

Scottish Fire and Rescue Service, Service Delivery Review Consultation update noted – Preferred option approved.

10 There was submitted and noted a report by Community Justice Manager, Communities Team in relation to the current Scottish Fire and Rescue Service (SFRS) Service Delivery Review consultation on their options for change proposals, advising that

- (1) SFRS had initiated a 4-year Strategic Services Review Programme (SSRP) in 2023 due to budget challenges faced by the service;
- (2) in August 2023, the Council had hosted an online information event for this Partnership as well as all Glasgow elected members to go through the temporary changes that SFRS were proposing;
- (3) in April 2024, the community were invited to in-person information sessions at some SFRS stations and an online survey was also undertaken to discuss the future changes;
- (4) all Glasgow elected members and this Partnership were invited to an online information session in May 2024 held by Glasgow City Council to discuss the future changes; and
- (5) a final information session was held in August 2025 with all Glasgow elected members and this Partnership invited, in relation to the current change proposals and thereafter a follow up session just for this Partnership was held to discuss and complete the consultation questions and decide on which option this Partnership would support.

After consideration, the Partnership

- (a) approved the consultation response selecting Option 1 which had been the consensus of the members that attended the additional Partnership session;
- (b) noted that Councillor Campbell did not support proposal Option 1, indicating that his preference would have been Option 2; and
- (c) noted that the consultation was open until 16th September 2025, with everyone encouraged to complete it on an individual basis.