



Yeovil Town Council

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The Meeting... **Yeovil Town Council**

The Time... **6.00pm**

The Date... **Tuesday 29 June 2010**

The Place... **Town House, 19 Union Street, Yeovil**

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Alan Tawse

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Town Clerk

23 June 2010

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Andrew Kendall

Ruth Kendall

Tony Lock

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David Recardo

Alan Smith

A G E N D A

Public Comment (15 Minutes)

1. MINUTES

To confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the previous meeting held on 1 June 2010.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

4. JOHN CRUDDAS

Under the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended), town councils are empowered to confer the title of “honorary freeman” or “honorary freewoman” on persons of distinction and persons who have, in the opinion of the council, rendered eminent services to the local area.

In accordance with the Act, the Town Council needs to convene a meeting specially for the purpose with notice of the object, and a resolution needs to be passed by not less than two-thirds of the members voting thereon conferring the title on such persons.

In May 2010, Cllr John Cruddas stood down from the Town Council for health reasons after almost 37 years service.

During his time on the Town Council and its predecessor authority, John served as Mayor on three separate occasions and, earlier this month, the Town Council agreed to hold a special meeting of the Town Council for the purpose of considering the admittance of John Cruddas to the Roll of Honorary Freemen of the Town of Yeovil.

It was further agreed that any such honour bestowed on John be presented to him at an informal gathering ahead of the July meeting of the Town Council.

The Policy, Resources and Finance Committee have unanimously recommended (nem con) that John be made an Honorary Freeman of the Town of Yeovil in recognition of his eminent services to the local area.

The Town Council is **RECOMMENDED** to consider this proposal.

(Alan Tawse, Town Clerk – 01935 382424)

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