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The Meeting... **Yeovil Town Council**

The Time... **7.30pm**

The Date... **Tuesday 7 January 2014**

The Place... **Town House, 19 Union Street, Yeovil**

The Town Council will be discussing all the items listed overleaf

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Alan Tawse

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Town Clerk

20 December 2013

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YEOVIL TOWN COUNCIL

Manny Roper – Mayor of Yeovil

Mike Lock – Deputy Mayor

Martin Bailey

Peter Brock

Kris Castle

J Vincent Chainey

Philip Chandler

Tristan Cobb

Leah Cross

Clive Davis

Bridget Dollard

David Dollard

Tony Fife

Jon Gleeson

David Greene

Peter Gubbins

John Hann

Kaysar Hussain

Andrew Kendall

Tony Lock

Wes Read

David Recardo

Darren Shutler

Alan Smith

Equality Act 2010

The *general* public sector equality duty places an obligation on a wide range of public bodies (including town and parish councils) in the exercise of their functions to have due regard to the need to:

- Eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation and other conduct prohibited by the Act
- Advance equality of opportunity between people who share a protected characteristic and those who do not
- Foster good relations between people who share a protected characteristic and those who do not

The protected characteristics are:

Age

Disability

Gender Reassignment

Marriage and Civil Partnership

Pregnancy and Maternity

Race

Religion or Belief

Sex

Sexual Orientation

Prior to the start of the meeting, Members are invited to join the Mayor's Chaplain in the Council Chamber at 7.25pm for prayers.

A G E N D A

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS COMPETITION

The Mayor will present a trophy to the winner of the Town Council's annual Christmas Lights Competition and commemorative shields to the two runners-up.

Public Comment (15 Minutes)

1. MINUTES

To confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the previous meeting held on 3 December 2013.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

4. MAYOR AND DEPUTY MAYOR'S RECENT AND FORTHCOMING ENGAGEMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

(See attached at pages 2 - 3)

5. CORRESPONDENCE

6. AVON AND SOMERSET CONSTABULARY

Chief Inspector Tim Coombe of Avon and Somerset Constabulary will attend the meeting and give a presentation on current issues facing the Police in Yeovil, and their plans for the future.

7. REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FROM COMMITTEES AND OTHER MEETINGS

(The Minutes of the following meetings are open to discussion. Where a Committee has made a recommendation that will be listed on a separate sheet circulated with the Agenda).

Planning and Licensing Committee

2 December 2013

8. REPORTS AND REPRESENTATIVES ON OUTSIDE BODIES

Members who represent the Town Council on Outside Bodies may wish to take the opportunity to report on any matters of interest.

Public Comment (15 Minutes)

List of Engagements attended/to be attended by His Worship The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper and the Deputy Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Mike Lock from 3 December – 4 February 2014

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| 05/12/13 | The Deputy Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Mike Lock attended the North Dorset District Council Civic Carol Service |
| 06/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended the Royal Mail Sorting office with David Laws MP for their annual Christmas visit |
| 06/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Yeovil District Hospital with David Laws MP for their annual Christmas visit |
| 06/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended St Margaret's Hospice with David Laws MP for their annual Christmas visit |
| 06/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Crewkerne Town Council's Christmas Concert. |
| 08/12/13 | The Deputy Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Mike Lock will attended Salvation Army Christmas Carols Concert at The Salvation Army Church. |
| 09/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Malmesbury Court for the annual Christmas visit |
| 09/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended West Abbey Care Centre for the annual Christmas visit |
| 09/12/13 | The Deputy Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Mike Lock attended the Christmas Celebration Concert at Wells Cathedral on behalf of Sound Foundation Somerset |
| 09/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended the Christmas Light Judging Competition. |
| 09/12/13 | The Deputy Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Mike Lock attended the Somerset Music Christmas Celebration Concert. |
| 10/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Cool Runnings Care Home for the annual Christmas visit |
| 10/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Grovelands Nursing Home for the annual Christmas visit |
| 11/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Park Lodge Care Home for the annual Christmas visit |
| 11/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Tyndale and Latimer Nursing Home for the annual Christmas visit |
| 12/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Preston Park Care Home Christmas party |
| 14/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended the Octagon's production of Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs |

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| 14/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended a Charity Fundraising event on behalf of the British Heart Foundation. |
| 14/12/13 | The Deputy Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Mike Lock attended Ringwood Town Council Civic Celebration. |
| 15/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper and the Deputy Mayor Cllr Mike Lock attended the Salvation Army Carols at Christmas at the Octagon Theatre |
| 16/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended the re-opening of Preston Park. |
| 17/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended The Knoll Care Home for the annual Christmas visit |
| 17/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Ivelhurst Nursing Home for the annual Christmas visit |
| 17/12/13 | The Deputy Mayor of Yeovil, Cllr Mike Lock attended the Christmas Concert at Milford Junior School. |
| 18/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Wyndham Court Care Home for the annual Christmas visit |
| 18/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended a Carol Service at St Margaret's Hospice. |
| 18/12/13 | The Deputy Mayor of Yeovil, Cllr Mike Lock attended the South Somerset Disability Forum coffee morning. |
| 19/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Sherborne House Care Home for the annual Christmas visit |
| 19/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper and the Deputy Mayor Cllr Mike Lock attended Yeovil College's Further Education Awards at Westland's Leisure Complex |
| 20/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Compton View Care Home for the annual Christmas visit |
| 20/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Sunningdale Care Home Christmas Party and Christmas card judging competition |
| 21/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended Yeovil Twinning Association charity night at the Swan Theatre |
| 22/12/13 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper attended the 'Have a Look' Open House event at Elim Church. |
| 06/01/14 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper will attend Weightwatchers Open Day at The Manor Hotel. |
| 07/01/14 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper will attend the opening of Parkins Ventures art exhibition at Wood's Wine Bar |
| 10/01/14 | The Mayor of Yeovil, Councillor Manny Roper will attend The Arctic Star Award Ceremony at RNAS Yeovilton. |