## CUTS HAVE CONSEQUENCES FIRE CUTS CAN KILL

On October 1<sup>st</sup> – Gloucestershire County Council announce plans to cut fire cover, close Painswick Fire Station and remove all full-time Firefighters from Cirencester;

On October 3<sup>rd</sup> – a huge fire in Gloucester docks gives a stark example of why these cuts will compromise the safety of Firefighters and the public:

Support your local Firefighters.
Tell the County Council to rethink these dangerous plans!





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## CUTS COST LIVES

Gloucestershire County Council is considering plans to cut frontline fire cover in our County. They want to close **Painswick Fire Station** and remove all full-time cover from **Cirencester Fire Station**.

Your local Firefighters believe that these plans are dangerous. We believe they would severely compromise our ability to do our job safely and protect the public. We understand that times are difficult and money is tight, but we believe these cuts go too far and would risk the long term safety of the public. The cuts would lead to slower response times, with fire engines taking longer to reach you in times of need. They would lead to a significantly increased risk to both the public and firefighters alike.

Please add your name to our petition and return it to your local Firefighters - Tell Gloucestershire County Council its time to rethink these cuts!

To Gloucestershire County Council,

I support my local Firefighters, I do not support cuts in frontline emergency cover. I call on you to rethink your proposals to close Painswick Fire Station and cut full-time cover at Cirencester Fire Station.

Yours Sincerely,

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