



**YARROW, MAYOR
LUDER, LOCUM TENENS
COURT OF ALDERMEN**

Tuesday, 20 October 2015

PRESENT

Alderman Ian Luder
Alderman Nick Anstee
Alderman Sir Michael Bear
Alderman Sir David Wootton
Alderman Dame Fiona Woolf
Alderman Alison Gowman

Alderman Gordon Haines
Alderman David Graves
Alderman John Garbutt
Alderman Peter Hewitt
Alderman Matthew Richardson
Alderman William Russell

Alderman Timothy Hailes
Alderman Julian Malins
Alderman Professor Michael Mainelli
Alderman Vincent Keaveny
Alderman Peter Estlin
Alderman Robert Howard

Minutes *Resolved* – That the minutes of the Court of Alderman held on 8 September 2015 were correctly recorded.

**Minutes
Common
Council** The minutes of the Court of Common Council were laid upon the table of the Court.

**Resolutions
on
Retirements,
Congratulatory
Resolutions,
Memorials,
etc.** *Resolved unanimously* –
That in taking their leave of Sir David Howard Bt, upon his retirement as Alderman for the Ward of Cornhill, this Court desires to place on record its most sincere appreciation of the service he has given to the City Corporation and, in particular, to the Court of Aldermen, over the past thirty years.

**Vote of thanks,
Sir David
Howard Bt** The 3rd Howard baronet of Great Rissington, Sir David was elected to the Court of Common Council for the Ward of Cornhill in 1972. Subsequently, in 1986, he was admitted to this Court as Alderman for the Ward of Cornhill. In 1997, Sir David was elected to the Office of Sheriff of the City of London and, in 2000, as the City's 673rd Lord Mayor. It is particularly notable that his is the first family where three successive generations have served in this high Office.

A City Stockbroker for over forty years, during his Mayoralty Sir David was well equipped to promote the Square Mile and the Financial City widely and with great success. He became a Knight of the Most Venerable Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in 2000; and also received the Grand Cordon of the Order of Independence of Jordan in 2001.

Sir David has enjoyed an active and high-profile civic career, both here at the City

Corporation but also in wider local government, as highlighted by his term of office as a councillor at the London Borough of Sutton between 1974 and 1978. He has served on the majority of the City Corporation's committees and, as Senior Alderman, has actively promoted the role of the Mayoralty and sought to strengthen the Court of Aldermen. Sir David is a font of all knowledge about the heritage and the long, rich history that the Court of Aldermen and the City Corporation continues to share with numerous bodies and organisations, as well as the Livery, and has also served on numerous outside bodies including the United Westminster School's Foundation Board of which he is very passionate.

Sir David, his father and his grandfather have given more than 70 years of unbroken service on the Common Council and the Court of Aldermen and we are delighted to see that his son Robert has succeeded him as Alderman for the Ward of Cornhill and hopefully will continue the Howard dynasty. On the occasion of Sir David's retirement, his colleagues would like to express their most sincere thanks for the invaluable contribution he has made.

Together we hope that he enjoys a happy and healthy retirement at home and in Portugal with Val and that they will long retain many happy memories of his civic life and all he has achieved for the City, the City Corporation and this Court.

Further resolved – That the Vote of Thanks be fairly transcribed, signed by the Town Clerk and presented to Sir David Howard.

Election of an Alderman for the Ward of Cornhill

The Comptroller and City Solicitor reported that at a Wardmote held on 13th October 2015 for the election of an Alderman for the Ward of Cornhill, Robert Picton Seymour Howard was duly elected as Alderman of the Ward.

Received.

Presentation of Alderman Robert Picton Seymour Howard

Alderman Robert Picton Seymour Howard made and subscribed the declaration for the due execution of the Office and the Oath of Allegiance.

Thanks to Lord Mayor's Chaplain

Resolved unanimously – That the thanks of this Court be given to The Reverend Robin Griffith-Jones, Chaplain to the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, for the sermon preached by him before his Lordship and this Court and the livery of the several companies of this City at the Guild Church of St Lawrence Jewry on 29th September 2015, prior to the election of a Lord Mayor for the year ensuing.

Applications for Freedom

Mr Chamberlain presented the names of one hundred and nineteen persons to be made free of this City, and it is Ordered that they be admitted into the Freedom of this City accordingly, as follows:-

Name	Occupation	Address	Company
N Martin Sheppard	Paul a Surveyor	Chartered Barnet	Chartered Surveyors

Andrew Woolmer	Peter	a Marine Biologist	Llangwm, Pembrokeshire	Fishmongers
David Francis Purdy		an Operational Director	Ingham, Lincoln	Environmental Cleaners
Susan Bartholomew		a Technical Cleaning Specialist	Bracknell, Berkshire	Environmental Cleaners
Heinz Fuchs		a Librarian	Nikolausberg, Holleweg 20, Germany	The Worshipful Company Educators Apothecaries
Simon William Malcolm Scott		a Doctor	Leicester	
Gesche Moeller		an Investment Professional	Flat 3, Westminster	International Bankers
Anthony Gillespie	Richard	an Engineer, retired	Church Crookham, Fleet, Hampshire	Engineers
Timothy Richard	Prior	a Scientist	Twickenham, Middlesex	Scientific Instrument Makers
Theodorus Bernardus Janssen	Johnannes Maria	a Scientist	Hampton Hill, Middlesex	Scientific Instrument Makers
Graham Derek Perry		a Software Company Director	Sutton in Ashfield, Nottingham	Pattenmakers
Linda Ann Huggett		a Solicitor	Sunset Avenue, Woodford Green, Essex	Fan Makers
Mark Duncan Adam Mansell	Leeming Laurence	a Builder a Chief Executive	Sittingbourne, Kent Over Silton, Thirsk, North Yorkshire	Paviors Framework Knitters
Laurence Chatterton	Vine-	a Chartered Accountant, retired	Guildford, Surrey	Masons
Trevor Newey	James Arthur	a Solicitor	Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire	Glaziers
Marina Murphy		a Science Public Relations Professional	Lambeth	Tobacco Pipe & Makers Tobacco Blenders
Michael Hirsh	Ross	a Senior Project Consultant	Church Langley, Harlow, Essex	Security Professionals
Stephen Antonel	Richard	an Information Technologist Manager	Knebworth, North Hertfordshire	Information Technologists
Helen McGhee	Victoria	a Solicitor	Islington	Tax Advisers
Margaret Masterson	Lesley	a Notary Public	Norwich, Norfolk	Basketmakers
Katherine Lynn Stephen	Lacey Kew	an Horologist an Instrument Manufacturer Chief Executive, Retired	Fulham Cuckfield, West Sussex	Clockmakers Scientific Instrument Makers
Gary David Andrew Lumsden	Sheffield Gino	an Academic a Scientist	Wantage, Oxfordshire Southwark	Curriers Clockmakers
Franco Marinelli		a Lecturer	Gillingham, Kent	Upholders
Efthimios Hanna		a Business Analyst	Marylebone	International Bankers
Stephen Pailthorpe	James	a Marketing Consultant	Coulsdon, Surrey	Marketors
Chas Bassett		a Butcher	Epping, Essex	Butchers
Richard Griffiths	Michael	a Trade Association Officer	Epping, Essex	Butchers

Richard Turner	Thomas	a Hotelier	Fulham	Innholders	
Philip Kennedy	Anthony	a Insurance Company Director	Baldock, Hertfordshire	Insurers	
Allen Lloyd	Thomas	an Accountant	Westminster	Chartered Accountants	
Janos Dobsi		an Engineering Company Director	The Haven, Southend On Sea, Essex	Paviors	
Paul Francis Ingham	John	a Public Relations Director General	Picket Hill, Hampshire	Public Relations Practitioners	
Colum	Nicholas	an Actuary	Woldingham, Surrey	Actuaries	
Andrea D'auria					
Penelope Bendall	Anne	a Ceramics Conservator	Great Shelford, Cambridge	Carpenters	
Michael Hedgeland	James	a Construction Tutor	Beddington, Surrey	Carpenters	
Richard Edward	King	a Civil Servant	Tower Hamlets	Security Professionals	
John Kaye		an Agricultural Executive	Saltmarshe, East Yorkshire	Carmen	
Glen Davies		a Transport Manager	Farnborough, Hants	Carmen	
Graeme Bennett	Stewart	a Solicitor	Colwood Lane, Warninglid, Sussex	Carmen	
Mark Ronald	Olney	a Transport Company Manager	Fordhams Orsett, Essex	Carmen	
Neil Anthony	Buckley	a Hospital Chief Executive Officer	Wimbledon	Carmen	
Bernard Waddingham	Joseph	a Chartered Accountant, retired	Bedford, Bedfordshire	Carmen	
William John	Collier	a Yacht Company Managing Director	Liverpool	Shipwrights	
Jonathan Punter	Dominic	an Actuary	Lewisham	Actuaries	
Neil Phillips		an Accountant	Palmers London	Masons	
Phylis Diana	Cook	a Property Management Company Director, retired	St Katherines Tower Hamlets	Tylers Bricklayers	&
Andrew Peter Katharine Macduff	Morley Alexandra Schopflin	a Doctor a Librarian	Greenwich Hackney	Horners Stationers Newspaper Makers	&
John Kenneth	Pearce	a Civil Servant	Worcester Surrey	Stationers Newspaper Makers	&
Phillip Stuart	Jones	a Printer Company Managing Director	Winwick, Warrington	Stationers Newspaper Makers	&
Susan Greenberg	Linda	a Senior Lecturer	Islington	Stationers Newspaper Makers	&
Simon Scott	Hake	an Engineer	Acton Staffordshire	Trussell, Engineers	
Gregory Dowling	Lawrence	a Software Developer	Old Ford Road, Tower Hamlets	Clockmakers	
Thomas Robert	Lister	a General Manager	Haringey	Innholders	

Peter Mill Oborn	an Architect	Hounslow	Chartered Architects	
Paul Walton	a Master Mariner	Washington, Tyne and Wear	Master Mariners	
Nicolas James Allan White	an Offshore Consultant Director	Singapore,	Master Mariners	
John Leslie Thake	a River Thames Pilot, Retired	Bexleyheath, Kent	Master Mariners	
Howard Evans	a University Lecturer	East Grinstead, West Sussex	Master Mariners	
Kenneth Williams	Edward a Fireman, retired	Woodlands Terrace, Beatty Avenue, Gillingham, Kent	Firefighters	
Maurice Alfonso Carlos Schijns	an International Key Account Manager	NI-6464 Cp, Kerkrade, Netherlands	Stationers & Newspaper Makers	
David Peter Bateman	a Retail Manager	New Malden, Surrey	Stationers & Newspaper Makers	
Daniel Caleb Griffiths	a Journalist	Dolphin Square, Westminster	Stationers & Newspaper Makers	
Karen Bennett	Michelle a Communications Director	Trinity Road, Wandsworth	Distillers	
Andrew Blenkiron	Irwin an Estate Manager	Euston, Suffolk	Farmers	
David Coombes	Frederick an Engineering Manager, retired	Halterworth, Romsey, Hampshire	Blacksmiths	
Jeremy Grahame Hill	a Solicitor	Woodbridge, Suffolk	Woolmen	
Heather Gail Richards	a Software Company Chief Executive Officer	Cambridge	Information Technologists	
Robin Peter Jones	Knill- an Academic, retired	Village Road, Denham	Apothecaries	
Kristian Paul Mears	a Raf General Practitioner	Lyneham, Wiltshire	Apothecaries	
Clive Bruce Archer	a Medical Practitioner	Stoke Hill, Bristol	Apothecaries	
Sidney John Kibbey	a Welfare Administrator, retired	Streatham Hill	Apothecaries	
Ian Michael Cole	Roger a General Practitioner	Knightsbridge, London	Apothecaries	
Deborah Malins	Russell a Pharmaceutical Consultant, retired	Horsham, West Sussex	Apothecaries	
Philip Leon Davies	Marshall a Pharmacist, retired	Ferry Lane, South Stoke, Oxfordshire	Apothecaries	
Barry Knowler	Douglas a Property Developer	Sole Street, Cobham, Kent	Lightmongers	
Omaid Hiwaizi	a Marketing Director	The Mews House, Brighton, East Sussex	Marketors	
Juliet Gayford	a Financial Paraplanner	Bedford, Bedfordshire	Tylers & Bricklayers	
Richard Matthews	Napier a Surgeon	Lilbourne Road, Clifton-upon-Dusmore, Warwickshire	Upholders	
Michael Weeden	Ronald a Construction Director	Winchmore Hill, Enfield	Lightmongers	

Ian Simon Mitchell	a Water Regulations Manager	Barrow Upon Soar, Loughborough, Leicestershire	Plumbers
John Thompson	Andrew a Chief Executive Officer	Coundon, Coventry, West Midlands	Plumbers
Robert Thorogood	Stuart an Electrical Engineer	Flat 54, Globe Wharf, Southwark	Plumbers
Robert John Owen	a Banker	Maidensgrove, Henley On Thames, Oxfordshire	International Bankers
Nigel David Harvey	a Recycling Chief Executive	St Albans	Lightmongers
Ian Craig Huxley	a Sales Manager	Cheadle Hulme, Cheshire	Lightmongers
Stephen Newson	Thomas a Hackney Carriage Driver	Romford, Essex	Hackney Carriage Drivers
Michael Kingham	Raymond a Hackney Carriage Driver	Mill End, Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire	Hackney Carriage Drivers
Jatinder Singh	Seehra a Management Consultant	Godfrey Gardens, Chartham, Kent	Management Consultants
Domonic Stamp, CBE	Anthony a Raf Officer	Stanford in the Vale, Farringdon, Oxfordshire	Coachmakers & Coach Harness Makers
Brutus Zachary Green	a Clerk in Holy Orders	Ummeln, Bielefeld, Germany	Drapers
Richard John Jones	Wookey a Chartered Surveyor	Teddington, Middlesex	Chartered Surveyors
Robert Alan Sheppard	a Head of Portfolio	Newbury, Berkshire	Constructors
Guy Timothy Brennan	Patrick a Corporate Financier	Flat 21, Westminster	Gunmakers
Luigi Mauro	a Hackney Carriage Driver	Walthamstow	Hackney Carriage Drivers
Rudolph Christopher	George a Lawyer	Ch-8312 Winterberg, Switzerland	Joiners & Ceilers
Luke Merriman	Andrew a Hackney Carriage Driver	Mycenae Road, Blackheath, Greenwich	Hackney Carriage Drivers
Jennie Kate Ward	a Group Editor	Wallington, Surrey	Builders Merchants
Stephen Dunkley	a Sales Director	Great Dunmow, Essex	Builders Merchants
Robert Munson	George a Builders Merchant	Bexley, Kent	Builders Merchants
Barry Forbes	Smart an Engineer	Towcester, Northamptonshire	Builders Merchants
Tony Charles	Smith a Recruitment Managing Director	Alburyend, Albury, Ware, Hertfordshire	Builders Merchants
Jonathan Collinson	Jeffreys a Consultancy Director	Stand on the Green, Chiswick	Glass Sellers
John McCarthy	a Master Distiller	Leiston, Suffolk	Distillers
Lewis Daniel	Maleh a Recruitment Company Chief Executive	Islington	Insurers
Ingrid Margaret	Facius a Management Consultant	Putney, Wandsworth	Curriers
Lorenzo Goggia	Bugliari- a Sales Manager	Enfield, Middlesex	Hackney Carriage Drivers
James Cunningham	Robert a Hackney Carriage Driver	Whetstone, Barnet	Hackney Carriage Drivers

John Michael Victor Barker	a Hackney Carriage Driver	Sutton, Surrey	Hackney Carriage Drivers
David James Lyall	a Furniture Company Director	Bow	Furniture Makers
Milan Cvetkovic	a Managing Director	Harpenden, Herts	Furniture Makers
Gregory Paul Childs	a College Lecturer	Buckland-in-the-Moor, Ashburton, Devon	Furniture Makers
Peter Holland	a Management Consultant	St Albans, Hertfordshire	Furniture Makers
Joanna Felicity Knight	a Sales and Marketing Director	Mill Lane, Earl Stonham, Suffolk	Furniture Makers
Mustafa Mohammed	a Health Entrepreneur	Norwood Park, Huddersfield, West Yorkshire	Carmen
Keith Whitmore	a Real Estate Chief Executive Officer	Mill Lane, Sturston Ashbourne, Derbyshire	Carmen
Laura Teodorescu	a Solicitor	Eltham, Royal Borough of Greenwich	Solicitors

Letter –
Surrender of
Office, Ward of
Walbrook

The Town Clerk lay before the Court a letter from Alderman John Garbutt offering to surrender his Office of Alderman of the Ward of Walbrook.

RECEIVED.

Additional item
of business –

General Purposes Committee of Aldermen

Recommendation
of the General
Purposes
Committee of
Aldermen, Sir
William Coxen
Trust Fund

A recommendation of the General Purposes Committee of Aldermen was considered in respect of the following grant applications submitted recently to an inquorate meeting of the Committee of Aldermen to Administer the Sir William Coxen Trust Fund:-

Bobath Centre for Children
Brittle Bone Society
Handicapped Children Action Group
Strongbones
Whizz Kids

Resolved – That the recommendation be agreed to.

BARRADELL.