# Hereford and Worcestershire Fire and Rescue Authority

### **Role Description:**

## **Member Champion:**

In addition to their role as Member, the Member Champion has the following Roles and Responsibilities:

#### **Key Role**

To act as an advocate, and provide leadership for their topic.

#### Main Responsibilities

- 1. To work closely with a nominated principal officer on the related topic
- 2. To work with other officers and working groups to develop issues on the topic
- 3. To support and develop policy on the topic area
- 4. To act as the main apolitical point of contact for the Authority for the topic
- 5. To attend seminars and other relevant events to gain and maintain specialist and current knowledge of the topic
- 6. To act as advocate for Best Practice in the topic area

#### Accountability

The responsibilities outlined in this role description relate to the political or Member level activities of the Fire Authority.

Accountability for Members' performance is through the political and electoral process.

The responsibilities outlined are without prejudice to the separate duties and responsibilities exercised by the officers of the Fire Authority, for which they are accountable as employees of the Fire Authority.