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TRAFFORD COUNCIL

25 July 2013

Trafford Town Hall,
Talbot Road
Stretford,
M32 0TH

SUPPLEMENTARY COUNCIL SUMMONS – 31 JULY 2013

Dear Councillor,

Your attendance is requested at an Extraordinary Meeting of the Council of the Borough of Trafford on **WEDNESDAY, 31 JULY 2013**, at **7.00 PM** in the **COMMITTEE SUITE, TRAFFORD TOWN HALL, TALBOT ROAD, STRETFORD**, for the transaction of the business set out below:

NOTE: THIS EXTRAORDINARY MEETING IS TO BE PRECEDED BY A PUBLIC MEETING COMMENCING AT 6.00 P.M.

All members of the Council are invited to attend the public meeting which is being held to provide local residents and interested parties the opportunity to comment on the first item of business set out on this summons

1. **Motion Submitted by the Labour Group**

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The Council condemns the decision made by the Conservative Government Secretary of State Jeremy Hunt in downgrading A&E and other services at Trafford General.

This Conservative Government decision comes at a time when Manchester Hospital A&Es are stretched to the limit and are not able to reach their prescribed waiting times. To close Trafford General A&E will result in increasing those pressures and waiting times in those hospitals which will be expected to take in the 37,000 a year Trafford Hospital A&E patients.

In light of the deficiencies in the Secretary of State's decision, Council instructs the Director of Legal and Democratic Services to seek Counsel's advice with a view to appealing the decision.

2. **Appointments to the Joint Health Scrutiny Committee with Manchester City Council**

To consider a report of the Director of Legal and Democratic Services.

To Follow

Yours sincerely,

THERESA GRANT
Chief Executive

Membership of the Council

Councillors D. Butt (Mayor), E.H. Malik (Deputy Mayor), D. Acton, S. Adshead, S. Anstee, Dr. K. Barclay, J. Baugh, J. Bennett, Miss L. Blackburn, R. Bowker, C. Boyes, Mrs. A. Bruer-Morris, J. Brophy, B Brotherton, D. Bunting, C. Candish, R Chilton, M. Colledge, Mrs. L. Cooke, M. Cordingley, M. Cornes, J. Coupe, Mrs. P. Dixon, A. Duffield, Mrs. L. Evans, T. Fishwick, M. Freeman, P. Gratrix, J. Harding, D. Higgins, J. Holden, M. Hyman, C. Hynes, D. Jarman, P. Lally, J. Lamb, J. Lloyd, A. Mitchell, P. Myers, D. O'Sullivan, I. Platt, K. Procter, D. Quayle, J.R. Reilly, Mrs. J. Reilly, B. Rigby, T. Ross, B. Sharp, B. Shaw, J. Smith, E.W. Stennett, N. Taylor, S. Taylor, L. Walsh, Mrs. V. Ward, A. Western, D. Western, K. Weston, M. Whetton, Mrs. J. Wilkinson, A. Williams, M. Young and Mrs. P. Young

Further Information

For help, advice and information about this meeting please contact:

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This Supplementary Summons was issued on **Thursday, 25 July 2013** by the Legal and Democratic Services Section, Trafford Council, Trafford Town Hall, Talbot Road, Stretford M32 0TH