

# NORTH WEST LEICESTERSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

COUNCIL – TUESDAY, 10 SEPTEMBER 2019

Title of report	<b>APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES ON COMMUNITY BODIES - ALDERMAN NEWTON EDUCATION FOUNDATION</b>
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Purpose of report	To appoint a representative to a vacancy on a community body.
Council Priorities	Cross cutting across all priorities - ensuring that the Council is involved with all community issues.
Implications:	
Financial/Staff	No direct implications.
Link to relevant CAT	Links to all Corporate Action Teams.
Risk Management	None
Equalities Impact Screening	Not applicable.
Human Rights	None.
Transformational Government	None.
Comments of Head of Paid Service	The report is satisfactory
Comments of Section 151 Officer	The report is satisfactory
Comments of Monitoring Officer	The report is satisfactory
Consultees	Political group whips.
Background papers	Correspondence from Community Bodies requesting nominations held in Room 122 (Democratic Services).

Recommendations	<b>THAT A REPRESENTATIVE BE APPOINTED TO SERVE ON THE ALDERMAN NEWTON EDUCATION FOUNDATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPHS 2.3 AND 2.4 OF THE REPORT.</b>
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## **1. BACKGROUND**

- 1.1 Members will recall that appointments to community bodies were made at the Annual meeting of the Council in May. This followed a comprehensive review whereby all community bodies were written to and invited to request council representation. Following those appointments a further request has been made for a representative for the Alderman Newton Education Foundation. They did not reply to the initial invitation due to a change of personnel.
- 1.2 The Foundation exists for the benefit of boys and girls resident in the beneficial area (the Ecclesiastical Parish of Christ Church, Coalville) who are in need of financial assistance to help them to prepare for or to assist their entry into a profession, trade or calling.
- 1.3 The Foundation has indicated that it wishes to retain a relationship with the Council and therefore a member representative is sought.

## **2. NOMINATIONS**

- 2.1 Nominations have been sought from all political group whips.
- 2.2 Councillor John Clarke has been nominated for the vacancy.
- 2.3 Unless any more nominations are received at the meeting, then it is recommended that Councillor John Clarke be appointed to the Alderman Newton Education Foundation.
- 2.4 Should further nominations be received, a vote will be required to fill the vacancy. The nomination with the clear majority of votes will be appointed.