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Dear Member/Colleague

Council

You are invited to attend a Special Meeting of the Council which will be held as follows:-

Date:	Tuesday, 17 October 2017
Place:	Council Chamber - Town Hall
Time:	6.00 pm
Briefing Facilities:	If Opposition Members and Co-opted Members require briefing on any particular item on the Agenda, the appropriate Director/Senior Officer originating the related report should be contacted.
Notes:	

AGENDA

The Agenda for the meeting is attached.

Reports are enclosed only for those attending the meeting and for those without access to the Council's Intranet or Website.

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Yours sincerely

Pat Jones Greenhalgh

Interim Chief Executive

AGENDA

1 HONORARY FREEDOM OF THE BOROUGH - MRS LILY REID MBE; MR ALAN MATTHEWS; AND 207 (MANCHESTER) FIELD HOSPITAL

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 Lily Reid, to the Honorary Freedom of the Metropolitan Borough in recognition of the valuable and devoted services which she has rendered to the town of Bury for over forty years and, in recognition of the work she has tirelessly carried out to raise the profile of mental health issues and support people living with mental illness and their carers across the Borough of Bury. In recognition also that due to her selfless work she was given the title of the very first 'Bury Woman of the Year' in 1998 and was awarded an MBE by her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II in 2007.
2. That the Council, in exercise of its powers under Section 249(5) of the Local Government Act 1972, admit Mr Alan Matthews, to the Honorary Freedom of the Metropolitan Borough in recognition of the eminent, valuable and devoted services which he has rendered to the Bury Metropolitan Borough as a Member of the Council for thirty eight years and in recognition of the service he has provided the residents of Besses Ward with distinction and dedication including holding the office of Mayor of the Borough from May 1989 to May 1990.
3. That the Council, in exercise of its powers under Section 249(5) of the Local Government Act 1972, admit the 207 (Manchester) Field Hospital, to the Honorary Freedom of the Metropolitan Borough in recognition of the service given to support National Security Requirements and the hard work and dedication to recruit, train and provide Medical Professionals and other volunteers from the Borough of Bury to British Military Operations in times of conflict or humanitarian need. In recognition of the strong links forged with local businesses and the local community to provide developmental opportunities and community based activities.