

# Report – Hospitality Working Party of the Policy and Resources Committee

## Applications for Hospitality

*To be presented on Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> May 2016*

*To the Right Honourable The Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Commons  
of the City of London in Common Council assembled.*

### **350th Anniversary of the Great Fire of London: Lecture and Reception**

2016 marks the 350th anniversary of the Great Fire of London, one of the most well-known events in British history. The fire devastated the City and led to its almost total reconstruction. The Culture, Heritage and Libraries Department, the Barbican Centre and the Museum of London, in consultation with creative events management company Artichoke, have planned a number of activities, exhibitions, walks and talks to take place throughout the City to coincide with this anniversary.

It is therefore recommended that hospitality be granted for a lecture and reception to mark the 350th anniversary of the Great Fire, with arrangements to be made under the auspices of the Hospitality Working Party; the costs to be met from City's Cash and within the approved parameters.

This would be a Committee event.

All of which we submit to the judgement of this Honourable Court.

DATED this 12<sup>th</sup> day of April 2016.

SIGNED on behalf of the Working Party.

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Chief Commoner and Chairman, Hospitality Working Party