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### COMMUNICATIONS

1. Spirit of Fire Awards - letter from Andrew Selous MP congratulating the Leighton Buzzard Fire Cadets on their nomination for the national Spirit of Fire Awards; they were nominated for the Team of the Year and Supporter of the Year Dependant. He was delighted to learn that the cadets were invited to visit 10 Downing Street to meet the Home Secretary and the Police and Fire Minister and he would now like to arrange a visit to the Houses of Parliament for them as well.
2. River Festival – attendance of crews from Bedford on safety cover as well as cadets joining the parade and CFS publicity stand.
3. Review of Effectiveness – being carried out by RSM (Internal Audit) terms of reference of review brief now completed, final review will be brought in a full paper when completed.