County Durham and Darlington Fire and Rescue Authority



# **COMBINED FIRE AUTHORITY**

### 21 MARCH 2017

### MEMBER ATTENDANCE AT CONFERENCE

## **REPORT OF COUNCILLOR HODGSON**

### **Purpose of Report**

1. To provide feedback to members on the recent Local Government Association (LGA) Fire Conference held between 07 and 08 March 2017.

### Background

- 2. Members have agreed to feedback a summary of any key issues emerging from conferences, events or seminars they have attended on behalf of the Authority.
- 3. The LGA Fire Conference is held annually with the event being held this year in Gateshead. This year's conference covered a wide range of topics with delegates attending a large number of presentations and workshops with a summary of these detailed in appendix A.

### Recommendation

4. Members are asked to <u>note</u> the report and appendix A.