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Decision Taker: Cabinet

**Appropriate Scrutiny Committee:** Management Scrutiny Commttee

# Date decision in force:

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### Full description of decision:

To recommend to the Council to: - (i) agree to confer, in accordance with the provisions of Section 249 of the Local Government Act 1972, the Honorary Freedom of the City upon Mr John Mawston, Sir Bob Murray CBE and Sir Peter Vardy, and (ii) authorise the Chief Executive in consultation with the Leader of the Council, to agree all appropriate arrangements for the formal ceremony at an extraordinary meeting of the Council to be held on 14th October 2011.

#### Reasons for decision:

The proposal will formally recognise the outstanding contributions made by Mr John Mawston, Sir Bob Murray CBE and Sir Peter Vardy to the well being and community spirit of the City.

### Alternative options considered and rejected:

There are no alternative options submitted for consideration, as the conferring of honorary freedoms is considered to be appropriate in order to recognise the outstanding contributions made by the nominated individuals.

# Title and author(s) of written report:

Honorary Freedom of the City - Joint report of the Chief Executive and the Executive Director of Commercial and Corporate Services

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Is this a key decision: No

### **Does the Decision contain Confidential/Exempt Information:** No

**Declarations of Interest and Dispensations:** None