



**NORWICH**  
City Council

## **TWINNING COMMITTEE**

Date: **Thursday 15 March 2012**

Time: **4pm**

Venue: **Committee room, City Hall**

### **COMMITTEE MEMBERS:**

Councillor Lay (Lord Mayor) (chair)  
Councillor Bremner (vice chair)  
Councillor Ackroyd  
Councillor Gledhill  
Councillor Fisher  
Councillor Offord  
Councillor Thomas  
Peter Beckley (Novi Sad)  
Doug Underwood (Novi Sad)  
Mary Corbould (Rouen)  
Waltraud Jarrold (Koblenz)  
Jill Noble (Koblenz)  
Councillor Ralph Gayton (El Viejo)  
Claire Alban  
County Councillor Hutson (Chairman  
Norfolk County Council) (ex officio  
member)

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## **AGENDA**

### **1. Apologies**

### **2. Public questions**

To receive questions from the public (notice to be given to the committee officer by 10am on Wednesday 14 March 2012)

### **3. Declarations of interest**

(Please note that it is the responsibility of individual members to declare an interest prior to an item if they arrive late for the meeting)

### **4. Minutes**

To agree the accuracy of the minutes of the twinning committee held on 13 October 2011.

### **5. General reports**

- (a) Norfolk and Norwich Rouen Friendship Association
- (b) Norfolk and Norwich El Viejo Friendship Link
- (c) Norfolk and Norwich Koblenz Friendship Association
- (d) Norfolk and Norwich Novi Sad Association

### **6. Twinning activities**

(Report of the twinning officer)

**Purpose** – This report updates members on issues arising at the last meeting and advises members of the twinning fund balance as at 29 February 2012.

### **7. Dates of meetings for 2012-13**

The next meeting of the twinning committee has been scheduled to be held on 14 June 2012\*. However to fit into the council's schedule of meetings for the next civic year it is proposed that the committee meets at 4pm on the following dates:

Thursday 28 June 2012  
Thursday 25 October 2012  
Thursday 28 March 2013

\*If members wish to meet as scheduled on 14 June 2012, it will be necessary to move the meeting forward to the earlier time of 3.30pm.

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