

## SALFORD CITY COUNCIL

30 October, 2019

Meeting commenced: 2.00 p.m.  
“ ended: 2.45 p.m.

PRESENT: Councillor Charlie McIntyre - Ceremonial Mayor and Chair

Mr Paul Dennett - City Mayor

Councillors Derek Antrobus, Sharmina August, Samantha Bellamy, Barbara Bentham, Paula Boshell, Tanya Burch, Jim Cammell, Jillian Collinson, Jim Dawson Stuart Dickman, Laura Edwards, Heather Fletcher, Karen Garrido, Robin Garrido, Jane Hamilton, Bill Hinds, Ann-Marie Humphreys, David Jolley, Tracy Kelly, Jim King, David Lancaster, Kate Lewis, Mike McCusker, Lewis Nelson, Wilson Nkurinziza, Gina Reynolds, Neil Reynolds, Arnold Saunders, Madeline Wade, Joan Walsh, John Warmisham, Barry Warner and Ronnie Wilson.

### 34 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were submitted on behalf of Councillors, Michele Barnes, Adrian Brocklehurst, Joshua Brooks, Bob Clarke, Stephen Coen, Peter Connor, Richard Critchley, Roger Jones, Ari Leitner, Sophia Linden, Ray Mashiter, John Merry, Margaret Morris, John Mullen, Robert Sharpe, Les Turner, Ray Walker, John Walsh, Darren Ward and Michael Wheeler.

### 35. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

### 36. HONORARY FREEMAN OF THE CITY OF SALFORD - BENJAMIN WALLSWORTH

Councillor Bill Hinds moved a motion, seconded by Councillor Barry Warner, which proposed Benjamin Wallsworth MBE, MM, be admitted as a Honorary Freeman of the City of Salford, in recognition of his long distinguished career as an elected representative on Salford City Council, particularly his vision and contribution with regard to the City's urban regeneration and the preservation of its greenspace.

The Ceremonial Mayor, The City Mayor, Councillor Derek Antrobus, Councillor Karen Garrido and Councillor David Jolley all added their support for the motion, together with personal tributes to the contribution Benjamin Wallsworth had made to Salford and its citizens

RESOLVED: THAT Benjamin Wallsworth MBE, MM, be admitted as a Honorary Freeman of the City of Salford.

Jim Taylor, the Chief Executive, then asked Benjamin Wallsworth to sign the declaration confirming his acceptance, before presenting him with an illuminated scroll and medal granting him the Honorary Freedom of the City of Salford and finally inviting him to make an acceptance speech, which he duly did.