

# Civic Working Party

## Minutes

Tuesday, 15 October 2013 at 11:00

### **Attendees:**

Mr John Burroughs (Member), Mr Barry Coleman (Member), Mrs Marlene Fairhead (Member), Mrs Sylvia Pratt (Member), Mrs Colleen Walker (Member)

### **Apologies for Absence:**

[no attendance published]

### **Absent:**

No Members Absent

Also in attendance at the above meeting were:

Councillor Wainwright (attended as an observer), Councillor Plant (attended as an observer).

Alan Carr (Tourism Manager), Robin Hodds (Cabinet Secretary), Laura Goodman (Events Officer) and Karline Smith (Senior Member Services Officer).

### **1 Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest.

### **2 Honorary Aldermen**

The Working Party considered the Cabinet Secretary's report and it was agreed that 1.2 e of the criteria would be deleted.

RESOLVED:

That the criteria for Honorary Alderman be endorsed with the removal of 1.2 e.

### **3 Any other business**

(i) Freedom of the Borough

The Working Party were asked to consider the following wording:-

"Freedom of the Borough will be considered to individuals/groups who have given outstanding eminent service to the borough over a significant period of years."

It was pointed out that this is the highest accolade that the Council can give to anyone.

RESOLVED:

That the above wording be agreed.

(ii) High Stewards

It was reported that the Council would like to have a plaque installed in the Town Hall foyer to list past High Stewards of Great Yarmouth, along with an interpretation board underneath to explain what a high steward is.

The meeting ended at: 11:29