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Doing more for Scotland

Transforming for the future

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The need to transform - changing risk

- · SFRS is Scotland's insurance policy
- · We will still do what we do today, but must adapt to meet new risks
- · Continued reduction in fires, but increase in:







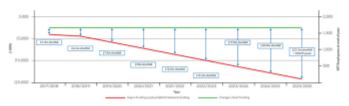




The need to transform - financial imperative

- · SFRS still making case for required funding
- · Recognise fiscal challenges no guarantee of extra money
- · Transformation will release efficiencies to deliver more
- Current model unsustainable beyond 17/18

FLAT CASH, NO INFLATIONARY INCREASE FOR PAY OR OTHER COSTS



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Planned and safe



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The need to transform - delivery model

- · Delivery model served us well, but designed for risks of 70 years ago
- · Resources no longer aligned to fire incident profile
- · Limitations on moving resource to where need is greatest
- · Crews available at wrong time to conduct vital preventative work
- · RDS requires a stronger delivery model
- Limited use of new technologies

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More agile enabling services required to support frontline







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The future firefighter

- Not proposing a 'pay increase'
- Proposing new recognition package, in return for transforming Service and role
- · Will negotiate with firefighters who will be asked to accept:
 - new T&Cs linked to significantly wider role and responsibilities
 - new duty patterns where appropriate, & more flexible working practices
 - adoption of new technologies
- · Circa four year programme and recognition deal



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Failure to transform - real risk

- Model unsustainable beyond 17/18 frontline service cuts
- Rural communities at risk from failure to strengthen RDS
- No coherent concept of response to terrorist attack
- · Unable to extend life-saving emergency medical response
- · No demand-reduction in health and social care
- · Limitations on vital prevention, education and intervention role



Listen and engage

- · Extensive listening exercise with public, staff and stakeholders
- · Full public consultation in the coming months
- · Committed to delivering in partnership
- · Views, ideas and insight will help shape delivery

Seeking your support for change

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Your Questions



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