

Date of meeting: 15 March 2021  
Title of Report: **Lord Mayoralty 2021/22**  
Lead Member: Councillor Peter Smith (Deputy Leader)  
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Your Reference: LM2021/22  
Key Decision: No  
Confidentiality: Part I - Official

### **Purpose of Report**

The purpose of this report is to propose the Lord Mayor for 2021/22 on recommendation from the Lord Mayor Selection Committee, as per Article 5 of the Council's Constitution.

The Committee met on 26 February 2021 and unanimously agreed to recommend Councillor Mrs Terri Beer for the Office of Lord Mayor for 2021/22.

### **Recommendations and Reasons**

The City Council approves the recommendation from the Lord Mayor Selection Committee to appoint Councillor Mrs Terri Beer as Lord Mayor for 2021/22.

Reason: Councillor Mrs Terri Beer had been nominated and recommended by the Selection Committee.

### **Alternative options considered and rejected**

None. The Lord Mayor is appointed annually by Council in accordance with the Council's Constitution.

### **Relevance to the Corporate Plan and/or the Plymouth Plan**

The Office of Lord Mayor provides support across all of the Council's areas of work and in particular with regard to Plymouth being a welcoming city, given the Lord Mayor's role as First Citizen of Plymouth.

### **Implications for the Medium Term Financial Plan and Resource Implications:**

Remuneration for roles of Lord Mayor and Deputy Lord Mayor are already built into the budget and form part of the Members' Allowance Scheme, as set out in Appendix One of the Constitution.

### **Carbon Footprint (Environmental) Implications:**

Not applicable.

**Other Implications: e.g. Health and Safety, Risk Management, Child Poverty:**

\* When considering these proposals members have a responsibility to ensure they give due regard to the Council's duty to promote equality of opportunity, eliminate unlawful discrimination and promote good relations between people who share protected characteristics under the Equalities Act and those who do not.

None.

**Appendices**

\*Add rows as required to box below

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A	Minute of Selection Committee 26.02.2021							

**Background papers:**

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**Sign off:**

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Originating Senior Leadership Team member: Giles Perritt (Assistant Chief Executive)											
Please confirm the Strategic Director(s) has agreed the report? Yes Date agreed: 04/03/2020											
Cabinet Member approval: Councillor Peter Smith (Deputy Leader) via email Date approved: 4 March 2021											