

**Meeting of the Full Council
Meeting to be held on 24 March 2016**

Report submitted by: The Chief Executive

Part A

Electoral Division affected:
All

**Combined Fire Authority (CFA)
Appointment of County Council Representative 2015/16**

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Executive Summary

The appointment of a County Council representative to serve on the Lancashire Combined Fire Authority (CFA) until the Annual Meeting of Full Council in May 2016 following the sad death of County Councillor Richard Newman-Thompson.

Recommendation

The Full Council is asked to approve the appointment of a nomination from the Labour Group, to be confirmed at this meeting, until the Annual Meeting of the Full Council in May 2016.

Background and Advice

At its Annual Meeting on 21 May 2015 the Full Council approved the appointment of 19 County Council members to serve on the Combined Fire Authority. The political balance of County Council representatives on the Combined Fire Authority is 9 Labour, 8 Conservative, 1 Liberal Democrat and 1 Independent.

County Councillor Richard Newman-Thompson who was nominated to fill one of the Labour Group positions, sadly died on 22 February and the Labour Group now wish to make a further nomination to the Combined Fire Authority.

Consultations

N/A

Implications:

N/A

Risk management

There are no risk management issues arising from this report.

Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985

List of Background Papers

Paper	Date	Contact/Directorate/Tel
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N/A

Reason for inclusion in Part II, if appropriate

N/A