



**MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICHESTER HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER
AT THE COUNCIL HOUSE, NORTH STREET, CHICHESTER
ON WEDNESDAY 17 FEBRUARY 2016 AT 5.30PM**

- PRESENT : The Mayor (Councillor P Budge)
The Deputy Mayor (Councillor Tupper)
Councillors Apel, PM Budge, Dignum, M Evans, P Evans, T French,
Galloway, Holman, Kilby, Joy, Macey and Plowman
- APOLOGIES : Councillors Bell, Dempster, J French, Keyworth, Scicluna and Sharp
- IN ATTENDANCE : Town Clerk, Administration Manager and Macebearer
- 5 members of the public were in attendance

56 FREEDOM OF THE CITY OF CHICHESTER

The Mayor welcomed everyone to the Special Meeting of Council which had been convened to consider conferring the Freedom of the City of Chichester on Major Tim Peake under the provisions of the Local Government Act 1972, Section 249.

Councillor Kilby proposed that the Freedom of the City of Chichester be conferred on Major Tim Peake in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1972, Section 249 and the ceremony to be held on a date to be confirmed.

Councillors Plowman, Apel, Galloway, Joy, Tupper, P Evans, T French spoke in favour of Major Tim Peake being given the Freedom of the City of Chichester on being a local person of distinction and who was born in Chichester and attended Chichester High School for Boys School and who was currently being an inspirational figure to many people, young and old.

The proposal was seconded by Councillor Plowman.

Councillor Holman proposed and it was seconded that a Recorded Vote take place.

The motion was put to the vote

For Councillors Apel, P Budge, PM Budge, Dignum, M Evans, P Evans, T French,
Galloway, Holman, Joy, Kilby, Macey, Plowman and Tupper (14)

Absent Councillors Bell, Dempster, J French, Keyworth, Scicluna and Sharp (6)

The motion was carried

The meeting closed at 5.50pm