

MINUTES OF MEETING Full Council HELD ON Monday, 10th January, 2022, 6.45-7pm

PRESENT:

Councillors: Peray Ahmet, Dhiren Basu, Zena Brabazon, Luke Cawley-Harrison, Julie Davies, Erdal Dogan, Ruth Gordon, Emine Ibrahim, Adam Jogee (Mayor), Peter Mitchell, Liz Morris, Tammy Palmer, Sheila Peacock, Reg Rice, Viv Ross, Yvonne Say and Sarah Williams

47. FILMING AT MEETINGS

The Mayor welcomed attendees to the extraordinary meeting of Full Council at Tottenham Green Leisure Centre. He continued to set out the protocol for filming at meetings and provided information on the covid safety measures in place. This was noted by attendees.

48. TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

The Chief Executive announced that due to the rising Covid infection rates, the political group leaders had agreed to a quorum only meeting and the following councillors provided apologies:

Cllr Adamou

Cllr Adje

Cllr James

Cllr Chiriyankandath

Cllr Moyeed

Cllr B Blake

Cllr M Blake

Cllr Ejiofor

Cllr Opoku

Cllr White

Cllr Gunes

Cllr Tabois

Cllr Amin

Cllr Bevan
Cllr Carroll
Cllr Chandwani
Cllr Demir
Cllr Carlin
Cllr Weston
Cllr Hakata
Cllr Adje
Cllr Bull
Cllr Stennett
Cllr James
Cllr da Costa
Cllr Dixon
Cllr Rossetti
Cllr Chenot
Cllr Hinchcliffe
Cllr Barnes
Cllr Berryman
Cllr Dennison
Cllr Hare
Cllr Connor
Cllr Emery
Cllr Ogiehor
Cllr Culverwell
Cllr Hearn
Cllr Stone
Cllr das Neves
Cllr Diakides
Cllr Tucker

49. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest put forward.

50. TO CONSIDER REQUESTS TO RECEIVE DEPUTATIONS AND/OR PETITIONS AND, IF APPROVED, TO RECEIVE THEM

There were no deputations relating to the item on the agenda.

51. TO RECEIVE REPORTS FROM THE FOLLOWING BODIES

Cllr Basu, Chair of the Staffing and Remuneration Committee moved the report and recommendations and it was:

RESOLVED

To approve the appointment of Andy Donald to the to the post of Chief Executive and Head of Paid Service as outlined in the attached report.

The Mayor, Leader of the Council, and the Leader of the Opposition, welcomed Andy Donald to Haringey Council.

There were speeches of thanks and appreciation to the outgoing Chief Executive, Zina Etheridge, from the Leader of the Council, Leader of the Opposition, Cllr Mitchell, Cllr Morris, Cllr Gordon, Cllr Dogan, and Cllr Williams.

They spoke about the outgoing Chief Executive's :

- contribution to the borough,
- operational leadership of the Council,
- personal support to councillors,
- wider leadership role in London,
- changes and modernisation of services,
- leadership response to pandemic in the last two years where there were unprecedented challenges,
- support to staff and vulnerable residents,
- direct support for the members,
- strong LGBT plus community ally,
- delivery and management of services,
- visits to wards,
- role as an excellent public servant,
- leadership of the recovery agenda,
- managed significant food provision operation in the lockdown,
- dedication and commitment to local communities,
- improvements to Children's services and having social workers in schools
- establishment of in - house team for building homes,
- maintenance of all green flags in parks.

The Mayor made the closing speech, and thanked Zina Etheridge for her service to the community and presented her with a small gift of a shield of the London Borough of Haringey.

There was a round of applause.

The Chief Executive responded to the speeches, expressing that Haringey was an amazing place, with an amazing staff base and the achievements over the last 8 years had been a collective one.

She wished the Council all the best in continuing to improve the borough for residents.

CHAIR:

Signed by Chair

Date