



NORTHAMPTON
BOROUGH COUNCIL

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Agenda Status: Public

Directorate: Chief Executive's

Report Title	Appointments to Northampton Municipal Church Charity
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1. Summary

To confirm appointment of Mr J Church, Mr T Sanderson and Mrs J Lineker as trustees to the Northampton Municipal Church Charity.

2. Recommendations

That Mr J Church, Mr T Sanderson and Mrs J Lineker be appointed as trustees to the Northampton Municipal Church Charity.

3. Report Background

Three trustee vacancies have been notified to the Council by Wilson Browne Solicitors, who is the clerk to the Northampton Municipal Church Charity. The charity administers an almshouse in St Giles Street and any surplus income is used to benefit persons in need who are resident in the Northampton Borough Council area, by way of grants or pensions.

The Council appoints six trustees to this charity. Appointees do not have to be Councillors. Appointments usually run for four years.

Wilson Browne propose that Mr Jonathan Church, Mr Tony Sanderson and Mrs Jean Lineker be appointed to fill these vacancies.

Mr Jonathan Church is a director of Church & Co Ltd, the shoe making company that has been in Northampton since 1873. Mr Church has worked in Northampton since 1989 and lives in Priors Marston, where he is a parish councillor.

Mr Tony Sanderson is retired and was a former Facilities Manager with Milton Keynes NHS Trust from 1986 to 2005. He is a qualified Building Surveyor and currently sits on the East

Midlands Committee of the Chartered Institute of Building Services Engineers. Mr Sanderson lives in Northampton.

Mrs Jean Lineker has been a trustee of this charity since 1997. However, due to the illness and subsequent death of her husband, Mrs Lineker's tenure of office has lapsed although she has expressed an interest in being reappointed. Mrs Lineker has worked for Tesco and is a former Borough Councillor (1995-99) and lives in Northampton.

4. Implications (including financial implications)

4.1 Resources and Risk

None

4.2 Legal

None

4.3 Other Implications

Other implications to be taken into consideration such as Equality & Diversity; Crime & Disorder; Human Rights

None.

5. Background Papers

None.

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