

YEOVIL TOWN COUNCIL

MINUTES of the **ANNUAL MEETING OF YEOVIL TOWN COUNCIL** held in the Sanctuary, Yeovil Baptist Church, South Street, Yeovil on **Tuesday 7 May 2013**

(8.30pm to 9.10pm)

Present:

Clive Davis – Mayor	Dave Greene
Peter Brock	John Hann
Kris Castle	Andrew Kendall
Philip Chandler	Mike Lock
Bridget Dollard	Tony Lock
David Dollard	Wes Read
Tony Fife	Manny Roper
Jon Gleeson	Darren Shutler
	Alan Smith

Also present:

Alan Tawse - Town Clerk

8/322 ELECTION OF MAYOR OF YEOVIL TOWN – 2013/14

Clive Davis, Mayor of Yeovil, called for nominations for the office of Mayor of Yeovil Town for 2013/14.

It was proposed by Kris Castle, and seconded by Bridget Dollard that Manny Roper be elected as Mayor of Yeovil Town.

(At this point Manny Roper left the meeting).

Kris Castle and then Bridget Dollard spoke in support of the nomination.

RESOLVED

that Manny Roper be elected to serve as Mayor of Yeovil Town for the ensuing year.

(At this point, the meeting was adjourned).

Manny Roper returned to the meeting, which was reconvened, and then made and signed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

8/323 ELECTION OF DEPUTY MAYOR OF YEOVIL TOWN – 2013/14

The Mayor called for nominations for the office of Deputy Mayor of Yeovil Town for 2013/14.

It was proposed by Andrew Kendall and seconded by Tony Lock that Mike Lock be elected as Deputy Mayor of Yeovil Town.

(At this point Mike Lock left the meeting).

Andrew Kendall and then Tony Lock spoke in support of the nomination.

RESOLVED

that Mike Lock be elected to serve as Deputy Mayor of Yeovil Town for the ensuing year.

Mike Lock returned to the meeting and then made and signed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

8/324 **ADDRESS BY THE WORSHIPFUL MAYOR OF YEOVIL TOWN – MANNY ROPER**

The Mayor paid tribute to the exceptional work that the former Mayor, Clive Davis had undertaken over the past year, and thanked him for the help, support and guidance that he had given him over this time whilst he had carried out the role of Deputy Mayor. He also thanked the former Mayoress, Sally Davis for her contribution.

He then thanked his Town Council colleagues for their confidence and support in electing him as Mayor for the forthcoming year and paid tribute to the ongoing support that he had been given by his wife, family and friends and the people of Yeovil in carrying out his civic duties.

He indicated that he looked forward to working with all the members and staff of the Town Council in 2013/14 and pledged his intention to continue working with all organisations and agencies in the Town for the benefit of Yeovil.

He then announced that the Mayor's Chaplain for the forthcoming year would be Pastor Keith Stevens, and that the role of Mayor's Cadet would be shared by Oliver Harmer and Luke Merry. He then presented both cadets with sashes and specially commissioned name badges incorporating the Town Crest.

He added that the Mayor's charity for 2013/14 would be the Flying Colours Appeal and, at the Mayor's invitation, representatives of the charity gave a brief presentation on its aims and objectives.

8/325 **ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING**

It was proposed, duly seconded and

RESOLVED

that the meeting be adjourned until 7.30pm on Tuesday 14 May 2013 in the Council Chamber, Town House, 19 Union Street, Yeovil.

Mayor