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# **Report of City Solicitor**

Report to Full Council

Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2012

**Subject: Annual Meeting 2012** 

Are specific electoral Wards affected?  If relevant, name(s) of Ward(s):	☐ Yes	⊠ No
Are there implications for equality and diversity and cohesion and integration?	☐ Yes	⊠ No
Is the decision eligible for Call-In?	☐ Yes	⊠ No
Does the report contain confidential or exempt information?  If relevant, Access to Information Procedure Rule number:  Appendix number:	☐ Yes	⊠ No

# **Summary of main issues**

- The dates of Council Meetings for 2011/12 were agreed at the Annual Council Meeting on 26<sup>th</sup> May 2011.
- This report seeks Council approval to change the date of this years Annual Meeting to Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2011.

### Recommendations

1 That Council approves the change of the date of this years Annual Meeting to Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2011.

### 1. Purpose of this report

1 This report seeks Council approval to change the date of this years Annual Meeting to Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2011.

#### 2 Main issues

- 2.1 Traditionally the day of the Annual Council Meeting has been a Monday, in more recent years the meeting has been held on a Thursday as a result of this Council's involvement in the Chelsea Flower Show.
- 2.2 As Leeds are now not participating in the Chelsea Flower Show, there is a desire to move the Annual Meeting back to its original Monday slot with immediate effect ie the forthcoming meeting.
- 2.3 The date of the Annual Meeting would be Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2011 not Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2011 as previously agreed.

## 3 Corporate Considerations

### 3.1 Consultation and Engagement

3.1.1 The Lord Mayor has been consulted on the proposal to revert back to the traditional Monday date.

## 3.2 Equality and Diversity / Cohesion and Integration

3.2.1 No implications.

### 3.3 Council Policies and City Priorities

3.3.1 No implications.

### 3.4 Resources and Value for Money

3.4.1 No implications.

### 3.5 Legal Implications, Access to Information and Call In

3.5.1 No implications.

#### 3.6 Risk Management

3.6.1 No implications.

#### 4 Recommendations

4.1 That Council approves the change of the date of this years Annual Meeting to Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2011.

## 5 Background documents - None Used