

Wem and Shawbury LJC Meeting 5th July 2010

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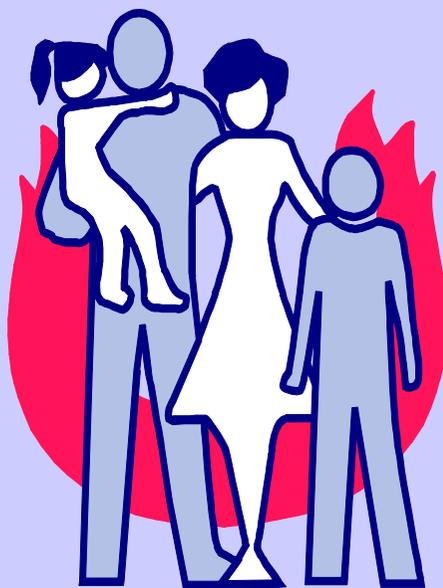
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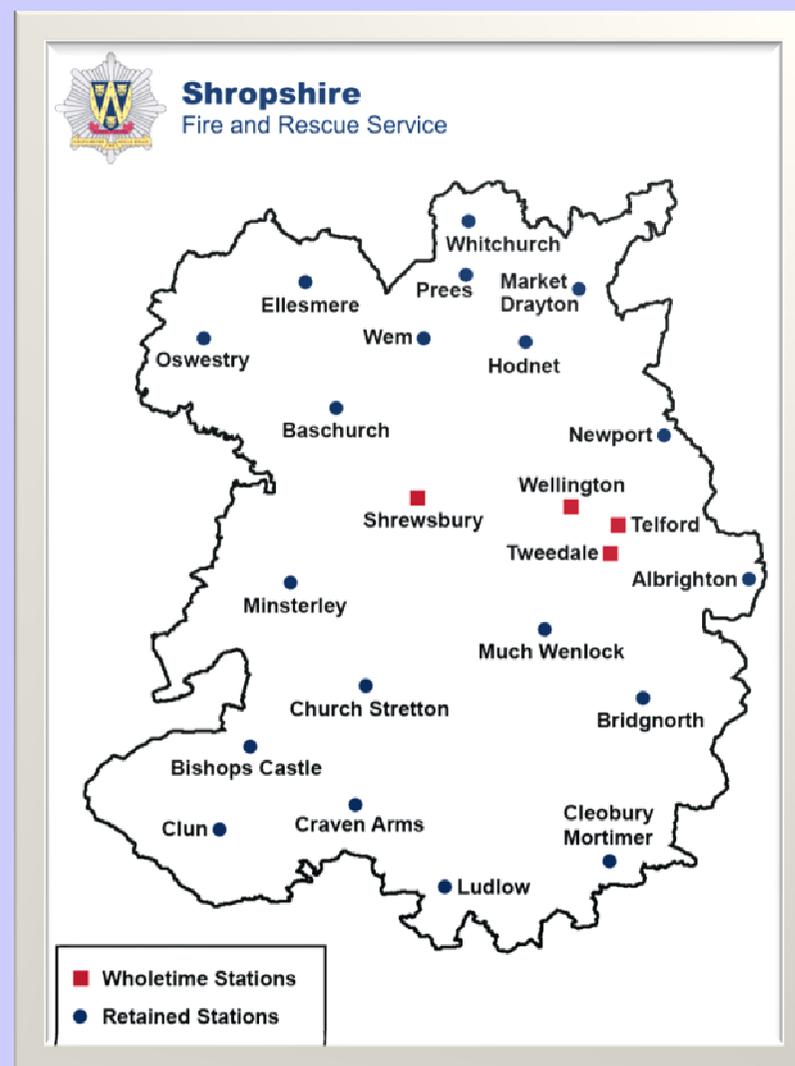
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Resources

- **23** Fire Stations 4 staffed full time (3 of which have an RDS crew attached)
- **22** Retained Duty System or 'on call' Stations
- 7000 Calls per annum across the county
- approximately 60% of those calls in the more urban higher risk areas of Shrewsbury and Telford



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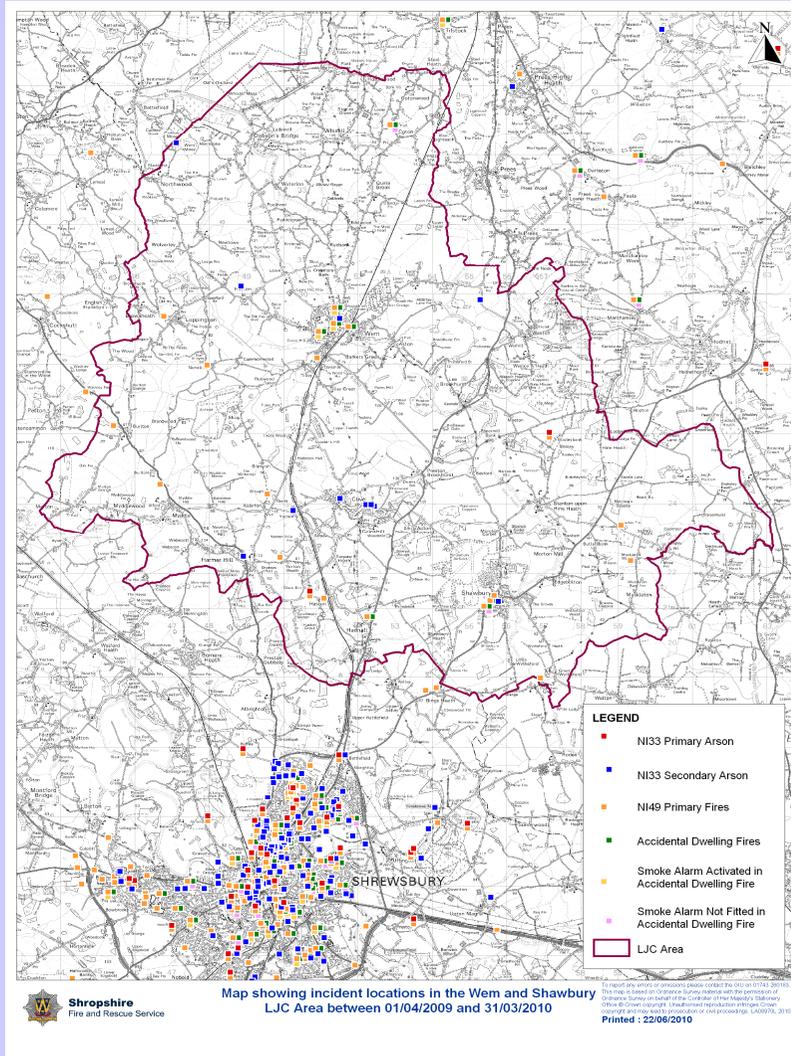


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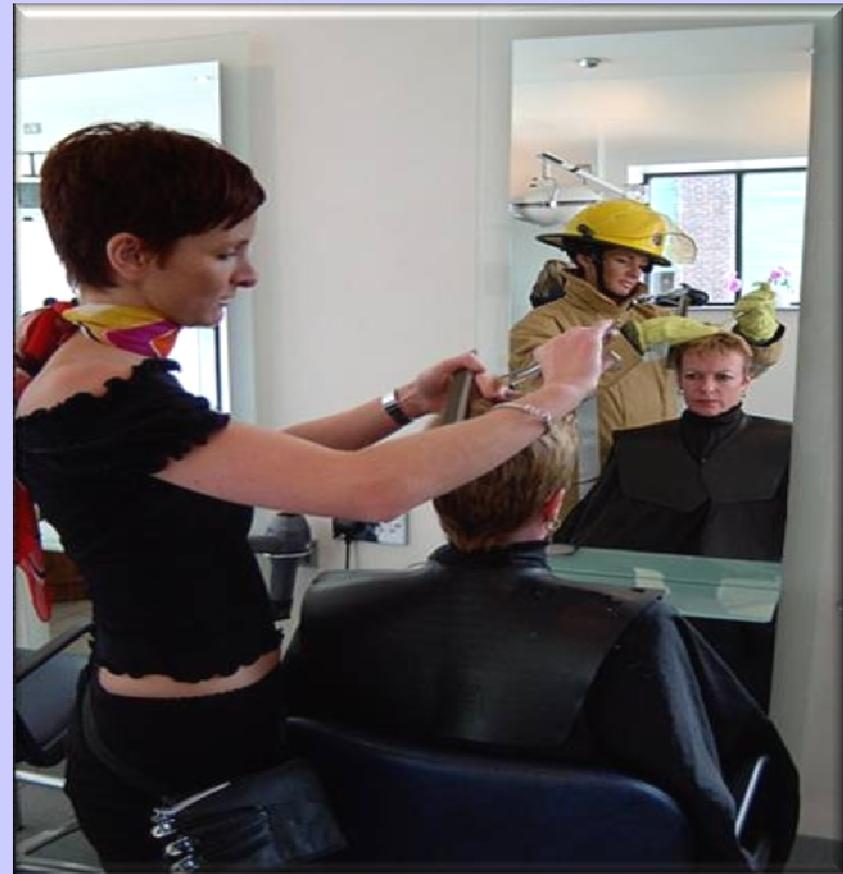
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Retained Duty System – ‘on call’ firefighters’

- Range of Occupations
- Regular Training
- 24/7 Service
- Commitment
- Recruitment difficulties
 - Wem *no vacancies*
 - Hodnet 4 vacancies
 - Prees 3 vacancies
 - Baschurch *no vacancies*



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Retained Duty System – ‘on call’ firefighters’

- Tangible benefits to employers and individuals.

- Highly trained

HGV

Medical skills

- Transferable skills

Team work

Quick thinking

Self discipline

Communication



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What can you expect from your FRS?

	Life Risk Fires		RTC's			Water Rescue Incidents	
	Min 5 firefighters	Min 8 firefighters	Min 5 firefighters	Min 8 firefighters	Rescue Tender	Nearest available appliance	Specialist Swift Water rescue
High	10mins	10mins	10mins	10mins	30mins	10mins	30mins
Med	15mins	18mins	15mins	18mins	30mins	-	30mins
Low	20mins	20mins	20mins	20mins	30mins	20mins	30mins

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Much more than Response?

Community Safety

- Home Safety Visits
- Schools Education Programme
- Youth Initiatives
- RTC reduction initiatives
- Partnership Working



£1.61 per week per household*

*Average band D household

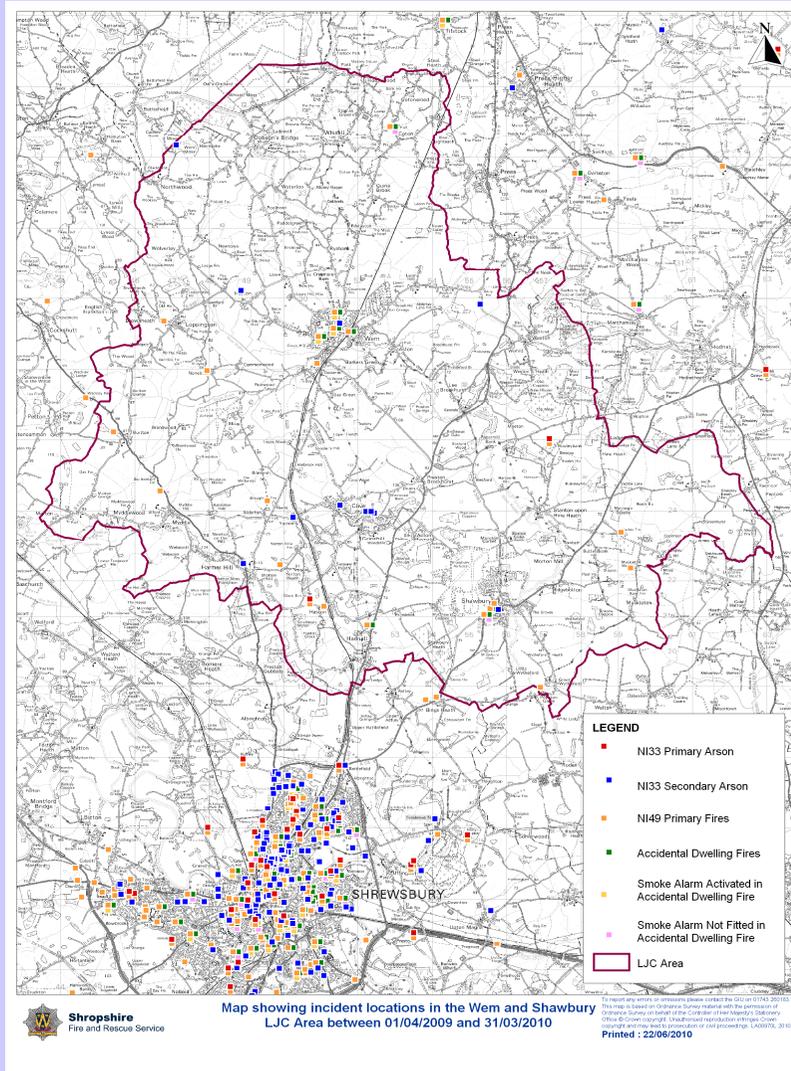
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Primary Arson	2
Secondary Arson	11
Primary Fires	24
Acc Domestic (25% did not have smoke detectors fitted)	8

Trends

- Low activity levels
- A small number of nuisance anti social fires around the Grinshill Area during the previous summer
- 4 Accidental Property Fires in Wem

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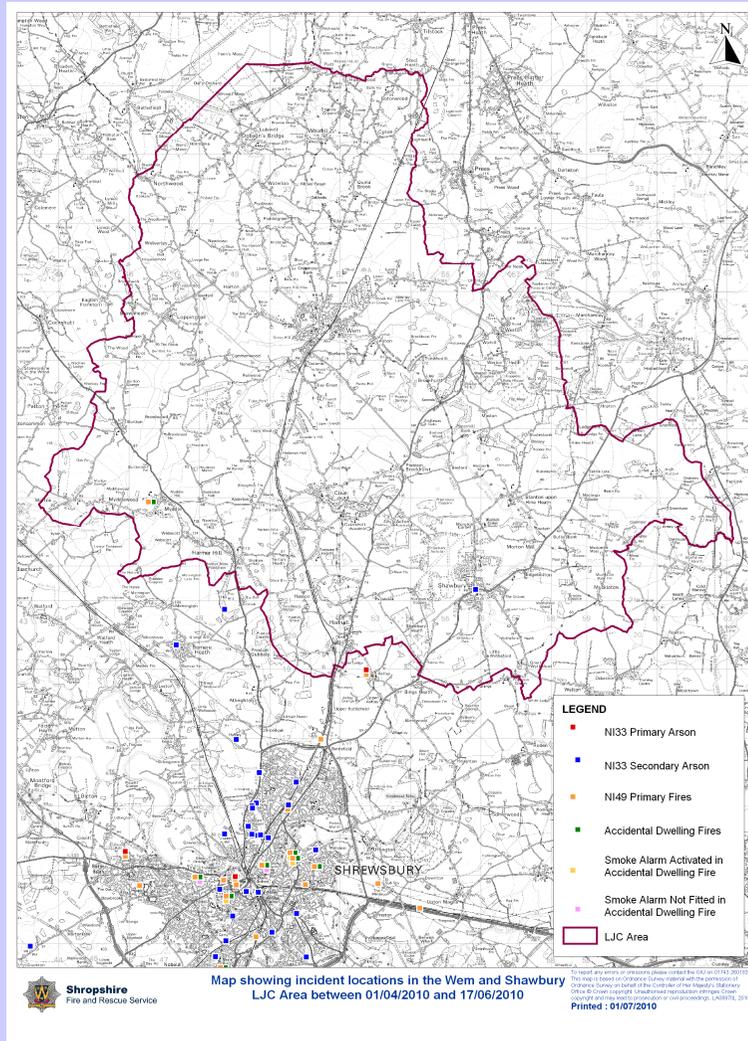


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Recent Activity

9th April number of small rubbish fires on Police log.

18th April domestic property fire



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