**Statement by Cllr Josh Burns, Mayor of Maghull, on the Death of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II.**

It is with great regret that we hear of the death of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II.

Our sadness at this time is shared with the people of Maghull and across the world as we remember with affection and gratitude the lifetime of service given by Her Majesty.

For those wishing to pay their respects, an online book of condolence has been made available by Buckingham Palace, and can be accessed **here**

Locally, Maghull Town Council will make a book of condolence available for signing between the hours of 12:00pm and 2:00pm Monday to Friday, during the period of national mourning.

In addition, in accordance with national guidelines, the Union Jack Flag at Maghull Town Hall will be flown at half-mast for the duration of the mourning period.

Those wishing to lay floral tributes can do so in the area adjacent to the entrance of Maghull Town Hall

All public engagements during the period of national mourning for which the mayor is scheduled to attend are being reviewed. Council officers will shortly confirm the mayor’s attendance or non-attendance during this period of great sadness.

Further announcements will be made in due course.

All enquiries should be made to info@maghull-tc.gov.uk or by calling 0151 526 3705