

## DEMOCRACY & ORGANISATION COMMITTEE

**MINUTES** of the meeting held on Tuesday, 10 July 2012 commencing at 2.00 pm and finishing at 3.55 pm.

**Present:**

**Voting Members:** Councillor Neil Owen – in the Chair

Councillor Marilyn Badcock (Deputy Chairman)  
Councillor Alyas Ahmed  
Councillor Lynda Atkins  
Councillor Mike Badcock  
Councillor Iain Brown  
Councillor Michael Gibbard  
Councillor Janet Godden  
Councillor Sandy Lovatt  
Councillor C.H. Shouler (substituting for Cllr Ray Jelf)

**Officers:** Mrs D Miller (Chief Executive's Office).

*The Committee considered the matters, reports and recommendations contained or referred to in the agenda for the meeting, together with [a schedule of addenda tabled at the meeting ][the following additional documents:] and decided as set out below. Except as insofar as otherwise specified, the reasons for the decisions are contained in the agenda and reports [agenda, reports and schedule/additional documents], copies of which are attached to the signed Minutes.*

### **20/12 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS**

(Agenda No. 1)

Apologies for Absence were received from Councillors Billington, Jelf, Reynolds and Stevens.

### **21/12 MINUTES**

(Agenda No. 2)

The Minutes of the meeting held on 15 May 2012 were approved and signed.

### **22/12 OUTSIDE BODY APPOINTMENTS**

(Agenda No. 5)

The Committee were asked to give consideration to two appointments (as set out on the face of the Agenda) and to a request reported verbally to the meeting which

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would allow Councillor Patrick Greene to formally represent the Council at Blue Plaque Ceremonies.

**RESOLVED:** to: (nem con)

- (a) appoint Councillor Ian Hudspeth, Leader of the Council in place of Councillor Keith Mitchell CBE to the Oxford Preservation Trust;
- (b) appoint Councillor Charles Mathew in place of Councillor Don Seale to the Oxfordshire Museums Council;
- (c) (9 by votes to 0, with 1 abstention) endorse the current arrangement whereby the Chairman of the County Council, as the council's designated appointee to the Blue Plaque Society, may delegate Councillor Patrick Greene to be both board member and attendee at blue plaque ceremonies for the Council year.

..... in the Chair

Date of signing