MINUTES OF
CEREMONIAL COUNCIL

Friday, 19 May 2017
(7:54 - 8:00 pm)

PRESENT

Cllr Eileen Keller (Chair)
Cllr Syed Ghani (Deputy Chair)

Cllr Syed Ahammad  Cllr Saima Ashraf  Cllr Sanchia Alasia  Cllr Jeanne Alexander
Cllr Sade Bright  Cllr Abdul Aziz  Cllr Laila M. Butt  Cllr Simon Bremner
Cllr Faruk Choudhury  Cllr Edna Fergus  Cllr Rocky Gill  Cllr Peter Chand
Cllr Cameron Geddes  Cllr Elizabeth Kangethe  Cllr Giasuddin Miah  Cllr Kashif Haroon
Cllr Amardeep Singh Jamu  Cllr Tony Ramsay  Cllr Dave Miles
Cllr Mick McCarthy  Cllr Adegboyega Oluwole  Cllr Daniella Lawrence  Cllr Moin Quadri
Cllr James Ogungbose  Cllr Tony Ramsay  Cllr Chris Rice
Cllr Lynda Rice  Cllr Darren Rodwell  Cllr Faraaz Shaukat
Cllr Danielle Smith  Cllr Sam Tarry  Cllr Dominic Twomey
Cllr John White  Cllr Maureen Worby  Cllr Dan Young

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Cllr Evelyn Carpenter  Cllr Josephine Channer  Cllr Chris Hughes
Cllr Jane Jones  Cllr Margaret Mullane  Cllr Bill Turner
Cllr Jeff Wade  Cllr Phil Waker

5. Declaration of Members' Interests

There were no declarations of interest.

6. Confer the Title of Honorary Freedom of the Borough

The Chair advised that a special meeting of the Ceremonial Council had been called in order to confer honorary titles for Freedom of the Borough under section 249 of the Local Government Act 1972.

The Leader moved that Lesley Hawes be conferred with the title Honorary Freeman of the Borough. The motion was seconded by Councillor Ashraf and in pursuance of section 249(5) of the Local Government Act 1972, the Ceremonial Council resolved to admit Lesley Hawes to be an Honorary Freeman of the Borough.

The Leader moved that Jon Gildersleeve be conferred with the title Honorary Freeman of the Borough. The motion was seconded by Councillor Twomey and in pursuance of section 249(5) of the Local Government Act 1972, the Ceremonial Council resolved to admit Jon Gildersleeve to be an Honorary Freeman of the Borough.
7. **Confer the Title of Honorary Aldermen of the Borough**

The Chair advised that nominations would now be made in order to confer honorary titles for Aldermen of the Borough under section 249 of the Local Government Act 1972.

Councillor Twomey moved that Roy Patient be conferred with the title Honorary Alderman of the Borough. The motion was seconded by Councillor Rodwell and in pursuance of section 249(1) of the Local Government Act 1972, the Ceremonial Council **resolved** to confer the title of Honorary Alderman on Roy Patient.

Councillor Rai moved that Inder Singh Jamu be conferred with the title Honorary Alderman of the Borough. The motion was seconded by Councillor White and in pursuance of section 249(1) of the Local Government Act 1972, the Ceremonial Council **resolved** to confer the title of Honorary Alderman on Inder Singh Jamu.