

**COUNCIL MEETING  
17th April, 2013**

Present:- The Mayor (Councillor Dave Pickering) (in the Chair); Councillors Ahmed, Akhtar, Ali, Andrews, Astbury, Atkin, Barron, Beaumont, Beck, Buckley, Burton, Clark, Currie, Dalton, Dodson, Donaldson, Doyle, Ellis, Falvey, Foden, Gilding, Godfrey, Gosling, Goulty, J. Hamilton, N. Hamilton, Havenhand, Hoddinott, Hussain, Kaye, Lakin, Lelliott, Mannion, McNeely, Middleton, Pitchley, Read, Robinson, Roche, Roddison, Rushforth, G. A. Russell, P. A. Russell, R. S. Russell, Sangster, Sharman, Sims, Smith, Steele, Stone, Swift, Wallis, Watson, Whelbourn, Whysall, Wootton and Wyatt.

**A98 COUNCIL MINUTES**

Resolved:- That the minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2013, be approved for signature by the Mayor.

Mover: Councillor Stone

Seconder:- Councillor Akhtar

**A99 FREEMEN OF THE BOROUGH**

Consideration was given to the granting of the Honour of Freedom of the Borough.

Resolved unanimously:-

That, pursuant to Section 249(5) of the Local Government Act, 1972 the following persons, who has rendered eminent service to the Borough, be admitted as Honorary Freemen of the Borough and arrangements be made to present this Honour:-

Lieutenant Commander Allen Dixon (SCC) RNR  
Brian Chapple  
Stephen Douglas Smith, MBE

Mover:- Councillor Stone

Seconder:- Councillor Akhtar