

Date of meeting:	21 March 2022
Title of Report:	Lord Mayoralty 2022/23
Lead Member:	Councillor John Riley (Cabinet Member for Governance, HR, IT & Community Safety)
Lead Strategic Director:	Giles Perritt (Assistant Chief Executive)
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Your Reference:	LMSC 2022/23
Key Decision:	No
Confidentiality:	Part I - Official

Purpose of Report

The purpose of this report is to propose the Lord Mayor for 2022/23 on recommendation from the Lord Mayor Selection Committee, as per Article 5 of the Council's Constitution.

The Selection Committee met on 11 February 2022 and unanimously agreed to recommend Councillor Sue Dann for the Office of Lord Mayor for 2022/23.

Recommendations and Reasons

The City Council approves the recommendation from the Lord Mayor Selection Committee to appoint Councillor Sue Dann as Lord Mayor for 2022/23.

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 the 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 the 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.

Financial Risks

Not applicable. As outlined above.

Carbon Footprint (Environmental) Implications:

Subject to her appointment being agreed Councillor Sue Dann will, as Lord Mayor, commit to reducing the carbon footprint of the Lord Mayoralty during her period of office.

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 11 February 2022							

Background papers:

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Please list all unpublished, background papers relevant to the decision in the table below. Background papers are unpublished works, relied on to a material extent in preparing the report, which disclose facts or matters on which the report or an important part of the work is based.

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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: 03/03/2022											
Cabinet Member approval: Councillor John Riley (Cabinet Member for Governance, HR, IT & Community Safety) via email											
Date approved: 06/03/2022											