

Freedom of the Borough of
MIDDLESBROUGH



Local Government Act 1972

Admission to the
Honorary Freedom
of the Borough

COUNCILLOR WALTER FERRIER MBE

COUNCILLOR GWENDOLINE POPPLE

COUNCILLOR LEONARD POOLE BEM JP

at 7 pm on Tuesday 16th June 1992



Order of Proceedings on the admission of
Councillor Walter Ferrier MBE
Councillor Gwendoline Popple
Councillor Leonard Poole BEM JP
to the Honorary Freedom of the Borough
on Tuesday 16th June, 1992 at seven o'clock in the evening

1. The Members of the Council and the Guests will be seated in the Council Chamber, Municipal Buildings, Middlesbrough prior to 7.00 p.m.
2. The Worshipful the Mayor (Councillor Frank Platt) preceded by the Mace, and followed by the Proposers and Seconders of the Resolutions (Councillor Bob Brady and Councillor Malcolm Pritchard for Councillor Walter Ferrier MBE, Councillor Peter Jackson and Councillor Mrs. Barbara Grant for Councillor Gwendoline Popple and Councillor Ken Hall and Councillor Norman Swash for Councillor Leonard Poole BEM JP) who will escort the said Councillor Ferrier, Councillor Popple and Councillor Poole to their seats.
3. The Mayor will call upon the Borough Secretary to read the Notice convening the special meeting of the Council.
4. The Mayor will call upon Councillor Bob Brady to propose and Councillor Malcolm Pritchard to second a Resolution to admit Councillor Walter Ferrier MBE to the Honorary Freedom of the Borough.
5. After the resolution has been proposed and seconded it may be spoken to by other Members of the Council.
6. The Mayor will call upon Councillor Peter Jackson to propose and Councillor Mrs. Barbara Grant to second a Resolution to admit Councillor Gwendoline Popple to the Honorary Freedom of the Borough.
7. After the Resolution has been proposed and seconded it may be spoken to by other Members of the Council.

8. The Mayor will call upon Councillor Ken Hall to propose and Councillor Norman Swash to second a Resolution to admit Councillor Leonard Poole BEM JP to the Honorary Freedom of the Borough.
9. After the Resolution has been proposed and seconded it may be spoken to by other Members of the Council.
10. The Mayor will put the Resolutions to the Meeting, and after the same have been declared carried, the Borough Secretary will read the Oath of the Freedom as follows:

"Do you, Walter Ferrier, Gwendoline Popple and Leonard Poole swear to be true to our Sovereign Lady Queen Elizabeth II, Her Heirs and Successors, as a free and franchised person of this Borough?
Will you preserve the peace and tranquility of the said Borough, and will you disclose to the Mayor for the time being details of any unlawful meetings or assemblies which come to your attention?
Will you do all in your power to contribute to the good government and safety of the said Borough and the inhabitants thereof?
Will you also defend the customs and privileges of this Borough in every just and lawful cause?
SO HELP YOU GOD".
11. Councillor Walter Ferrier MBE, Councillor Gwendoline Popple and Councillor Leonard Poole BEM JP signify acceptance of the Oath by replying, in turn, **I WILL**. The Mayor will then invite them to sign a copy of the Oath and the Roll of Admissions of Freedom. The Signatures will be witnessed by the Mayor, Chief Executive and Borough Secretary.
12. After the signing of the Roll, the Mayor will present sealed and illuminated copies of the Resolution inscribed on vellum, together with caskets, and will offer congratulations on behalf of the Corporation and People of the Borough.
13. Councillor Walter Ferrier MBE will reply.
14. Councillor Gwendoline Popple will reply.
15. Councillor Leonard Poole BEM JP will reply.
16. The Borough Secretary will report the receipt of any communications.
17. At the conclusion of the formal proceedings, the Mayor will leave the Council Chamber accompanied by all those present holding the Freedom of the Borough.
18. An Invitation is extended to the Members of the Council and Guests to adjourn to the Town Hall for a Buffet Supper.



Whereas at an Extraordinary Meeting of the Council of the Borough of Middlesbrough convened in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1972 and held in the Municipal Buildings in the said Borough on the sixteenth day of June 1992.

It was Unanimously Resolved That the Council do confer upon

Councillor Walter Ferrier M.B.E.

The Honorary Freedom of the Borough of Middlesbrough in recognition of the eminent services rendered by him to the said Borough during a long public career in so many capacities; particularly recognising the services he has rendered as a Councillor of the former County Borough of Middlesbrough and the former County Borough of Teesside, as a County Councillor for Cleveland County Council and a Member of the present Middlesbrough Borough Council; recalling his interest in the Trades Union Movement; his interest in the youth of the town, especially his involvement in the school and youth exchanges with Oberhausen, and as an expression of the high esteem in which he is held by the people of Middlesbrough and surrounding area.

This is to certify that Councillor Walter Ferrier has been admitted to the Honorary Freedom of the Borough in pursuance of the aforesaid Resolution on this the sixteenth day of June 1992.

Given under the Common Seal

Mayor

Chief Executive

Borough Secretary





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It was Unanimously Resolved That the Council do confer upon

Councillor Miss Gwendoline Popple

The Honorary Freedom of the Borough of Middlesbrough in recognition of the eminent services rendered by her to the said Borough during a long public career in so many capacities; particularly recognising the services she has rendered as a Councillor of the former County Borough of Teesside, as a County Councillor for Cleveland County Council and a Member of the present Middlesbrough Borough Council; recalling her interest in the youth of the town, especially her involvement in the Scout Association, and as an expression of the high esteem in which she is held by the people of Middlesbrough and surrounding area.

This is to certify that Councillor Miss Gwendoline Popple has been admitted to the Honorary Freedom of the Borough in pursuance of the aforesaid Resolution on this the sixteenth day of June 1992.

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It was Unanimously Resolved That the Council do confer upon

Councillor Leonard Poole B.E.M., J.P.

The Honorary Freedom of the Borough of Middlesbrough in recognition of the eminent services rendered by him to the said Borough during a long public career in so many capacities; particularly recognising the services he has rendered as a Councillor of the former County Borough of Middlesbrough and the former County Borough of Teesside, as a County Councillor for Cleveland County Council and a Member of the present Middlesbrough Borough Council; recalling his interest in the Trades Union Movement; his involvement in the work of the National Society for Clean Air and the Federation of British Cremation Authorities, being President of both bodies; his involvement in the work of the Tidy Britain Group, being a member of the Finance and General Purposes Committee; and his work for many other local and national bodies, and as an expression of the high esteem in which he is held by the people of Middlesbrough and surrounding area.

This is to certify that Councillor Leonard Poole has been admitted to the Honorary Freedom of the Borough in pursuance of the aforesaid Resolution on this the sixteenth day of June 1992.

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MEMBERS of the COUNCIL

Councillor The Worshipful the Mayor: Councillor Frank Platt

Councillor The Deputy Mayor: Councillor Irene Berryman

Councillor M. Barker
Councillor S.E. Bloundele
Councillor E. Bolland JP
Councillor R. K. Brady
Councillor C.D.W. Budd
Councillor A.G. Campbell
Councillor J. Campbell
Councillor M. Carr
Councillor M.J. Carr
Councillor A.A. Carter JP
Councillor S. Cass B.A., M.A.,
Councillor G.B. Clark JP
Councillor E.A. Cook F.A.C.I.
Councillor B. Coppinger
Councillor E. Dryden
Councillor W. Ferrier MBE
Councillor L.J. Garrett B.A. Dip. Ed.
Councillor C. Godfrey
Councillor S.A. Grace
Councillor B.C. Grant
Councillor K. J. Hall
Councillor S. Holt
Councillor A. Jackson SRN
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Councillor J. Jones
Councillor W.J.R. Kerr
Councillor M.H. Kirk T.D.
Councillor A. Kumar B.Sc M.Sc PHD
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Councillor K.W. Long
Councillor R. Lowes M INST M
Councillor T.W. Mawston
Councillor J. Michna
Councillor C.B. Morrish
Councillor B.J. Nilsson B.A. L.L.B.
Councillor E.T. Pearson
Councillor H. Pearson O.B.E.
Councillor F.N. Phillips
Councillor L. Poole B.E.M. JP
Councillor G. Popple
Councillor M.T. Pritchard JP
Councillor P. Queenan
Councillor R. Regan
Councillor C. Robson
Councillor D. Ross
Councillor E. Ross
Councillor P. A. Southon
Councillor J.N. Swash
Councillor R. Thomas
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