



Leicester
City Council

At a SPECIAL meeting of the LEICESTER CITY COUNCIL held at the Town Hall at FIVE O'CLOCK in the afternoon on Thursday, 14 MAY 2026 duly convened for the business hereunder mentioned.

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BUSINESS

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1. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**
2. **APPOINTMENT OF HONORARY ALDERMAN**

PRESENT:

TERESA ALDRED - LORD MAYOR

SIR PETER SOULSBY – CITY MAYOR

Abbey Ward

Nags Agath

Aylestone Ward

Scott-Kennedy-Lount

Beaumont Leys Ward

Hazel Orton
Hemant Rae Bhatia
Paul Westley

Belgrave Ward

Shital Adatia
Yogesh Chauhan
Jaiantilal Gopal

Braunstone Park and Rowley Fields Ward

Sue Barton
Elaine Halford
Kulwinder Singh Johal

Castle Ward

Patrik Kitterick
Liz Sahu

Evington Ward

Deepak Bajaj
Zuffar Haq
Jenny Joannou

Eyres Monsell Ward

Elaine Pantling
Karen Pickering

Fosse Ward

North Evington Ward

Dilip Joshi
Ravi Mahesh
Sanjay Modhwadia

Rushey Mead Ward

Bhupen Dave
Geeta Karavadra
Devi Singh Patel

Saffron Ward

Ted Cassidy
Elly Cutkelvin

Spinney Hills Ward

Misbah Batool
Mustafa Malik

Stoneygate Ward

Raffiq Moosa Mohammed
Aasiya Bora
Yasmin Surti

Thurncourt Ward

Teresa Aldred
Abdul Osman

Troon Ward

Diane Cank
Mohinder Singh Sangha

Westcotes Ward

Adam Clarke

Western Ward

Susan Waddington

George Cole
Vi Dempster
Molly O'Neill

Humberstone and Hamilton Ward

Stephen Bonham
Ashiedu Joel
Manjit Kaur Saini

Wycliffe Ward

Hanif Aqbany
Mohammed Dawood

Knighton Ward

Mellissa March
Lynn Moore
Geoff Whittle

1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

2. APPOINTMENT OF HONORARY ALDERMAN

Note

Section 249 of the Local Government Act 1972 allows the City Council to “confer the title of Honorary Alderman on persons who have, in the opinion of the Council, rendered eminent services to the Council as past Members of that Council but who are not then Councillors of the Council.” Such a decision must be made by a resolution passed by not less than two thirds of the Members voting thereon at a special meeting of the Council.

Council considered a nominations for Appointment of Honorary Alderman.

Councillor Rae Bhatia, seconded by Councillor Dave moved:-

“In accordance with the provisions of Section 249 of the Local Government Act 1972, and by virtue of the Council’s policy agreed on 19th February 2019, that former Councillor Kiritkumar Doshi be appointed as an Honorary Alderman of the Leicester City Council.”

The Lord Mayor put the motion to vote and declared the motion carried.

Council considered a second nomination for Appointment of Honorary Alderman.

Proposed by Councillor Kitterick, seconded by Councillor Sahu moved:

“In accordance with the provisions of Section 249 of the Local Government Act 1972, and by virtue of the Council’s policy agreed on 19th February 2019, that former Councillor Lucy Chaplin be appointed as an Honorary Alderman of the Leicester City Council.”

The Lord Mayor put the motion to vote and declared the motion carried.

The Lord Mayor declared the Special Council meeting closed and proceed to the Annual Council meeting.