

# Agenda

MUNICIPAL YEAR 2012-2013



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## Extraordinary Council Meeting

Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> July 2012 at 6.30 p.m.  
Council Chamber, Town Hall, Accrington

### Membership

The Mayor, Councillor John Broadley; Councillors Judith Addison, Mohammad Ayub, Noordad Aziz, Pam Barton, Peter Britcliffe, Clare Cleary, Nick Collingridge, Paul Cox, Munsif Dad, Bernard Dawson, Tony Dobson, Wendy Dwyer, Chris Fisher, Harry Grayson, June Harrison, Marlene Haworth, Doug Hayes, Terry Hurn, Abdul Khan, Colette McCormack, Gareth Molineux, Kerry Molineux, Ken Moss, Tim O'Kane, Dave Parkins, Miles Parkinson, Bill Pinder, Kath Pratt, Clare Pritchard, Brian Roberts, Ian Robinson, Joan Smith, Ciaran Wells, Nick Whittaker

## AGENDA

1. **Welcome by the Mayor**
2. **Conferment of the Title of Honorary Freeman of the Borough of Hyndburn:  
Dr Ron Hill MBE**

At its meeting on 24<sup>th</sup> May 2012, Council voted unanimously to grant Dr Ron Hill the Freedom of the Borough.

Born in Accrington on 25<sup>th</sup> September 1938 and educated at Spring Hill Junior School and Accrington Grammar School, Ron became a world class long-distance runner, as well as the founder of a successful sportswear company.

Ron joined Clayton-le-Moors Harriers in 1953, spent 1960-76 with Bolton United Harriers and rejoined Clayton-le-Moors Harriers in 1976 and is now a life-member. He was the second man to break 2:10 in the marathon and set world records at four other distances. He has represented his country in three Olympics and has run two Olympic Marathons (Tokyo 1964 and Munich 1972). He has a personal marathon record of 2:09:28.



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In 1970, Ron won the 74th Boston Marathon in a course record 2:10:30. He also won gold medals for the marathon at the European Championships in 1969 and the Commonwealth Games held in Edinburgh in 1970. He was appointed MBE in 1971 for 'services to athletics'.

The purpose of this meeting is to grant Dr Ron Hill the Honorary Freedom of the Borough, for him to sign the Roll of Honorary Freemen and to present him with a badge of office and framed resolution.



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