

Festive Lighting 2026/27 update – Funding approved.

7 There was submitted and noted a report by the Executive Director of Neighbourhoods, Regeneration and Sustainability (NRS), regarding Festive Lighting within the Ward, advising of the central funding of £3,600 available to meet the costs of erecting and maintaining festive lighting and the proposed costs and locations advising

- (1) of the 2025/26 festive displays and switch-on events and requested that the Partnership confirm whether these should be included in the 2026/27 Programme, as detailed in the report;
- (2) of the standard pricing schedule for the 2024-2028 festive lighting programme following the procurement exercise carried out to deliver the programme; and
- (3) that approved funding in excess of the central funding would be met by Langside Area Partnership from other funds.

After consideration, the Partnership

- (a) noted the report;
- (b) approved additional funding of £1,780 over and above the central funding for 2026/27 Festive Lighting programme, as detail in the report; and
- (c) raised concerns in relation to the natural tree lights that had been provided which was addressed by Christine Martin, (NRS).