



## BLACKPOOL COUNCIL

Thursday, 4 May 2017

To: The Members of Blackpool Council

Madam Mayor, Ladies and Gentlemen

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of **Blackpool Council** to be held in the Council Chamber at the Town Hall, Blackpool on Monday, 15 May 2017 commencing at 2.00 pm for the transaction of the business specified below.

Head of Democratic Governance

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### **Business**

**1 THE ELECTION OF THE MAYOR OF THE COUNCIL**

To elect the Mayor of the Council.

**2 THE MAYOR'S ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE**

The Worshipful the Mayor to make a Declaration of Acceptance of the Corporate Office of Mayor.

**3 THE APPOINTMENT OF THE DEPUTY MAYOR OF THE COUNCIL**

To appoint a Deputy Mayor.

**4 THE DEPUTY MAYOR'S ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE**

The Deputy Mayor to make a Declaration of Acceptance of the Corporate Office of Deputy Mayor.

**5 THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS**

The Worshipful the Mayor to address the meeting.

**6 CONGRATULATIONS TO THE INCOMING MAYOR**

Councillors Blackburn and T Williams, followed by the Bürgermeisterin Monika Budke who will congratulate the new Mayor on behalf of the people of Bottrop.

**7 APPRECIATION TO THE EX-MAYOR**

To adopt a resolution of appreciation for the ex-Mayor (Councillor Kath Rowson).

**8 THE EX-MAYOR'S REPLY TO THE RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION**

The ex-Mayor (Councillor Kath Rowson) to reply to the resolution of appreciation.

**9 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING HELD ON 29 MARCH 2017** (Pages 1 - 4)

To agree the minutes of the last meeting held on 29 March 2017 as a true and correct record.

**10 ANNOUNCEMENTS**

To receive official announcements from the Mayor.

**11 APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES** (Pages 5 - 14)

The Council will be asked to consider the appointment of its committees, in accordance with the Council's Constitution and the Local Government Act 1972.

**12 SCHEME OF DELEGATION** (Pages 15 - 18)

The purpose of the report to agree the scheme of delegation or such part of it as the Constitution determines it is for the Council to agree.

**13 PROGRAMME OF COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS** (Pages 19 - 28)

The Council will be asked to consider a programme of meetings for the remainder of 2017 and the calendar year 2018.

**Venue information:**

First floor meeting room (lift available), accessible toilets (ground floor), no-smoking building.

**Other information:**

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