BLACKPOOL COUNCIL



Friday, 14 May 2021

To: The Members of Blackpool Council

Lady 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, 24 May 2021 commencing at 6.00 pm for the transaction of the business specified below.

Director of Governance and Partnerships

Howl Yews

Business

1 APPOINTMENT OF MAYOR

To appoint the Mayor for the 2021/2021 Municipal Year.

2 APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY MAYOR

To appoint the Deputy Mayor for the 2021/2021 Municipal Year.

3 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are asked to declare any interests in the items under consideration and in doing so state:

- (1) the type of interest concerned either a
 - (a) personal interest
 - (b) prejudicial interest
 - (c) disclosable pecuniary interest (DPI)

and

(2) the nature of the interest concerned

If any member requires advice on declarations of interests, they are advised to contact the Head of Democratic Governance in advance of the meeting.

4 ANNOUNCEMENTS

5 RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE AND MINUTE'S SILENCE

This Council and the people of Blackpool were deeply saddened to learn since its last meeting of the sad deaths of former Councillor Barry Cresswell and the former Democratic Services Manager, Mr Richard Ainsley

The Lady Mayor will also pay tribute to Jordan Banks on behalf of the Council and the residents of Blackpool.

Group Leaders/ representatives will be asked to pay tribute.

The Lady Mayor will then move the following resolution of condolence.

"The Council sends its deepest sympathy to the families and friends of former Councillor Barry Cresswell, Mr Richard Ainsley and Jordan Banks for their loss. With regard to former Councillor Barry Cresswell and Mr Richard Ainsley the Council places on record its recognition of their dedication of service to the Borough."

Following the passing of this resolution, Council will then hold a minute's silence, as a mark of respect.

6 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING HELD ON 8 MARCH 2021 (Pages 1 - 8)

To agree the minutes of the last meeting held on 8 March 2021 as a true and correct record.

7 SCRUTINY LEAD MEMBER (Pages 9 - 14)

To consider the re-appointment of a Lead Member for Scrutiny.

8 APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES (Pages 15 - 24)

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.

9 **PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS 2021/2022** (Pages 25 - 34)

The Council will be asked to consider a programme of meetings for 2021/2022 and to note provisional meeting dates from May to December 2022.

10 SCHEME OF DELEGATION/CHANGES TO THE CONSTITUTION (Pages 35 - 36)

The purpose of the report to agree the scheme of delegation.

The Council to consider awarding the Blackpool Medal posthumously to former Councillors Peter Callow and Lily Henderson MBE.

Venue information:

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

Other information:

For queries regarding this agenda please contact Yvonne Burnett, Democratic Governance Senior Adviser, Tel: (01253) 477034, e-mail yvonne.burnett@blackpool.gov.uk

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