

ASSEMBLY

Wednesday, 11 October 2006
(8:12 - 8:15 pm)

PRESENT

Councillor J Davis (Chair)
Councillor W F L Barns (Deputy Chair)

Councillor A Agrawal	Councillor J L Alexander
Councillor R W Bailey	Councillor Mrs S J Baillie
Councillor R J Barnbrook	Councillor G J Bramley
Councillor R J Buckley	Councillor Ms E Carpenter
Councillor S Carroll	Councillor H J Collins
Councillor J R Denyer	Councillor R W Doncaster
Councillor C J Fairbrass	Councillor M A R Fani
Councillor Mrs K J Flint	Councillor S S Gill
Councillor D Hemmett	Councillor Mrs D Hunt
Councillor J K Jarvis	Councillor S Kallar
Councillor Mrs C A Knight	Councillor Miss T A Lansdown
Councillor M A McCarthy	Councillor J E McDermott
Councillor M E McKenzie	Councillor Mrs P A Northover
Councillor W W Northover	Councillor E O Obasohan
Councillor B Poulton	Councillor Mrs L A Reason
Councillor Mrs V M Rush	Councillor Miss N E Smith
Councillor J Steed	Councillor D A Tuffs
Councillor Mrs P A Twomey	Councillor G M Vincent
Councillor L R Waker	Councillor P T Waker
Councillor Mrs M M West	

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Councillor N Connelly	Councillor Miss C L Doncaster
Councillor Mrs S A Doncaster	Councillor N S S Gill
Councillor I S Jamu	Councillor R C Little
Councillor Mrs J E Rawlinson	Councillor L Rustem
Councillor L A Smith	Councillor J R White

53. Declaration of Members' Interests

There were no declarations of interest

54. Appointment of Honorary Alderman of the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham

Received a report seeking approval to appoint former Councillor Frederick Jones as an Honorary Alderman for the Borough.

Frederick Jones had served as a Councillor for 42 years, and until the recent local election in May 2006, he was the longest serving current Member, having been elected to the Council in 1964. He was appointed Freeman of the Borough in 1985 and was Mayor for the municipal year 1990/1991.

During his time on the Council, Mr Jones was Chairman of the Libraries Committee, Vice-Chairman of the Education Committee and served on various committees, including General Purposes, Leisure and Amenities, Policy Advisory and the Dagenham Town Show. He also served on many external organisations, including the Barking Arts Council, Barking and Dagenham Voluntary Service Association, Barking and Dagenham Old Peoples Welfare, Barking and Gospel Oak Line Committee, Becontree Widows Club, Barking Operatic Society, Abbeyfield (Barking) Society, Cloud House (Abbeyfield Home) Management Committee and the Witten Association.

Agreed, to the appointment of Frederick Jones as an Honorary Alderman of the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham in recognition of his outstanding service to the Council.