COUNCIL

Monday, 9 October 2023

Present: The Civic Mayor (Councillor Jerry Williams) in the

Chair

Deputy Civic Mayor (Councillor Cherry Povall, JP)

Councillors A Ainsworth JE Green R Molyneux S Mountney C Baldwin EA Grev P Basnett B Hall K Murphy G Bennett A Hodson Murphy S Bennett K Hodson A Onwuemene R Pitt M Booth P Jobson S Powell-Wilde A Brame G Jenkinson H Cameron J Johnson Raymond C Carubia T Jones L Rennie C Cooke M Jordan M Redfern T Cox S Kelly J Robinson A Davies B Kenny M Skillicorn GJ Davies T Laing K Stuart G Davies E Lamb P Stuart S Foulkes L Luxon-Kewlev M Sullivan A Gardner P Martin E Tomeny P Gilchrist C McDonald Jason Walsh

G McManus

J McManus

V Wilson

33 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interests were made.

H Gorman

N Graham

34 CIVIC MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Jo Bird, Pat Cleary, Daisy Kenny, Judith Grier, Naomi Graham, Ian Lewis, James Stewart Laing, Jannette Williamson and Gill Wood.

35 HONORARY FREEDOM OF THE BOROUGH (POSTHUMOUS AWARD) GLENDA JACKSON

The Council considered a report from the Director of Law and Governance in respect to a proposal to admit posthumously, Glenda Jackson, as an Honorary Freewoman of the Borough.

The recommendation was in pursuance of the provisions of Section 249 (5) of the Local Government Act 1972 and in recognition of her dedicated service to the Borough, that Glenda Jackson be posthumously admitted as Honorary Freewoman of this Borough.

Several Councillors spoke of the achievements of Glenda Jackson, outlining her upbringing in Wirral before her move to London and the significant contributions she made to acting and politics.

Following the speeches from Councillors, it was -

Resolved (unanimously) – That in pursuance of the provisions of Section 249 (5) of the Local Government Act 1972, that Glenda Jackson be posthumously admitted as Honorary Freewoman of this Borough.