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FIRE and RESCUE SERVICE

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Meeting: Overview and Scrutiny Committee
Date: 19th November 2014
Subject: Health and Safety Statistics 2013/14
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For: Discussion

1. Purpose

This report provides the Overview and Scrutiny Committee with the Health and Safety Statistics for 2013/14.

2. Executive Summary

This report incorporates a 15 minute presentation that gives information to the Committee on reported Health and Safety Events for 2013/14. Furthermore, for analysis only, the previous two years information has been included (2012/13 and 2011/12).

3. Report Detail

- 3.1 The presentation looks at reported safety events for Personal Injury, Vehicle Events, Near Misses, Dangerous Occurrences and Critical Equipment Failures. The presentation slides display numbers of reported events per impact rating and event type. Also, it shows the locations attributed to each event type.
- 3.2 This presentation is delivered to the Committee on an annual basis and this will be the sixth year in which it has been delivered. It initially arose from a Scrutiny Panel on 16th November 2005 where a further detailed breakdown of Health and Safety statistics was requested.

4. Report Implications / Impact

4.1 *Legal (including crime and disorder)*

None

4.2 **Financial (including value for money, benefits and efficiencies)**

There are no specific financial implications arising as a result of this report.

4.3 **Risk (including corporate and operational and any impact on service delivery)**

The monitoring of Health and Safety performance is a key element of the Combined Fire Authority's strategy for identifying and developing improvement opportunities.

4.4 **Staff, Service Users and Stakeholders (including the Equality Impact Assessment)**

None

4.5 **Environmental**

None

5. **Recommendations**

The Overview and Scrutiny Committee is asked to note the Health and Safety Statistics for 2013/14.

6. **Background Papers**

None

7. **Appendices**

1. Personal Injuries – events per employment group, activity details (2013/14 only), events reported under the Reporting of Injuries, Diseases and Dangerous Occurrences Regulations 2013 (RIDDOR), accident types, injury sites, injury types and a breakdown of 'other' locations.
2. Vehicle Events – events per employment group, vehicle use, accident type, vehicle type and a breakdown of 'other' locations.
3. Critical Equipment Categorisation – a breakdown of how critical equipment failure types have been grouped for reporting.
4. Location Abbreviations
5. Definitions of Safety Events
6. Near Miss Event Categorisation – a breakdown of how near miss types have been grouped for reporting.
7. Presentation