

**Extract from the draft minutes of the Cabinet meeting of 16 November 2022**

**708. Nomination for Deputy Mayor 2023-24**

Consideration was given to the nomination for the appointment of the Deputy Mayor of the Borough of Colchester for the 2023-24 municipal year.

Councillor Goss nominated Councillor Scott-Boutell for appointment as the Deputy Mayor of the Borough of Colchester for the 2023-24 municipal year. Councillor Scott-Boutell had been elected to Council in 2002 and was next in line for appointment as Deputy Mayor. Residents of Stanway would be delighted that Stanway would be honoured in this way.

Councillor Fox indicated that the Labour Group supported the nomination. Councillor Scott-Boutell did a fantastic job representing the residents of Stanway and as Deputy Mayor and then Mayor would stand up for all of Colchester.

*RECOMMENDED TO COUNCIL* that Councillor Scott-Boutell be appointed as the Deputy Mayor of the Borough of Colchester for the 2023-24 municipal year.