



SUPPORTERS' COUNCIL CONSTITUTION

PURPOSE

City of Liverpool Football Club is a community-owned football club. The Supporters' Council ("the Council") is an independently constituted body, comprising club members with an interest in supporter issues. The Council exists to ensure that supporter interests are represented within the club in an open, democratic and accountable manner.

OBJECTIVES

To convey as accurately as possible the collective views of club supporters within the structures of the football club, principally through the Council's representation on the club Board of Directors, Management Committee and any other committees and sub-committees of the club that the Council provides input into.

To represent the club's supporters in creating a unified voice to debate, lobby, and act on substantive supporters' issues, both club specific and of wider concern to football supporters.

To seek to represent the club's supporters in wider discussions with football authorities, press, media and broadcasters, and other football associated bodies.

To always seek to represent and promote the views of all club supporters regardless of nationality, age, colour, religion or creed, gender, or sexual orientation.

Whilst remaining independent, to always endeavour to promote membership of the club and promote active and supportive community ownership of the club.

ORGANISATION

The initial meeting of the Council will elect officers, including a Chairperson and Secretary, one of whom will be selected as the representative of the Council to serve as a club director. These officers will stand down, and may be nominated for re-election, at each subsequent annual general meeting.

Candidates for Council office will be nominated and seconded by Council members, with the election being decided by way of voting by a show of hands at the annual general meeting.

Each club member is entitled to one vote on each issue discussed at Council meetings. If there is a split vote, the Chairperson has the casting vote.

Meetings of the Council will be convened by the officers of the council on an ad hoc basis. With an annual general meeting taking place each year prior to the club's annual general meeting.

It is the responsibility of the Council's elected officers to organise, facilitate and service all meetings of the Council. One week's notice of Council meetings shall be given to all club members and minutes of meetings shall be made available within two weeks of meetings being held.

The club membership, by means of a resolution at a general meeting, retains the right determine the powers or otherwise of the council, as well as the right to dissolve the council.

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