a big mental health problem happening in our community (made worse by covid) and i think it would be an opportunity missed if fire fighters didn't get more involved in this. It would enhance the reputation of the service and act as a good attraction tool for future employees.	8/6/2021 10:00 AM
14	<b>Staffing</b> I hope the extra 54 post are for actual fire crew to start replacing the many posts which have been cut over the last 15 years and not management type, paper chasing roles.	8/5/2021 2:22 PM
15	<b>Positive</b> After what has been a very difficult and challenging time for all involved in Tyne and Wear FRS, it is massively encouraging to see that we are now in a position to put resources back into the community which will increase both firefighter safety and the safety and confidence of the communities we serve.	8/2/2021 12:16 PM
16	<b>Cuts to the Fire Service</b> This is not supporting the community	7/31/2021 9:08 PM
17	<b>Birtley Station</b> Its unreasonable not to staff Birtley fire station fully	7/30/2021 4:40 AM
18	<b>Birtley Station</b> Need extra cover on all areas, 24/7 . If not then it makes is very vulnerable	7/29/2021 9:33 PM
19	<b>Birtley Station</b> Birtley seems to be taking the biggest cuts and everywhere else getting extra funding?	7/29/2021 7:12 PM
20	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b> Yes to the additions, no to the day only shifts	7/29/2021 3:50 PM
21	<b>Birtley Station</b> community safety should be of the upmost importance not reducing cover in a highly active community with alot of industrial chemical plants around	7/29/2021 10:17 AM
22	<b>Birtley Station</b> Except for changes to birtley	7/28/2021 8:20 PM
23	<b>Birtley Station</b> The loss of 24/7 service for the birtley area to be provided surrounding areas with an increasing population is not reasonable.	7/28/2021 7:18 AM
24	<b>Birtley Station</b> Keep Birtley staffed 24/7	7/27/2021 9:19 AM
25	<b>Positive</b> Seems good sensible rationale that benefits the community and the service.	7/27/2021 9:08 AM
26	<b>Birtley Station</b> 54 new posts and no night cover in Birtley!!!!	7/27/2021 12:54 AM
27	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b> Increasing staff and cover reasonable. Reducing it very unreasonable	7/26/2021 8:57 PM
28	<b>Birtley Station</b> I live in Birtley. I want to continue to feel safe in my bed at night.	7/26/2021 8:09 PM

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29	<b>Birtley Station</b>	The Birtley station should remain 24/7 in line with changes at Rainton Bridge station	7/26/2021 7:37 PM
30	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b>	Agree with some of the proposals but main issue is that agreement must be reached to change the work patterns to ensure Birtley Fire Station remains open 24 hours 7 days per week.	7/26/2021 5:36 PM
31	<b>Cuts to the Fire Service</b>	Don't see any sign of continuous improvement. Doesn't look like the management and unions understand the term.	7/26/2021 3:18 PM
32	<b>Birtley Station</b>	More feet on the ground in some areas but cutting Birtley	7/26/2021 12:54 PM
33	<b>Birtley Station</b>	Need to ensure birtley gets 24hr cover	7/26/2021 12:14 PM
34		I do not think there is sufficient information given to ask for an overall opinion	7/26/2021 10:44 AM
35	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b>	The increased post is much needed but the proposed reduction in service is totally unreasonable.	7/26/2021 10:30 AM
36	<b>Cuts to the Fire Service</b>	It's obviously down to underfunding from Government and we need to make a stand	7/26/2021 10:26 AM
37	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b>	Focusing on the increase is good and makes the community feel safe but decrease the areas that are expanding creates unease	7/26/2021 10:22 AM
38	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b>	I support most of the proposals. What I do not support is losing any fire cover in Birtley between 8pm and 8am! As a balance I would prefer the second appliance at West Denton was only available between 8am -8pm, and the staff were utilised at Birtley between 8pm and 8am.	7/26/2021 10:22 AM
39	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b>	54 posts is really good. However a reduction to services in birtley is not	7/26/2021 10:00 AM
40	<b>Birtley Station</b>	Don't agree with the removal of night time cover this poses high risk of lives being lost	7/26/2021 9:32 AM
41	<b>Birtley Station</b>	If it is all or nothing then it should be rejected if it includes the reduction to the service in Birtley	7/26/2021 9:24 AM
42	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b>	New staff good idea. Day shift only stations unsafe.	7/26/2021 9:14 AM
43	<b>Birtley Station</b>	See notes about birtley!	7/26/2021 9:04 AM
44	<b>Positive</b>	However the service is currently running at a minus staffing figure and therefore while this is a positive move it will place considerable pressure on the service to implement and train these extra personnel.	7/25/2021 9:20 PM
45	<b>Birtley Station</b>	See 3. All areas should be crewed 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Ask the prime minister for more funding	7/21/2021 10:00 AM
46	<b>Staffing</b>	Increasing fire cover must always be the objective but is it deliverable given the current issues with staffing numbers?	7/20/2021 10:23 AM
47	<b>Birtley Station</b>	Mostly reasonable but the decision at Birtley fire station is in my opinion unacceptable. People are at greater risk at night so surely it would be more logical if we have to have this mad decision go through that we are covered by neighbouring stations during the day when the risk to people is lower.	7/20/2021 1:57 AM
48	<b>Birtley Station</b>	2-2-4 shift pattern at Birtley would give a very reasonable IRMP 2021-24	7/18/2021 6:50 PM
49	<b>Positive</b> <b>Staffing</b>	Whilst this is generally a positive IRMP creating a large number of employment opportunities I am slightly concerned with the number of staff currently in service. Before even creating these positions the service is running significantly below the required level with appliances going off the run daily, regular staff movements either before duty or after commencement of shift and the taking of leave other than where it is allocated an impossibility. This has led to a decrease in moral, which after the national situation with pensions and current coronavirus restrictions (granted neither are due to this service) is already low. The number of staff required through recruitment just to cover the current number of positions will result in a massive dilution of skills and vastly increased workload at all levels of operational role. This does not even include the potential number of employees that will	7/18/2021 4:34 PM

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leave early due to the changes to pensions due in April 2022. Also, if successfully agreed by the authority what sort of timescale does the service believe the proposals will be implemented

50	<b>Cuts to the Fire Service</b> How can we suddenly support this substantial increase in expenditure?	7/16/2021 1:24 PM
51	<b>Positive</b> As mentioned earlier 4 proposals without seeing a full detailed logical risk management plan is difficult to comment on but 54 extra jobs is welcome	7/16/2021 12:25 PM
52	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b> Most good decisions. Birtley needs a rethink	7/11/2021 10:25 PM
53	<b>Birtley Station</b> Does Birtley's population not matter?	7/10/2021 1:48 PM
54	<b>Birtley Station</b> Why should Birtley residents' lives be put at risk when 24 hour operations can be made available everywhere else?	7/9/2021 10:57 PM
55	<b>Cuts to the Fire Service</b> Pity the service has to cut corners for new equipment to be provided. Fight harder for a better budget so services remain and new equipment supplied to cover increased capacity	7/9/2021 6:24 PM
56	<b>Birtley Station</b> With exception to the Birtley proposal	7/9/2021 9:47 AM
57	<b>Positive</b> The Fire Service is something we all need	7/8/2021 12:03 PM
58	<b>Birtley Station</b> As long as Birtley Fire Station is not effected	7/8/2021 11:43 AM
59	<b>Positive</b> If it helps in saving lifes and keep's people safe	7/8/2021 9:59 AM
60	<b>Birtley Station</b> Except for closing the stations over night	7/7/2021 10:22 PM
61	<b>Staffing</b> 54 posts over the 3 years of this IRMP, but what about the current status on staffing? These additional posts will not really make an impact on the already -75 staff posts with more than another 50 to also go in the next 12 months through retirement.	7/7/2021 4:04 PM
62	None	7/7/2021 2:22 PM
63	<b>Staffing</b> Extra staff could be used in far better options , crew of 5 on 1 pump stations. Service needs to stop creating multiple green book posts on large saleries	7/6/2021 7:11 PM
64	<b>Positive</b> Good to see decisions based on risk and data and not just money driven.	7/5/2021 11:37 PM
65	<b>Positive</b> Nice and rare to have an IRMP that involves making improvements and not cuts/reductions	7/5/2021 9:46 PM
66	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b> While 54 extra posts are welcome this proposal actually reduces fire cover for the people of Birtley which seems a retrograde step	7/5/2021 7:32 PM
67	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b> Proposals 1,2 and 4 are very reasonable, but getting rid of the nightshift in birtley is outrageous	7/4/2021 10:32 AM
68	<b>Birtley Station</b> Concerned with proposal 3	7/3/2021 10:14 PM
69	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b> Improvement in fire cover and firefighter numbers is great news. A similar model used at Rainton Bridge introduced at Birtley would be a further improvement.	7/3/2021 5:01 PM
70	<b>Birtley Station</b> I strongly feel Birtley need the fire service in our are during the night	7/2/2021 8:53 PM
71	<b>Positive</b> Given the financial pressures of the last 11 years, it is good to see the Service investing where it can, and addressing local risk appropriately	7/2/2021 5:15 PM
72	<b>Staffing</b> Depends at what sacrifice? I.e. working patterns and shift start and finish times????	7/2/2021 2:20 PM
73	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b> Crew reductions anywhere should be avoided	7/2/2021 12:23 PM
74	<b>Positive</b> <b>Staffing</b> Good to see the front line being largely strengthen however this will obviously require a large focus on recruitment over the coming years. I hope this need to 'quick' recruitment does not lead to a drop in standards for our front line staff and consideration is given to the internal training capacity	7/2/2021 11:01 AM
75	<b>Birtley Station</b> The lack of published evidence to support the reduction in Fire Cover at night in Birtley is worrying	6/30/2021 2:24 PM
76	<b>Birtley Station</b> clearly proposals are not in the best interests of residents in particular birtley,	6/30/2021 10:52 AM

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how does this lack of availability of operational appliances during the night be proposed as a good thing for the community, IT ISNT, nor should it be sold as being such. statistics can be manipulated to provide answers to prove or disprove any proposal but the grim truth is Birtley needs operational appliances available 24/7

77	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b> all fair apart from the birtley proposal	6/29/2021 7:03 PM
78	<b>Positive</b> Living in a flammable flat, i will feel safer with added protection/ability to deal with large fires.	6/29/2021 12:55 PM
79	<b>Staffing</b> Having 5 crew members on pumps would be of benefit to the whole of Tyne & Wear instead of just 1 area.	6/28/2021 7:33 PM
80	<b>Birtley Station</b> <b>Positive</b> Great news on all but birtley birtley residents are not exempt from fires during the night and deserve an immediate response from their local station not a station further away	6/28/2021 9:42 AM
81	<b>Positive</b> <b>Staffing</b> The introduction of additional staff and appliances is a positive view for the future giving the cuts which operational sector has faced over the previous years. That being said staffing is the lowest I have ever seen. My only concern is how the posts will be filled given our current staffing level and future retirements still to come with the effects of the April pension change proposal.	6/28/2021 8:25 AM
82	<b>Staffing</b> Too much emphasis on non operational posts	6/27/2021 7:45 PM
83	<b>Cuts to the Fire Service</b> <b>Positive</b> The additional 54 posts will present a significant challenge over the coming 2 years. Without the accuracy of knowledge from the government Comprehensive Spending Review there is some speculative accounting and forecasting for operational assets and requirements. Whilst not wishing to hold up plans and potential brigade improvements it is worth noting that a large proportion of planning and consultation may need revising following the summer financial announcements.	6/27/2021 4:21 PM
84	<b>Cuts to the Fire Service</b> <b>Staffing</b> Crew of 5 on 1 pump stations would bring a greater level of safety for public and crews	6/27/2021 12:30 PM
85	<b>Idea</b> <b>Staffing</b> Maybe look at how West Yorkshire operate there watch managers this will free up fire personnel to do Community work while pumps attended smaller jobs such as bin fire car fire and minor incidents where a crew manager is qualified to take incident command	6/27/2021 9:32 AM
86	<b>Positive</b> This is loaded question. The only answer can be "yes"	6/26/2021 10:37 PM
87	<b>Staffing</b> are you just trying to create jobs ?	6/26/2021 9:34 PM
88	<b>Birtley Station</b> Do not introduce 54 roles but maybe reduce this by the number of staff required to fully man Birtley and Rainton Bridge fires stations full time.	6/26/2021 9:34 PM
89	<b>Birtley Station</b> Provide a commitment to reinstate full time 224 firepower at Birtley asap	6/26/2021 9:26 PM
90	<b>Positive</b> Invest.... It's a long term positive move	6/26/2021 8:52 PM
91	<b>Positive</b> Creating new jobs where there is a need	6/26/2021 9:58 AM
92	<b>Staffing</b> It would appear we will struggle to meet that staffing increase without recruiting heavily. This combined with retirements will lead to a vastly more inexperienced workforce. Training for Ops crews T2, T3,T4 needs to happen to compensate for this, and not place the responsibility for training solely on the stations	6/23/2021 11:31 AM
93	<b>Positive</b> <b>Staffing</b> Fantastic proposal after years of staffing reductions	6/22/2021 3:46 PM
94	<b>Positive</b> <b>Resource Location</b> 54 posts is a good thing. As long as the public are safe, and can be saved quickly especially students in the accommodation blocks. We're very scared in case these catch fire and we are not getting rescued, but if the aerial engine is near Newcastle, it would be a good plan.	6/22/2021 2:28 PM
95	<b>Staffing</b> 54 posts over the 3 years of this IRMP, but what about the current status on staffing? These additional posts will not really make an impact on the already -75 staff posts with more than another 50 to also go in the next 12 months through retirement.	6/21/2021 2:22 PM
96	<b>Staffing</b> All of the proposals have staffing implications whereby we need more. Probably the biggest challenge facing the service in the next few years.	6/18/2021 7:06 PM

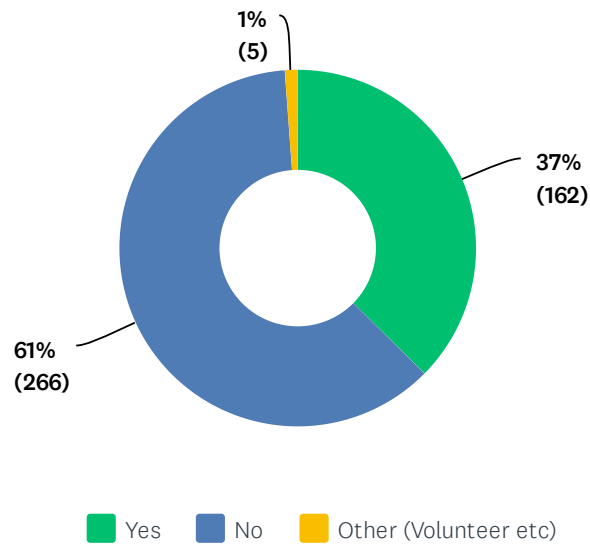
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97	<b>Positive</b>	Really positive seeing introduction of more posts but does not go far enough looking into where the new resources are best located for risk	6/17/2021 1:58 PM
98	<b>Positive</b>	Overall it feels like TWFRS are in a very positive position.	6/17/2021 12:27 PM
99	<b>Positive</b>	introducing extra resources to enhance community protection seems a "no-brainer" if we are putting this into areas based on risk/demand data	6/17/2021 8:55 AM
100	<b>Staffing</b>	staffing levels are so low already. More courses are needed and more drivers brought through. WM need CM on stations with the increase work load and scrutiny we have now. CM play a vital part in supporting the service, these roles should not be dismissed for so long like they have done over the years and even more so now.	6/17/2021 8:09 AM
101	<b>Positive</b>	To add 54 posts in the current climate is exceptional.	6/16/2021 10:33 PM
102	<b>Positive</b>	54 additional posts is great. Well done	6/16/2021 8:59 PM
103	<b>Positive</b> <b>Staffing</b>	In my opinion this is a massive improvement for the community of Tyne and Wear but feel the fact that 1 pump stations have been left with only 4 personnel shows a massive hole in crews safety and this issue should have been the priority of the service and Fire Authority	6/16/2021 5:20 PM
104	<b>Positive</b>	I feel that this is one of the few IRMP proposals that have seen the service increase its establishment opposed to efficiency savings in the past	6/16/2021 4:20 PM
105	<b>Positive</b>	Introduction of new staff is really good given the retirement profile. It will allow greater scope for additional training to take place, may see a reduction in the number of times appliances are off the run due to staffing and will alleviate extra stresses put on current crews	6/16/2021 3:59 PM
106	<b>Positive</b> <b>Staffing</b>	Reintroduction of vital staffing is always welcome	6/16/2021 2:20 PM
107	<b>Positive</b>	Reasonable given the various constraints on the Service.	6/16/2021 2:00 PM



## Q6 Are you an employee of TWFRS

Answered: 433 Skipped: 215



#	OTHER (VOLUNTEER ETC)	DATE
1	Ambulance Service	7/26/2021 11:56 AM
2	Retired	7/26/2021 10:23 AM
3	Volunteer	7/4/2021 9:05 PM
4	Fire cadet	7/2/2021 3:37 PM
5	Volunteer	6/25/2021 10:29 PM

## Q7 Your post code area

Answered: 406 Skipped: 242

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	ne11	8/11/2021 11:59 AM
2	NE5 2PL	8/11/2021 9:54 AM
3	Ne10	8/11/2021 7:13 AM
4	NE16	8/10/2021 10:31 PM
5	ne30	8/10/2021 12:14 PM
6	SR1	8/10/2021 6:35 AM
7	NE38	8/9/2021 8:10 PM
8	DH3 2JG	8/9/2021 2:36 PM
9	NE63	8/9/2021 10:07 AM
10	Dh3	8/8/2021 6:43 PM
11	Sunderland	8/8/2021 2:19 PM
12	DH3 1DR	8/7/2021 11:20 PM
13	Dh34bl	8/7/2021 10:46 PM
14	DH22XW	8/7/2021 10:44 PM
15	Sr53qy	8/7/2021 2:49 PM
16	NE9 7YA	8/7/2021 1:11 PM
17	NE23	8/6/2021 1:19 PM
18	SR4	8/6/2021 1:10 PM
19	NE34	8/6/2021 1:05 PM
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22	NE17	8/5/2021 2:23 PM
23	NE10	8/5/2021 1:44 PM
24	Ne40 3ay	8/3/2021 3:59 PM
25	DH3 1DN	8/2/2021 7:28 PM
26	DH9 0QH	8/2/2021 4:02 PM
27	NE12	8/2/2021 12:16 PM
28	DH3 1DN	7/31/2021 9:11 PM
29	DH3 1DR	7/31/2021 8:13 PM
30	DH3 1DR	7/31/2021 8:00 PM
31	Dh3	7/30/2021 4:41 AM
32	NE38 0QD	7/29/2021 9:34 PM
33	DH3	7/29/2021 7:13 PM

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39	Dh3 1qg	7/28/2021 8:21 PM
40	Cb	7/28/2021 7:19 AM
41	DH3	7/27/2021 8:44 PM
42	Dh3 1qa	7/27/2021 7:40 PM
43	Dh31gh	7/27/2021 7:13 PM
44	DH3	7/27/2021 5:28 PM
45	DH3 1EP	7/27/2021 2:27 PM
46	DH3 2JD	7/27/2021 2:15 PM
47	Dh3	7/27/2021 1:49 PM
48	DH3 1JX	7/27/2021 1:09 PM
49	DH3 1NN	7/27/2021 9:19 AM
50	dh3 1qh	7/27/2021 9:10 AM
51	NE38	7/27/2021 9:09 AM
52	NE96DR	7/27/2021 9:03 AM
53	DH3	7/27/2021 12:56 AM
54	Dh3 2qh	7/26/2021 8:31 PM
55	Dh3	7/26/2021 8:15 PM
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69	DH3 2HE	7/26/2021 4:01 PM
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79	Dh3 2bp	7/26/2021 12:16 PM
80	Dh2 1tl	7/26/2021 12:08 PM
81	DH3 1EP	7/26/2021 12:01 PM
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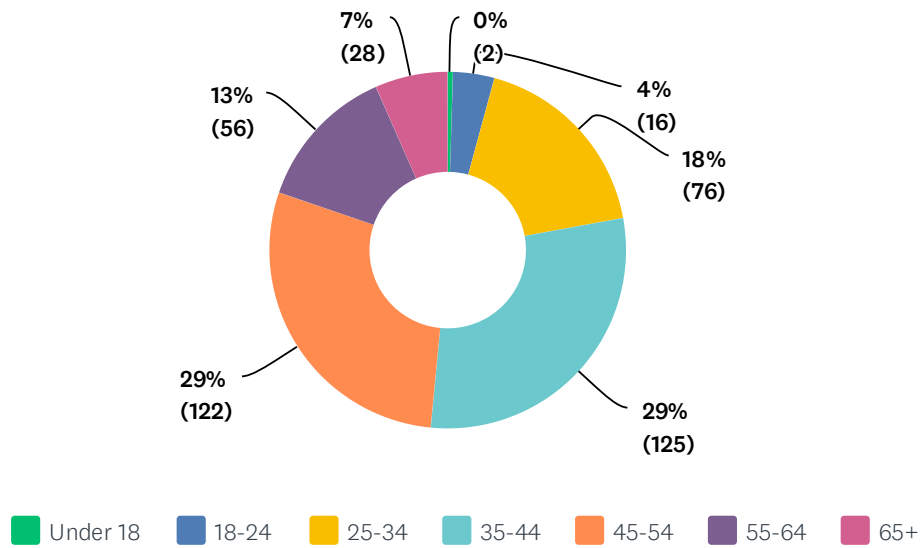
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376	NE15	6/17/2021 12:36 PM
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379	SR7 7LJ	6/17/2021 8:17 AM
380	NE29	6/17/2021 8:10 AM
381	Ne29	6/16/2021 11:24 PM
382	Ne29	6/16/2021 11:09 PM
383	NE259GA	6/16/2021 10:34 PM
384	ne33	6/16/2021 10:13 PM
385	SR5 3QY	6/16/2021 9:14 PM
386	SR3 2NY	6/16/2021 9:00 PM
387	NE6 4UA	6/16/2021 7:45 PM
388	NE16 5LB	6/16/2021 5:20 PM
389	NE5 1UF	6/16/2021 4:21 PM
390	SR2 3QY	6/16/2021 4:02 PM
391	SR5 3QY	6/16/2021 3:51 PM
392	SR1 3SW	6/16/2021 3:10 PM
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394	ne280lw	6/16/2021 2:13 PM
395	DH	6/16/2021 2:05 PM
396	NE2 1ER	6/16/2021 2:01 PM
397	NE10	6/16/2021 1:51 PM
398	NE54EN	6/16/2021 1:48 PM
399	NE9 6UL	6/16/2021 1:45 PM
400	SR40RD	6/16/2021 1:21 PM
401	NE36	6/16/2021 1:01 PM
402	NE37	6/16/2021 12:59 PM
403	south tyneside	6/16/2021 12:42 PM
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405	NE42 5FF	6/16/2021 12:28 PM
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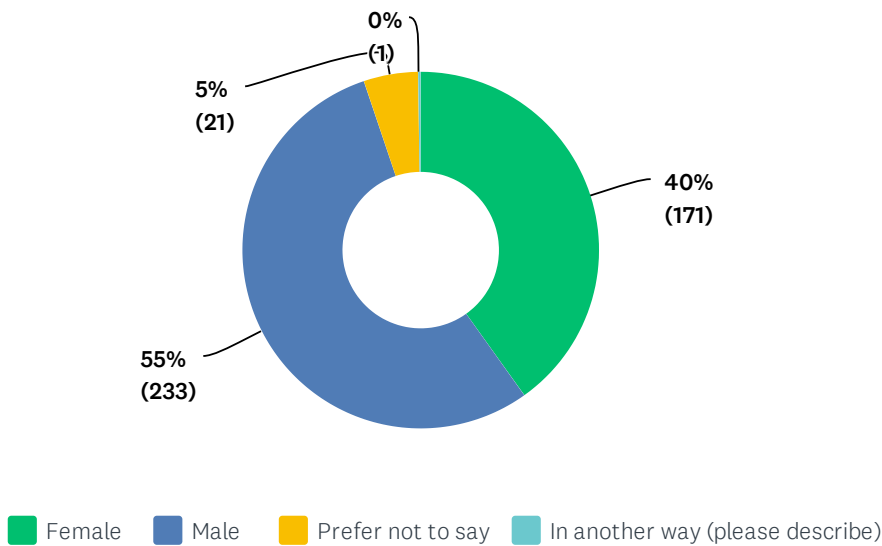
## Q8 Your age;

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Q9 Your sex assigned at birth;

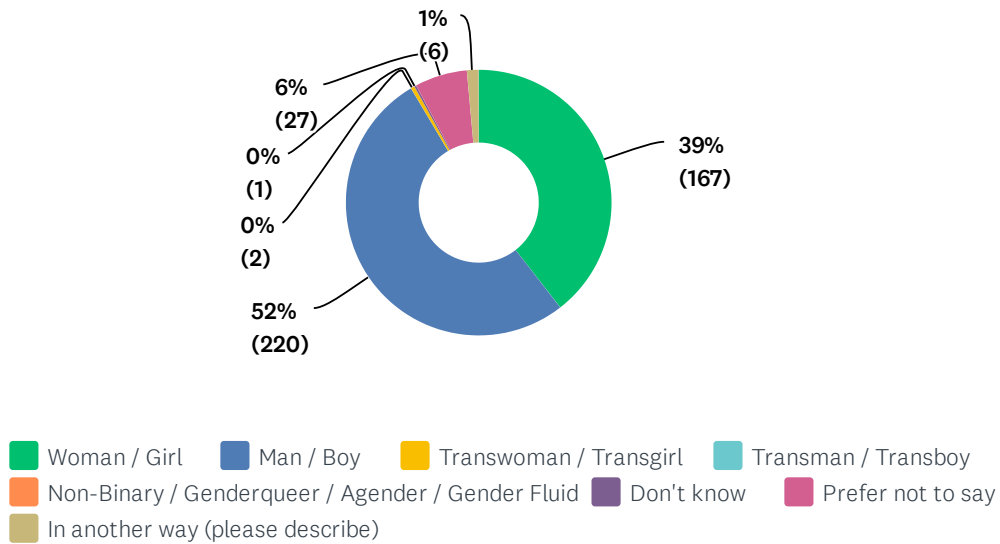
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1	Not relevant to proposals	7/26/2021 3:22 PM

## Q10 Do you identify as;

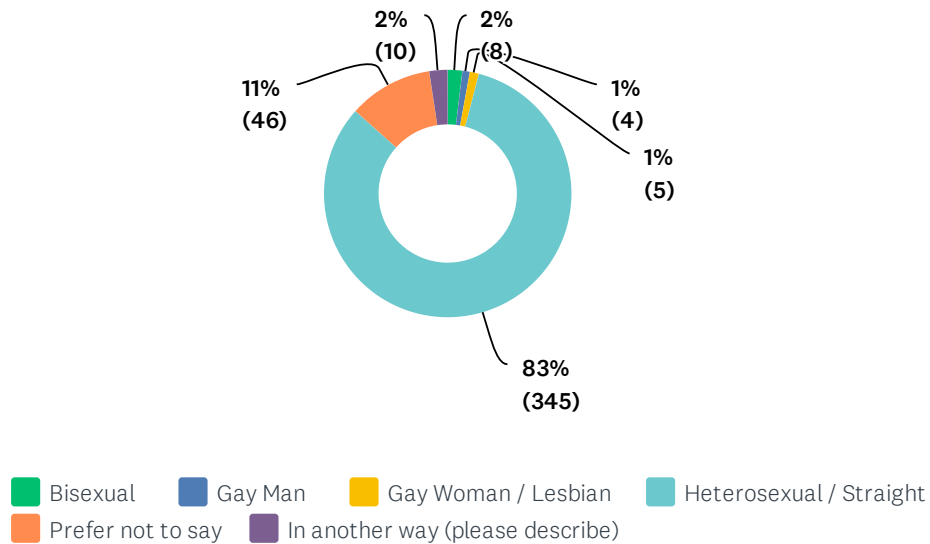
Answered: 423 Skipped: 225



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1	Not relevant. Inappropriate to questionnaire.	7/26/2021 3:22 PM
2	A Black female unicorn	7/3/2021 11:47 AM
3	How is this relevant?	6/27/2021 10:24 PM
4	Why is this at all relevant?	6/26/2021 10:40 PM
5	No	6/26/2021 9:59 AM
6	Normal	6/16/2021 2:21 PM

## Q11 How would you describe your sexual orientation?

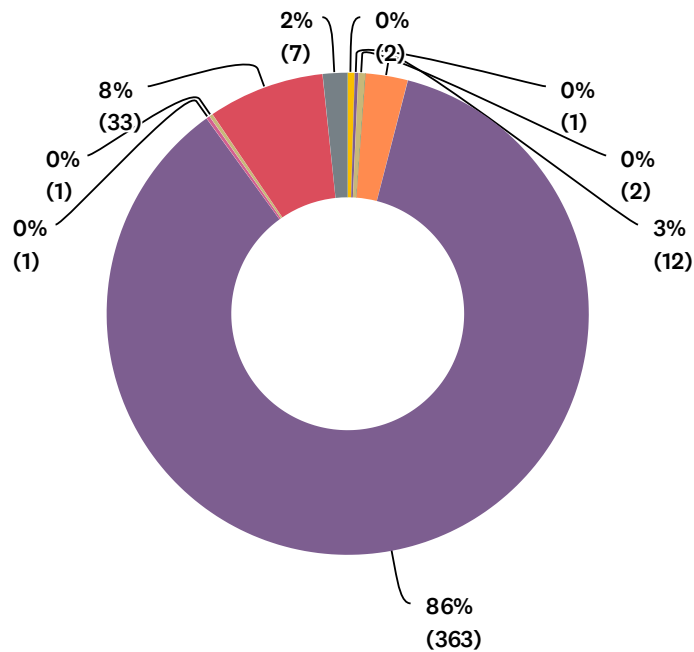
Answered: 418 Skipped: 230



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1	Who cares about this ?	7/27/2021 9:03 AM
2	As above	7/26/2021 3:22 PM
3	None of your business	7/26/2021 12:57 PM
4	What has this got to do with you	7/26/2021 11:03 AM
5	What have these questions got to do with protecting our community from fire etc	7/26/2021 10:15 AM
6	Not relevant to this survey	7/26/2021 9:07 AM
7	What's this got to do with your survey	6/27/2021 12:50 PM
8	Why is this at all relevant?	6/26/2021 10:40 PM
9	No	6/26/2021 9:05 PM
10	Normal	6/16/2021 2:21 PM

## Q12 What is your ethnicity

Answered: 422 Skipped: 226

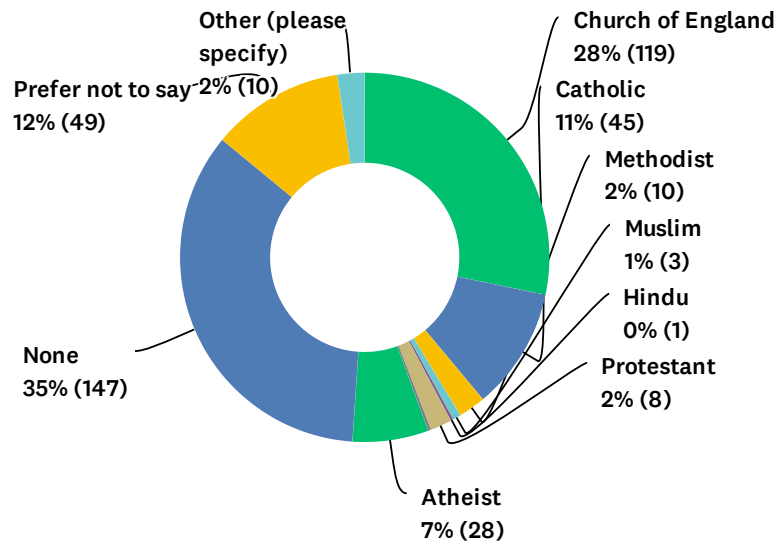


■ Arab ■ Asian or Asian British (Indian) ■ Asian or Asian British (Pakistani)  
■ Black or Black British (African) ■ Black or Black British (Caribbean) ■ Chinese  
■ Gypsy or Traveller ■ Mixed - White and Asian ■ Mixed - White and Black African  
■ Mixed - White and Black Caribbean ■ Other - Asian Background  
■ Other - Black Background ■ Other Ethnic Group ■ Other Mixed Background  
■ White Background ■ White British ■ White Irish ■ Not Known  
■ Prefer not to say ■ Other (please specify)

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	As above	7/26/2021 3:22 PM
2	Not relevant to this survey	7/26/2021 9:07 AM
3	White english	6/28/2021 9:05 AM
4	Don't think any of this is relevant	6/27/2021 12:50 PM
5	white English	6/27/2021 8:20 AM
6	Why is this at all relevant?	6/26/2021 10:40 PM
7	White English	6/16/2021 10:34 PM

## Q13 What is your religious belief?

Answered: 421 Skipped: 227

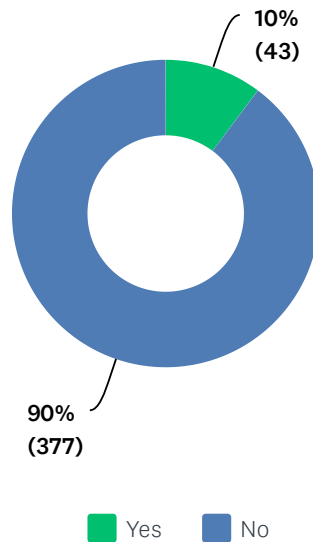


#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Christian	8/5/2021 2:23 PM
2	Jehovah's Witness	8/2/2021 7:28 PM
3	The Church of Jesus Christ of latter-day Saints (Christian)	8/2/2021 4:02 PM
4	Jehovah's Witness	7/31/2021 9:11 PM
5	As above	7/26/2021 3:22 PM
6	Does not have anything to with cutting our fire stations hours	7/26/2021 12:57 PM
7	Butt out nosy	7/26/2021 11:03 AM
8	Not relevant to this survey	7/26/2021 9:07 AM
9	Christian	7/11/2021 3:45 PM
10	Why is this at all relevant?	6/26/2021 10:40 PM



## Q14 Would you consider yourself to have a disability?

Answered: 420 Skipped: 228



#	(PLEASE DESCRIBE)	DATE
1	No	8/9/2021 8:10 PM
2	Mental health	7/29/2021 3:51 PM
3	prefer not to say	7/29/2021 10:18 AM
4	Lower back walking arthritis	7/29/2021 2:12 AM
5	But my husband is disabled and is in a wheelchair	7/27/2021 2:15 PM
6	arthritis in hips	7/27/2021 1:09 PM
7	3 illnesses that together deem me disabled	7/27/2021 12:56 AM
8	Spine condition & mental health conditions	7/26/2021 4:01 PM
9	Motability issues, house bound	7/26/2021 2:46 PM
10	mobility, diabetes, heart pressure	7/26/2021 1:49 PM
11	No tolerance to personal questions when totally irrelevant	7/26/2021 11:03 AM
12	poor mobility	7/26/2021 10:46 AM
13	Arthritis, Diabetes, Hypermobility	7/26/2021 10:30 AM
14	I have mobility/spinal issues	7/26/2021 9:29 AM
15	Mental health	7/26/2021 9:25 AM
16	Physical and mental health	7/11/2021 3:45 PM
17	Arthritis.	7/11/2021 12:53 PM
18	Physical	7/9/2021 10:59 PM
19	Back, ankle and shoulders problems	6/27/2021 11:05 PM
20	Mobility issues	6/27/2021 9:28 PM

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21	Diabetic - Type 1	6/27/2021 8:08 AM
22	Epilepsy	6/27/2021 7:52 AM
23	Physical and mental health issues	6/27/2021 2:12 AM
24	Physical disability	6/26/2021 11:04 PM
25	Why is this at all relevant?	6/26/2021 10:40 PM
26	Mobility issues	6/26/2021 9:07 PM