EASTLEIGH BOROUGH COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting of the Council held at the Civic Offices, Leigh Road, Eastleigh on Thursday, 8 May 2008 at 7:00 pm

PRESENT:

The Mayor, Councillor Pretty (Chairman); Councillors Airey, Bloom, A Broadhurst, Mrs Broadhurst, Broughton, Caldwell, Craig, Cross, Davies-Dear, Day, Mrs Fraser, Goodall, Holden-Brown, Holes, House, Mrs Hughes, M Hughes, Irish, Kyrle, Luffman, McNulty, Mignot, Millar, Moore, Norgate, Noyce, Olson, Roling, G Smith, R Smith, Sortwell, Tennent, Thomas, Thornton, Mrs Welsh, Winstanley and Wright

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Davidovitz, Ingram, Skinner, Mrs Sollitt, Spearey and Wall

1. ELECTION OF MAYOR

RESOLVED -

That Councillor Derek Pretty be elected Mayor of the Borough for the ensuing municipal year and until acceptance of office by his successor.

Councillor Pretty then subscribed his declaration of acceptance of office. The Mayoress, Mrs Cynthia Garton, was invested with her badge of office and the Mayor then addressed the Council.

2. VOTE OF THANKS

RESOLVED -

That the best thanks of this Council be extended to Councillor Roger Smith and Mrs Sheila Smith for the admirable way in which they have carried out the duties of the Mayor and Mayoress during the past year.

Councillor Smith suitably replied to the vote of thanks. The Mayor presented to Councillor Smith, and to the Mayoress, Mrs Sheila Smith, badges marking their year of service to the Borough as Mayor and Mayoress.

3. ELECTION OF DEPUTY MAYOR

RESOLVED -
That Councillor Mrs Pamela Holden-Brown be elected Deputy Mayor of the Borough for the ensuing municipal year and until acceptance of office by her successor.

Councillor Mrs Holden-Brown then subscribed her declaration of acceptance of office. The Deputy Mayor’s Escort, Terry Holden-Brown, was invested with his badge of office.

4. MAYOR’S CHAPLAIN

The Mayor signified in writing the appointment of Reverend Mike Powis as his Chaplain. The meeting stood whilst Reverend Powis offered prayer.

The meeting finished at 8:05 pm
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