



Extraordinary Council

Dear Councillor

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the Council to be held at **5.30 p.m. on Monday, 29 July 2024** in the Council Chamber, within the Town Hall, Wallasey, to take into consideration and determine the following subjects:

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AGENDA

1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members of the Council are asked to consider whether they have any disclosable pecuniary interests and/or any other relevant interest, in connection with any matter to be debated or determined at this meeting and, if so, to declare it and state the nature of such interest.

2. CIVIC MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

To receive the Civic Mayor's announcements and any apologies for absence.

3. CIVIC HONOURS

3.1 HONORARY FREEMAN OF THE BOROUGH, DAVID ARMSTRONG

Council is requested to consider the following recommendation from the Regulatory and General Purposes Committee at its meeting on 13 June 2024 (minute 47 refers):

(1) In pursuance of the provisions of Section 249 (5) of the Local Government Act 1972 and in recognition of his dedicated service to the Borough, that David Armstrong be admitted as Honorary Freeman of this Borough at an Extraordinary Council Meeting to be held on 29 July 2024

2) The Director of Law and Corporate Services be requested to: (a) take all the necessary actions associated with (1) above; and (b) arrange for a small civic reception for family representatives of David Armstrong, and invited guests on a mutually agreeable date following the extraordinary meeting of Council.

Minute Extract and Report are attached.

Full Council Responsibility for Functions

The full responsibility of functions for Full Council can be found at the end of this agenda.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Travers', written in a cursive style.

Jill Travers, Director of Law and Corporate Services

TIMINGS AND GUILLOTINE

Members are reminded of the following:

Item 2 - under Standing Order 2(iv) Mayor's announcements normally limited to up to 5 minutes.

Item 4A. – under Standing Order 10.7, public questions, up to 2 minutes allowed to put a question and up to 2 minutes for a response. Up to 30 minutes in total allowed for public questions (Standing Order 2(v)).

Item 4B. - under Standing Order 11.1, representations (statements) up to 3 minutes, with public speaking on any one item not exceeding 10 minutes. Up to 20 minutes in total allowed to receive representations (Standing Order 2(vi)).
Petitions – under Standing Order 11.2, present and speak to a petition for up to 1 minute.

Item 4C. – under Standing Order 12.8, questions on notice from Members will not exceed 1 minute and up to 2 minutes for a response.

Item 6 – under Standing Order 2(xii) the total time allowed for questions and answers on decisions of committees is up to 45 minute.

Under Standing Order 9 of the Council Procedure Rules:

The Mayor will adjourn the meeting for a period of ten minutes at a convenient time after one and a half hours.

Where three hours have elapsed after the commencement of any meeting (and in the case of an extraordinary meeting of Council when two hours have elapsed since commencement of the meeting) the Mayor shall interrupt the meeting and the Member speaking must immediately cease doing so and sit down. The meeting shall then dispose of the item then under consideration as if the motion '*That the question be now put*' had been carried (i.e. the debate shall be concluded by the seconder and by the Member who has the right of reply and the vote will then be taken without any further discussion). This rule will not apply to meetings of a quasi-judicial or regulatory nature.

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