# **Minutes**

# OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE LONDON BOROUGH OF BARNET

held at Hendon Town Hall, The Burroughs, NW4 4BG, on 21 January 2014

### PRESENT:-

The Worshipful the Mayor (Councillor Melvin Cohen LLB)
The Deputy Mayor (Councillor Bridget Perry)

#### Councillors:

Maureen Braun Anne Hutton Kate Salinger Gill Sargeant Andreas Ioannidis Anita Campbell Pauline Coakley Webb Geoffrey Johnson Brian Schama Dean Cohen Julie Johnson Alan Schneiderman **David Longstaff** Jack Cohen Daniel Seal Brian Coleman John Marshall Mark Shooter **Geof Cooke** Kath McGuirk Agnes Slocombe Ansuya Sodha Alison Cornelius Arjun Mittra Stephen Sowerby **Richard Cornelius** Alison Moore Andrew Strongolou Barry Evangeli Graham Old Charlie O'Macauley Andreas Tambourides Claire Farrier Wendy Prentice **Anthony Finn** Joanna Tambourides Eva Greenspan **Barry Rawlings** Reuben Thompstone Hugh Rayner **Andrew Harper** Jim Tierney Helena Hart Colin Rogers **Darrel Yawitch** Lisa Rutter John Hart Ross Houston Brian Salinger

# Apologies for Absence

Councillor Alex Brodkin
Councillor Tom Davey
Councillor Brian Gordon
Councillor Sury Khatri
Councillor Sachin Rajput
Councillor Robert Rams
Councillor Joan Scannell
Councillor Daniel Thomas

Councillor Lord Palmer Councillor Rowan Quigley Turner

Councillor Susette Palmer Councillor Zakia Zubairi

# 1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None were declared.

# 2. NELSON MANDELA - COUNCILLOR ALISON MOORE

Councillor Alison Moore moved the Opposition Business item in her name. Councillors Brian Coleman and Richard Cornelius moved their amendments. Debate ensued. Upon being put to the vote the amendment in the name of Councillor Brian Coleman was

declared lost. Upon being put to the vote the amendment in the name of Councillor Richard Cornelius was declared carried. Upon being put to the vote substantive Business Item as amended by Councillor Richard Cornelius was declared carried.

RESOLVED - Council is proud of the inspirational work of Nelson Mandela in fighting racism and injustice. Council particularly notes his visionary example of forgiveness and lack of bitterness after 27 years in prison.

Council commits to seeking a sponsor to fund an annual memorial lecture to be held on the anniversary of his death and will actively encourage young people from across Barnet's diverse community to attend and participate.

The meeting finished at 6.43 pm