## **Sunderland City Council**

At an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of SUNDERLAND CITY COUNCIL held in the CIVIC CENTRE, SUNDERLAND on FRIDAY 7 MARCH 2014 at 2.00p.m.

Present:- The Mayor (Councillor Heron) in the Chair

Councillors	Allan Bell Blackburn Bonallie Curran Dixon Francis E. Gibson P. Gibson Gofton Jackson	Kay Kelly Lawson Macknight L. Martin T. Martin Mordey Oliver Porthouse Price Richardson	Scanlon Scott P. Smith D. Snowdon D.E. Snowdon Speding Tate Thompson D. Trueman H. Trueman	Turton Wakefield P. Watson S. Watson Williams A. Wilson Wiper Wood N. Wright Wright, T.H.
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The Notice convening the meeting was read.

The Deputy Mayor offered prayers on behalf of those present.

## **Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest.

## **Apologies for Absence**

Apologies for Absence were submitted to the meeting on behalf of Councillors Anderson, Atkinson, Ball, Copeland, Ellis, Emerson, Errington, Farr, Foster,Lauchlan, McClennan, Maddison, Marshall, F. Miller, G. Miller, Padgett, Scaplehorn, Shattock, D. Smith, Taylor, Tye, Walker, Waller and D. Wilson.

## Freedom of the City – Mr Trevor Mann, CBE – Report of the Chief Executive

The Chief Executive submitted a report (copy circulated) inviting the Council to formally confer the Honorary Freedom of the City upon Mr Trevor Mann, CBE.

The Mayor extended a warm welcome to all present at the meeting.

It was then moved by Councillor P Watson, and duly seconded by Councillor Oliver, that that the Council formally confer the Honorary Freedom of the City upon Mr Trevor Mann, CBE. Councillor Wakefield also spoke to the motion. On being put to the meeting the motion was unanimously agreed and it was :-

47. RESOLVED that in pursuance of the provisions of Section 249(5) of the Local Government Act 1972 the Council do confer the Honorary Freedom of the City on Mr Trevor Mann, CBE as a token of the honour and esteem in which he is held by the citizens of Sunderland and in recognition of the example of achievement he sets to the city's young people, and his personal contribution to the economic well being of the city and people of Sunderland.

Mr Mann then signed the Roll of Honorary Freemen of the City.

The Mayor then presented Mr Mann with an illuminated copy of the Council's resolution.

Mr Mann responded appropriately.

The Mayor then thanked everyone for their attendance and closed the meeting.

(Signed) R. HERON, Mayor.