



Derry City & Strabane
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19th July 2018

Mr [REDACTED]
UUP Party Leader
Strandtown Hall
2-4 Belmont Road
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Dear Mr [REDACTED]

At a Meeting of Derry City and Strabane District Council held on 28 June 2018, the following Motion was passed:

That this Council believes that Alderman Hussey should step down from his position as both the Deputy Mayor of this City and District and as Chairperson of the PCSP. His repeated convictions for drink driving are not conducive with the role of PCSP Chair and his refusal to accept this has undermined the zero tolerance approach which public authorities must demonstrate towards this crime. As such, he has lost the confidence of this Chamber and the general public to represent them. The hurt and upset that this has caused local families who have lost loved ones as a result of drink driving has been immense and we would like to pay tribute to these families, who have bravely stood up to have their voice heard. We would ask that if Alderman Hussey does not agree to act on this request, that Council write to the Party Leader of the Ulster Unionist Party and ask that he take action on this matter.

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As you will note the above resolution makes two requests. The first request is for Alderman Hussey to step down from his position as Chair of the Policing and Community Safety Partnership and I acknowledge that this has since been actioned. The second request however for Alderman Hussey to stand down from his position as Deputy Mayor of this City and District remains outstanding. I therefore ask for your response on this request within the resolution.

Yours sincerely



John Kelpie
Chief Executive

