

BELFAST CITY COUNCIL

SUMMONS TO ATTEND A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

TO: THE LORD MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND THE COUNCILLORS OF BELFAST CITY COUNCIL

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Council will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall on Monday, 2nd September, 2019 at 5.30 pm, for the transaction of the following business:

1. Summons
2. Apologies
3. Declarations of Interest
4. Suspension of Parliament

Councillor De Faoite to propose:

“That Belfast City Council

- Condemns the undemocratic actions of the Prime Minister, whose suspension of Parliament is an attempt to frustrate the efforts of a majority of MPs opposed to a no deal Brexit and to limit further scrutiny of the British Government’s preparatory planning for no deal Brexit which has already outlined the likelihood of checks along the border;
- Expresses grave concern at the failure of the Government to recognise the damage which will be done by a no deal Brexit to the Good Friday Agreement, devolution, North/South relations and East/West relations;
- Notes that Belfast City voted to remain in the European Union, and has since elected a majority of Belfast City Councillors who are opposed to a no deal Brexit; and
- Resolves to take legal action against the Government to prevent the suspension of Parliament, to prevent a no deal Brexit and to ensure full democratic accountability at a vital moment for the future of these islands.”

The Special Meeting has been requisitioned by the following Members:

Councillor De Faoite
Councillor Whyte
Councillor Heading
Councillor Lyons
Councillor McKeown

The Members of Belfast City Council are hereby summoned to attend.



Chief Executive