MOTION

City Council



Her Majesty the Queen

The death of the Queen Elizabeth II on 8 September 2022 has united people across the country, commonwealth and world in grief.

Her Majesty was welcomed in Plymouth, both as a Princess and a Queen, many times. One of her most special visits to the city was when she opened the Civic Centre in 1962. This was a milestone in the rebuilding of Plymouth after the devastation of the Blitz.

Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth also unveiled the Sundial in Plymouth city centre in 1988 with Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh to commemorate the 400th anniversary of the Armada celebrations. Over her seven-decade reign, she showed unwavering and inspirational dedication in service of the nation and the Commonwealth.

This Council therefore resolves to:

- I. Give thanks for the exceptional 70 years of service of the late Queen Elizabeth II.
- 2. Offer its deep condolences, and those of the people of Plymouth, to His Majesty the King and the Royal Family on the death of the late Queen Elizabeth II.
- 3. Express to His Majesty the King our loyalty and our conviction that His Majesty will strive to continue the resolute commitment to the happiness and prosperity of His subjects now and in the years to come.

Proposed by: Lord Mayor of Plymouth

Signature: Approved by email

Seconded by: Councillor Richard Bingley

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