

Constitutional and Nomination Committee

Date:Tuesday 17 May 2011Time:10.00amVenue:Committee Room 11, Level 1, Town Hall

Everyone is welcome to attend this committee meeting.

Membership of the Committee

Councillors -

J. Battle, Burns, Curley (Chair), Karney, Leese, Hassan, S. Murphy, Shannon, Watson, Wheale and Whitmore

Agenda

1 Urgent business

To consider any items which the Chair has agreed to have submitted as urgent.

2 Appeals

To consider any appeals from the public against refusal to allow inspection of background documents and/or the inclusion of items in the confidential part of the agenda.

3 Interests

To allow Members an opportunity to [a] declare any personal or prejudicial interests they might have in any items which appear on this agenda; and [b] record any items from which they are precluded from voting as a result of Council Tax/Council rent arrears. Members with a personal interest should declare that interest at the start of the item under consideration. If members also have a prejudicial interest they must withdraw from the meeting during the consideration of the item.

4 Minutes

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 30 March 2011 (enclosed)

5 Admission to the Roll of Honorary Aldermen

To consider, and if deemed appropriate, to recommend to Council that a special meeting of the City Council be convened on 13 July for the purpose of adopting a resolution, to be proposed by the Lord Mayor and seconded by the Deputy Lord Mayor, that Mr Peter Morrison is admitted as an Honorary Alderman of the City of Manchester in recognition of the long and eminent service that he has rendered to the Council, and thereafter to install Mr Morrison as an Honorary Alderman.

6 Membership of Committees 2011/12; appointment of Chairs and members of Committees.

(Report of City Solicitor)

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8 Appointment of Lead Members

The Lead members previously appointed are as follows:

Gay Men	Councillor Fairweather
Disabled people	Councillor M. Murphy
Lesbians	Councillor M. Murphy
Race	Councillor Rahman
Women	Councillor Richards
Valuing Older People	Councillor Cooley
City Centre	Councillor Karney
Inter-generational	Councillor R. Battle

Information about the Committee

Everybody is welcome to attend Council and Committee meetings in Manchester.

The Constitutional and Nomination Committee deals with the appointment of councillors to serve on committees and certain external organisations.

The Committee also considers proposed changes to the Council Constitution and recommendations for the granting of civic honours to individuals and organisations. Business for consideration at a meeting is set out on the agenda sheet.

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Further Information

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