

## **THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF EXETER CITY COUNCIL**

Guildhall  
Tuesday 26 February 2013

The Right Worshipful the Lord Mayor (Cllr Newby)  
The Deputy Lord Mayor (Cllr Prowse)  
Councillors Baldwin, Bialyk, Bowkett, Branston, Brock, Bull, Choules, Clark, Crew, Crow, Dawson, Denham, Donovan, Edwards, Fullam, Hannaford, Mrs Henson, D J Henson, Laws, Leadbetter, Lyons, Macdonald, Martin, Mottram, Owen, Payne, Pearson, Robson, Sheldon, Shiel, Spackman, Sutton, Tippins, Wardle and Winterbottom

### 1 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Mitchell and Ruffle.

### 2 **FREEDOM OF THE CITY**

**RESOLVED** that, in pursuance of its powers under Section 249 of the Local Government Act 1972, the Council do confer on HMS Defender Freedom of the City Status in acknowledgement of the long association between the City of Exeter and the Royal Navy and to continue the bond and support established with the previous affiliated ship, HMS Exeter.

[Section 249 of the Local Government Act 1972 provides that the foregoing honour may be conferred by resolution of the Council passed by not less than  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the Members voting thereon at a meeting specially convened for the purpose.]

[The foregoing resolution was passed unanimously]

(The meeting commenced at 6.00 pm and closed at 6.04 pm)

Chair