

COUNCIL
MOTIONS LIST
4 MARCH 2015

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1.	<p><u>Motion by Councillor Thomson</u></p> <p>“That this Council:-</p> <p>(1) Restates its commitment to the Local Authority Community Covenant which ensures that Aberdeen City Council supports the local armed forces community.</p> <p>(2) Recognises the enormous contribution that the Armed Forces make and the sacrifices that the Armed Forces and their families make every day for the safety and security of our country.</p> <p>(3) To recognise the contribution made by our Armed Forces, agrees to request a report examining what more Aberdeen City Council can do to support our armed forces and veterans community across the services it provides.</p>	20.08.14 Article 10	The Council (i) instructed officers to submit a report to the next Council meeting; and (ii) accepted the offer from the Armed Services Advice Project to deliver a presentation to members at a future meeting.	<p>At the Council meeting of 8 October 2014, members noted a report which advised that it was intended that representatives of Royal British Legion Scotland, other signatories to the Covenant and other relevant organisations be invited to meet with the Lord Provost as the Council’s Veterans Champion both to discuss the envisaged protocol and what additional actions the Council might take in order to support the armed forces and veterans community in Aberdeen. A further report would then be brought to a future meeting of the Council.</p> <p>An update report was noted at the meeting of the Communities, Housing and Infrastructure Committee of 28 October 2014.</p>	<p>Chief Executive</p> <p>Director of Communities, Housing and Infrastructure</p>	4 March 2015

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	<p>(4) Instructs officers to engage with neighbouring authorities on their allocation of housing to members of the Armed Forces.</p> <p>(5) Instructs officers to meet with Legion Scotland and to establish a protocol for an ongoing relationship between the Council, Legion Scotland and other pertinent organisations.</p> <p>(6) Congratulates and welcomes the Armed Services Advice Project (ASAP) provided by the Scottish Citizens Advice Bureau which is a focal point for the city's armed forces community for access to advice, information and support."</p>			<p>The Lord Provost, as the Council's Veterans Champion, is currently working closely with all relevant organisations in relation to the City's Armed Forces Day celebrations to be held on 27 June 2015. A meeting in relation to the potential protocol will be held in the coming weeks.</p>		
2.	<p><u>Motion by Lord Provost George Adam</u></p> <p>"That Aberdeen City Council agrees to take forward approaches from associates of the local fishing industry to create an appropriate and lasting memorial to the men and women who lived, worked and</p>	17.12.14	To approve the terms of the motion.		Director of Education and Children's Services	13 May 2015

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	<p>died in it, in peace time and war, and to commemorate the major contribution which fishing has made to the city's life and heritage. Officers are instructed to report on the establishment of a small working group, the scope of a commission and confirmation of a budget with a view to obtaining additional contributions to build on external funds already secured."</p>					