

Scottish Fire and Rescue Service

Transformation



Reform – our foundations

- Reform has worked for SFRS
- We have established a single infrastructure
- We have removed duplication and improved operational efficiency
- We have taken £56m out of our cost base while protecting the frontline
- We built the foundations required to deliver transformation



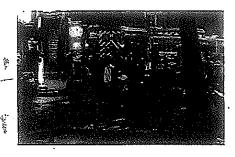


The need to transform – changing risk

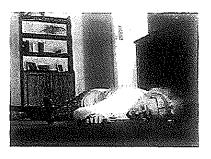
Operating model is outdated - designed to meet risks of the 1940's

Need greater flexibility to meet changing risks facing Scotland

Reduction in fires, but increase in:











The need to transform - inefficient model

Resource not aligned to fire incident profile

Limitations on placing resource where need is greatest

Crews available at wrong time to conduct preventative work

Complex allowances and local arrangements

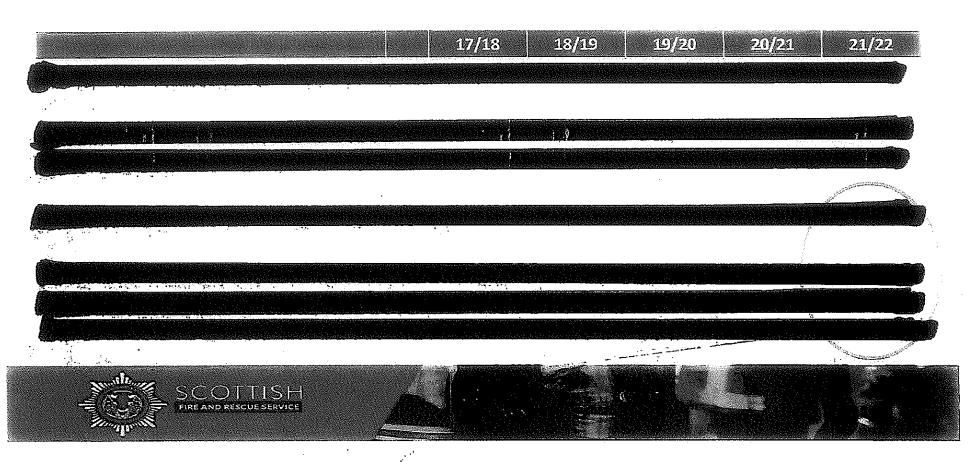
RDS 'broken' and requires new delivery model

Limited use of new technologies

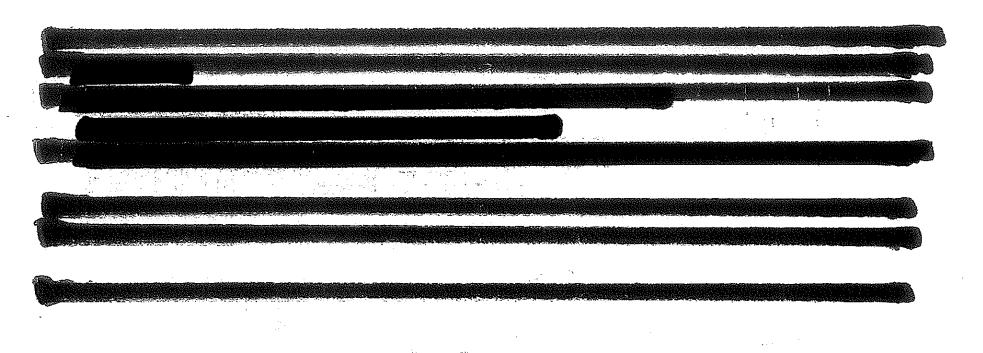




The need to transform — a financial imperative



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Cost-driven solutions









Transformation solutions - coherent and planned

Reshape RDS / Volunteer Tactical station closures

Core-time only crewing model



Tactical removal of appliances



Reshape RDS / Volunteer

Tactical station closures



• More appropriate equipment for wider range of needs



Core-time only crewing model



Rapid Intervention Vehicles

Tactical removal of appliances





- Proven solution
- Reduced costs
- Environmental benefits



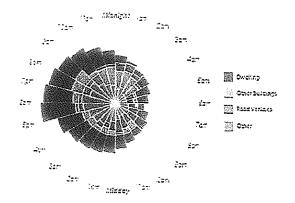
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Tactical removal of appliances

- 39 RIV's in multi-pump stations, 19 crewed during peak activity only
- · Better matches resource to risk
- Supports introduction of Urban Crewing Model





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Tactical removal of appliances

• Activity levels strongly driven by UFAS

New Rapid Intervention Vehicles during core times



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Tactical removal of appliances

Review of appliance provision identified tactical removal
 of 3rd pump at 2 x Wholetime stations

Activity levels do not support current allocation

Reduced fleet and crewing costs



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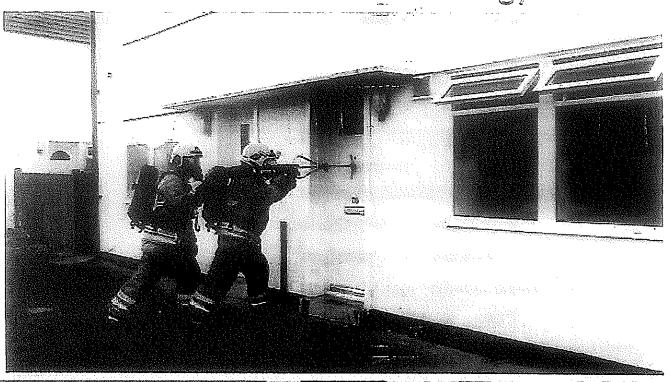


Tactical removal of appliances

- Introduce RIVs (ultra HP lances) to 60/80 stations
- Altered Crewing Level 3 Riders
- Appoint circa 60 Full Time "Rural Crew Manager" posts
- Increased availability/attendance
- Better aligned to rural risk / needs
- Support where required from traditional appliances at larger and busier stations
- Improved community safety Defib's and Trauma
- Improve succession planning and gender balance through new Cadet
 Scheme

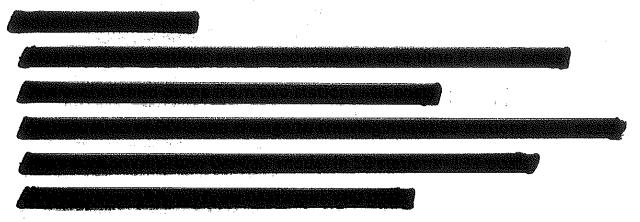


Transformational technology



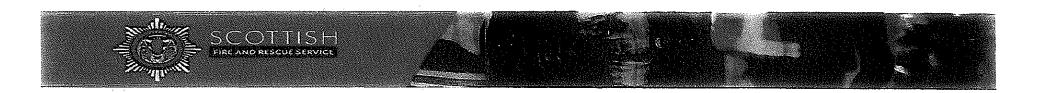


Re-balancing firefighter numbers





- No compulsory redundancies
- Retirement profile supports transformation



The future firefighter

- Firefighters to accept:
 - harmonisation of current allowances
 - new T&Cs
 - significantly wider role and responsibilities
 - new duty patterns where appropriate
 - more flexible working practices
 - adoption of new technologies

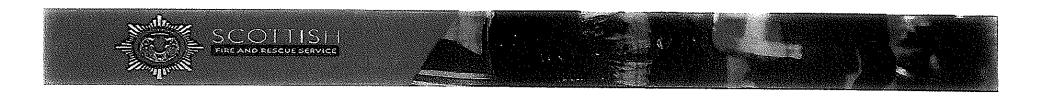






Failure to transform = real risk

- · Service unsustainable under budget arrangements frontline service cuts
- · Rural communities at risk from failure to reform RDS
- No coherent concept of response to terrorist attacks in Scotland
- End of OHCA life-saving role
- No demand-reduction in health and social care
- Potential industrial unrest
- Loss of public confidence and trust





Questions

