

# Dorchester Town Council

## Special Meeting of the Dorchester Town Council

21 December 2019

Present: Mayor R. Biggs and Councillors S. Biles, A. Chisholm, L. Fry, T. Harries, J. Hewitt, F. Hogwood, S. Hosford, G. Jones, S. Jones, F. Kent-Ledger, A. Lyall, R. Major, R. Potter, M. Rennie and R. Ricardo.  
Apologies: Councillors, B. Armstrong-Marshall, A. Canning, D. Leaper and D. Taylor.

### 36. **Honorary Citizenship**

Council considered a motion to confer the Honorary Citizenship of Dorchester on Mr David Trevor Jones, known to all as Trevor.

Members received speeches in support of the motion from Mr Andrew Peel, Mr Clive Rennison and Mr Dennis Holmes, regarding their experience of working with Trevor on Council business over his career as a councillor at Dorchester Town Council, Dorset County Council and West Dorset District Council.

The Mayor also conveyed good wishes on behalf of Mrs Maggie Ansell, representing the Dorchester Community Plays Association and Mr Roger Ferre of Dorset Ambulance Trust.

The Mayor formally proposed the motion emphasising his personal appreciation of Trevor's contribution over his many years of service to the communities that he represented. The Chair of the Policy Committee, Susie Hosford, seconded the motion, highlighting Trevor's personal strengths and humanity.

Other Members spoke in support of the motion.

### **Resolved**

That Dorchester Town Council confer the Honorary Citizenship of Dorchester on Mr David Trevor Jones OBE.

Trevor addressed the meeting in his capacity as an Honorary Citizen of the town, following which the Mayor closed the meeting.

Mayor

Council rose at 12.55 pm.