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REPORT TO:	COUNCIL
	17 October 2016
AGENDA ITEM NO:	6
SUBJECT:	RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE MAYORALTY AND HONORARY FREEDOM SELECTION SUB-COMMITTEE
LEAD OFFICER:	Stephen Rowan, Head of Democratic Services and Scrutiny
WARDS:	ALL

## **CORPORATE PRIORITY/POLICY CONTEXT:**

The recommendations of the Mayoralty and Honorary Freedom Selection Sub-Committee referred to the Council for decision report is prepared in accordance with the Council Procedure Rules at Part 4A of the Constitution.

## 1. RECOMMENDATIONS

The Council is asked to:

- 1. Approve the Mayoralty and Honorary Freedom Selection Sub-Committee recommendation:
  - a. that Council agree to convene a Special Meeting of the Council for the purpose of granting the Freedom of the Borough to Colonel Ian McRobbie and Canon Colin Boswell in recognition of the eminent service they have rendered to Croydon.

# 2. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2.1 This report comprises of matters of business formally undertaken by the Mayoralty and Honorary Freedom Selection Sub-Committee since the last ordinary meeting of the Council that require Full Council approval. The Mayoralty and Honorary Freedom Selection Sub-Committee is a Sub-Committee of the General Purposes and Audit Committee.

### 3. BACKGROUND

- 3.1 Part 4A of the Constitution requires that the Mayoralty and Honorary Freedom Selection Sub-Committee include any recommendations that have been made to Council within this report.
- 3.2 The Chair of the Committee making the recommendation may exercise a right to introduce the recommendation; in so doing the Chair of the Committee shall speak for a maximum of 3 minutes.

- 3.3 The recommendation shall be seconded without any further speakers and if not deferred for debate shall immediately be put to the vote.
- 3.4 Any Member supported by a seconder, may ask that a recommendation be deferred for debate and the recommendation shall immediately stand deferred.
- 3.5 In the event that any Committee recommendations have not been reached when the time limit for the meeting has expired, those recommendations shall immediately be put to the vote without further debate.
- 3.6 Attached to this report at **Appendix 1** is the report that was approved at the Mayoralty and Honorary Freedom Selection Sub-Committee on 7 October 2016. Paragraph 1.1 of the report details the recommendations approved at the meeting; that Colonel Ian McRobbie and Canon Colin Boswell be granted the Freedom of the Borough and a Special Council be convened to bestow the honour.

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**APPENDIX 1:** Report approved at Mayoralty and Honorary

Freedom Selection Sub-Committee 7 October 2016

**BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS: None**