

**LEICESTER, LEICESTERSHIRE AND RUTLAND COMBINED FIRE
AUTHORITY – CORPORATE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE**

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CHAIRMAN’S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Paragon Fire Wigston

The Service recently responded to a significant fire incident in Wigston, where the building was used as a document storage facility. At its height, over 60 fire-fighters were tackling the blaze that could be seen for over 15 miles. By working alongside partners in a collaborative, multi-agency environment, the incident was effectively managed and resolved.

Supervisory Management Development Courses

Learning and Organisational Development has recently concluded the initial phase of its newly implemented supervisory leadership development programmes. This externally facilitated course serves as a valuable resource for new managers, aiding them in their ongoing leadership development and equipping them with essential skills in the realm of supervisory management.

Networking Women in the Fire Service

The Service recently facilitated a delegation of staff to participate in the prestigious national event, which has been successfully running for more than two decades. This event welcomes individuals from all roles within the Fire and Rescue Service and its primary objective is to enhance the recruitment, retention, and advancement of women in the fire service, while also fostering an inclusive environment that empowers women to achieve their utmost potential.

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