## COUNCIL

## **MOTIONS LIST**

## 22 AUGUST 2012

Please note that this statement tracks all Notices of Motion (relevant to Council) submitted by members, until the point of disposal. The motion will remain on the statement until the Council has agreed to remove it.

No.	<u>Motion</u>	Date of Council Meeting	Decision of Council	Action taken / Proposed Future Action	Responsible Head(s) of Service	Due Date	Is authority sought to remove motion from list?
1.	Motion by Former Lord Provost Peter Stephen  "That this Council, with its local and national cultural partners, explores the potential of bidding for the accolade of UK City of Culture in 2017, instructing officers to research the social and economical benefits of submitting a bid, and to scope the financial requirements needed to prepare such a bid."	14.12.11	To approve the motion and instruct officers to report back to a future Council meeting.	At its meeting of 13 June 2012, Council approved a report which instructed officers to prepare and submit a bid for UK City of Culture 2017 and update Council regularly on progress.  It is recommended that the motion be removed from the motions list, and any outstanding action be transferred to the business statement instead.	Head of Communities, Culture and Sport		Yes
2.	Motion by Councillor McCaig  "In recognition of his successful football career, including his position as the Scotland national team's joint top goal scorer with thirty	04.04.12	To instruct officers to report to a future meeting on the process of nominating candidates for Freedom of the City, detailing the relevant implications and merits of this nomination as well as the other two nominations submitted.		Head of Service, Office of Chief Executive	22.08.12	No

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	goals and as the only Scottish footballer to have been crowned European Footballer of the Year, Council agrees to bestow the Freedom of the City on Denis Law."						
3.	Motion by Former Councillor Hunter  "That Council confers the Freedom of the City upon Paul Lawrie for his services to golf and to the city and for his charitable work."	04.04.12	To instruct officers to report to a future meeting on the process of nominating candidates for Freedom of the City, detailing the relevant implications and merits of this nomination as well as the other two nominations submitted.	the Council meeting on 10	Head of Service, Office of Chief Executive	22.08.12	No
4.	Motion by Former Lord Provost Peter Stephen  "That the Council confers the Freedom of the City on Professor Paul Mealor of the University of Aberdeen. Professor Mealor is well known having written the music for the hit song by the Military Wives which topped the music charts		To instruct officers to report to a future meeting on the process of nominating candidates for Freedom of the City, detailing the relevant implications and merits of this nomination as well as the other two nominations submitted.	the Council meeting on 10		22.08.12	No

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	in December 2011 - this has brought huge credit to the city and the university, focussing on the military background which the UK are currently involved in."						