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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL HELD ON 18 DECEMBER 2019 AT 6.00 pm

Attendance:

The Mayor (in the Chair)

Councillors Mitchell, Hook, Ms Ballard, Bateman, Mrs Batty, Beavis, Burgess, Carter, Chegwyn, Mrs Cully, Earle, Farr, Mrs Furlong, Mrs Hook, Mrs Huggins, Hylands, Jessop, Mrs Jones, Miss Kelly, Mrs Morgan, Murphy, Philpott, Mrs Prickett, Raffaelli, Scard, Blackman, Casey, Hammond, Herridge, Hutchison, Johnston, Pepper and Westerby

Also in attendance: Honorary Alderman Dickson and Honorary Alderman Kimber.

APOLOGIES

Apologies for inability to attend the meeting were received from Councillor Foster-Reed and Honorary Freeman O'Neill.

MINUTES

COUNCIL RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 9 October 2019 be confirmed and signed.

MAYOR'S COMMUNICATIONS.

The Mayor invited Sarah Hiron to address the Council and present a certificate for the Borough's renewed 'Fairtrade Status'.

The Mayor congratulated Debbie Gore on her appointment as Assistant to the chief Executive.

The Mayor also advised that the open doors project supporting the homeless would be being held in January and that a fundraising fashion show would be held on the 24 January at HMS Sultan.

DEPUTATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH STANDING ORDER NO 3.4 AND PUBLIC QUESTIONS PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER NO 3.5

There were none

QUESTIONS (IF ANY) PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER NO 3.3.

There were none.

CONSIDERATION OF RECOMMENDATIONS BY BOARDS OF THE COUNCIL:

PROPOSALS FOR THE REVIEW OF POLLING DISTRICTS AND POLLING PLACES

Consideration was given to a recommendation by the Policy and Organisation Board at its meeting held on 20 November 2019.

COUNCIL RESOLVED:

That the changes as set out in the report be approved.

TO RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING PART II MINUTES OF THE BOARDS OF THE COUNCIL:

COUNCIL RESOLVED: That the following Part II Minutes be received:

- Economic Development Board: 13 November 2019
- Policy and Organisation Board : 20 November 2019

The Meeting concluded at 6.20 pm

The Mayor.