

Town Hall  
Bury  
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26 June 2012

Dear Councillor

**COUNCIL MEETING**

You are summoned to attend a Special Meeting of the Council which will be held on **Wednesday, 4 July 2012 at 4.00 pm in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Bury** for the purpose of transacting the following business:-

**1. HONORARY FREEDOM OF THE BOROUGH – MR DEREK BODEN OBE, MRS JILL NEVILLE AND MR HARRY REED**

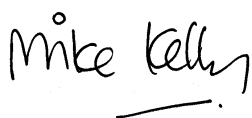
To pass the following resolution:-

"1. That the Council, in exercise of its powers under Section 249(5) of the Local Government Act 1972, admit Mr Derek Boden to the Honorary Freedom of the Metropolitan Borough in recognition of his eminent, valuable and devoted services to the former Whitefield Urban District Council between 1972 and 1974 and the Metropolitan Borough of Bury Council between 1974 and 2012, as a Member of those Councils during which periods he held the high office of Leader of the Metropolitan Borough of Bury Council from 1997 to 2001. In recognition also of his significant contribution in championing environmental issues regionally and nationally.

2. That the Council, in exercise of its powers under Section 249(5) of the Local Government Act 1972, admit Mrs Jill Neville to the Honorary Freedom of the Metropolitan Borough in recognition of her unique and enduring contribution to the development of Bury Football Club as a community club; women's sport and more generally sport in the Community.

3. That the Council, in exercise of its powers under Section 249(5) of the Local Government Act 1972, admit Mr Harry Reed to the Honorary Freedom of the Metropolitan Borough in recognition of his long and outstanding contribution to community work and in particular for his persistently valuable commitment and dedication to the well being of residents and the regeneration of East Bury."

Yours sincerely



**CHIEF EXECUTIVE**