Report on	Consideration of Requests for Civic Recognition – October 2017
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1.0	Purpose of Report
1.1	To consider approval of request(s) for civic recognition from members, in line with council Receptions Policy.
2.0	Background
2.1	The Receptions Policy was reviewed and subsequently agreed at the December 2016 council meeting. All requests for civic recognition are to be now forwarded to Democratic Services to appear on a report for presentation to council for consideration and approval.
2.2	The policy confirms 3 categories of reception offered by the Council:
	(1) Civic Receptions(2) Chair and Deputy Chair Reception(3) Civic Awards
2.3	Appendix A to this report details those request(s) received for notification to and approval by council. The request(s) have been categorised in line with established conditions/ criteria required to be met to receive a Civic Reception, Chair & Deputy Chair Reception or Civic Award.
2.4	Following the July 2017 Council meeting a working group was formed to review the current receptions policy.
3.0	Main Report
3.1	Implementation of the Receptions Policy facilitates the Council in acknowledging the achievements of organisations and persons from the district, as put forward by members.
3.2	Civic Recognition requests received from members since the last meeting of council have been categorised, details of which are set out within appendix A to this report.
4.0	Other Considerations
4.1	Financial & Human Resources Implications
	Financial: Not Applicable

	Human: Not Applicable
4.2	Equality and Good Relations Implications
4.3	Risk Management Implications
5.0	Recommendation(s)
5.1	That consideration be given to approving request(s) for civic recognition.
6.0	Documents Attached & References
6.1	Appendix A Submitted Requests

Category: Civic Reception

Proposed Recipient	Achievement	Submitted by	Condition/Criteria Met	Recipient Previously Acknowledged
Keith Farmer	British Supersport Motorcycle Champion	Cllr Mulligan	 Won competition at a United Kingdom level 	For: N/A
				Date: N/A
Margaret Conway	Chartered Institute of Building: Construction Manager of the Year	Cllr McNamee	Won competition at a United Kingdom level	For: N/A
-	Award 2017			Date: N/A

Category: Civic Award

Proposed Recipient	Achievement	Submitted by	Condition/Criteria Met	Recipient Previously Acknowledged
Erin's Own GAC Lavey	Under 15 Football Team Ulster Winners	Cllr McPeake	 Won competition at a provincial level 	For: N/A
				Date: N/A
Moyla Park Golf Club	Winners of the Ulster Pierce Purcell Cup (Golf Clubs in Ireland)	Cllr McPeake Cllr Bell	 Won competition at a provincial level 	For: N/A
				Date: N/A
Killymoon Ladies Golf Team	Winners of the All Ireland Four Ball Competition	Cllr Wilson	Won competition at All Ireland Level	For: N/A
				Date: N/A
Acorn Relay Team	Winners of the NI Masters Relay Championship	Cllr Wilson	Won competition at a provincial level	For: N/A
				Date: N/A
Noel Glasgow	UK Fire and Rescue British Bowling Championship (Triple Team Member)	Cllr Wilson	Won competition at a provincial level	For: N/A
				Date: N/A
Colin Hogg Eric Sands	Won the Irish Bowling Association Irish Over 55 Rinks	Cllr Wilson	Won Competition at a provincial level –	For: N/A

Willie Lennox Tommy Johnston	qualifying to play in British Isles Competition			Date: N/A
Bob McClure	Ulsterbus Tours Community Champion Award in recognition of the lasting and positive difference he has made to his local area by embracing the 'Ulster in Bloom' ethos. (For role as Joint Chair and proactive member of Castlecaulfield Horticultural Society	Cllr Burton	Won competition at a provincial level	For: N/A Date: N/A
St Joseph's High School Coalisland	Winners of the Danske Bank Ulster Schools GAA Mallon Cup June 2017	Cllr M Quinn	Won competition at a provincial level	For: N/A Date: N/A
Teo Alin Cookstown Boxing Club	Ulster Senior Lightweight Champion	Cllr Mallaghan	Won competition at a provincial level	For: N/A Date: N/A
Ryan Cleary Cookstown Boxing Club	Ulster Senior Middleweight Champion	Cllr Mallaghan	Won competition at a provincial level	For: N/A Date: N/A

Proposed Recipient	Achievement	Submitted by	Condition/Criteria Met	Recipient Previously Acknowledged
None			•	

Other: Letter from Council Chair

Where it is deemed that conditions/criteria have not been met for a civic reception, civic award or chair & deputy chair reception a letter from the Council Chair is recommended. This may also be in instances where recipients have previously received a reception or award for the same or similar achievement.

Proposed Recipient	Achievement	Submitted by
Erin's Own GAC Lavey	Under 16 Footballer – Derry A Champions	Cllr McPeake
Erin's Own GAC Lavey	Senior Hurling Team - Derry Intermediate Hurling Champions	Cllr McPeake

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