

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

9 MARCH 2022

CHAIRMAN’S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Excellence Awards Event

The first excellence awards event within the Service for a number of years is taking place on Friday 11 March. Over 125 nominations were received across eleven award categories and approximately 250 staff and guests will attend the evening, which is being held at Leicester City Football Club. This event recognises the contribution and excellence of the teams and individuals within the Service and it is the intention to hold this annually as a formal way of acknowledging the achievements and value of staff.

Covid-19 Vaccination

In continued support of the Local Resilience Forum, LFRS has hosted pop up vaccination centres at Weston and Wigston Fire Stations. In addition, to continue to promote the vaccination programme, the Service has delivered leaflets, directing communities to access having the vaccine in targeted wards.

Business Engagement Events

The Fire Protection Team has continued to deliver business engagement events to local communities. The last virtual event saw over 100 local businesses attend, where they were provided with safety and legal advice to make businesses safer.