

# Annual Meeting of the Council

17 May 2007

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## AGENDA

### PART I : ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION IN PUBLIC

- 1 Chief Executive to read the notice convening the meeting.
- 2 Prayers by the Mayor's Chaplain.
- 3 Apologies for absence.
- 4 The election of the Mayor for 2007/08.
- 5 Tribute to the newly elected Mayor.
- 6 Vote of thanks to the retiring Mayor, Councillor Dorothy Walsh.

*Please note that at this point there will be a short adjournment to allow guests to leave the meeting to go to Blakey's, Northgate, Blackburn.*

- 7 To receive and confirm the minutes of the last meeting of the Council Forum held on 19 April, 2007 (attached pages 1 to 4).
- 8 Declarations of interest (form attached page 5).
- 9 Local Elections Results 2007 (attached pages 6 to 8).
- 10 The election of the Deputy Mayor for 2007/08.
- 11 Council Appointments for 2007/08  
Report of the Chief Executive (attached pages 9 to 11).
- 12 Appointments to Groups and Panels for 2007/08  
Report of the Chief Executive (attached pages 12 to 13).
- 13 To make Member appointments to:
  - 13.1 Combined Authorities
  - 13.2 Outside Bodies
  - 13.3 Community Associations
  - 13.4 Council Partnership BodiesReport of the Chief Executive (attached pages 14 to 15).
- 14 Meetings in 2007/08  
A year planner of meetings for 2007/08 is attached (pages 16 to 17).

Graham Burgess  
Chief Executive  
9<sup>th</sup> May 2007