

**It is with immense sadness...**

It is with immense sadness that the Town Council of Blackrod wishes to inform the residents of Blackrod of the loss of Councillor Lucy Patricia Barrow who lost her long battle with ill health on Thursday 20th April 2017.

Councillor Mrs Barrow served the Town Council and local residents alike for 30 years, serving as Town Mayor 4 times as well as representing Blackrod for a period from 2008-2012 as a Horwich & Blackrod Ward Councillor.

Councillor Mrs Barrow raised thousands of pounds on behalf of charitable organisations including Derian House and was always there to assist anyone in need, working actively on the Blackrod Welfare Group for many years.

Councillor Mrs Barrow will be greatly missed by her colleagues in the Town Council and our sincere condolences are now with her husband and family.

The funeral of Councillor Mrs Barrow will take place on Tuesday 2nd May 2017 at 1.15pm at St Katharine's Church in Blackrod, followed by a cremation service at Howe Bridge Crematorium, Atherton at 2.30pm followed by a return to the Cherry Tree Inn in Blackrod.