



REPORT

To: Special Shetland Islands Council

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**From: Head of Environmental & Building Services
Infrastructure Services Department**

HIGHLANDS AND ISLANDS FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE CAPITAL PROGRAMME FOR SHETLAND

1 Introduction

- 1.1 Councillor Richard Durham, Convener of Highlands and Islands Fire Board and Brian Murray Chief Fire Officer of Highlands and Islands Fire and Rescue Service will give a presentation on an overview of the Service, the challenges faced and hopes and aspirations for the future.
- 1.2 The presentation will provide an insight into the Revenue and Capital budgets and the changing environment in which the service operates.

2 Links to Council Priorities

- 2.1 We must ensure that people in Shetland feel safe and protected.

3 Financial Implications

- 3.1 There are no financial implications associated with this report.

4. Policy & Delegated Authority

- 4.1 There are no policy or delegated authority issues associated with the this report at this presentation stage.

5 Recommendations

- 5.1 Members are invited to discuss any issues raised by the presentation with the Convener and Chief Fire Officer.

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