

Decision Taken by: **Councillor David Monk, Leader of the Council**

Subject: **STREET LIGHTING AND POWER SUPPLY ON THE
"HIGHSTREET", FOLKESTONE**

Key Decision: **No**

Date: **26th September 2018**

To provide funding to upgrade and make safe the street lighting and power connections for Christmas lights and market traders on Sandgate Road and Guildhall Street.

(Executive Councillor to approve, amend or replace as appropriate)

1. **To receive and note Report C/18/xx.**
2. **To engage the council's contractor to fit high level power connections that supply electricity to the Town Councils Christmas lights. At a cost of £10,136.00.**
3. **To engage the council's contractor to install feeder pillars to supply the market traders with power. At a cost of £7,783.00.**
4. **To engage the council's contractor to upgrade the faulty and unsafe lights found on Guildhall Street and Sandgate Road. At a cost of £19,792.30.**

Reason for Decisions:

The leader is asked to agree the recommendations set out below because:

- a) **The current street lighting and power connection installations are unsafe and should not be used.**
- b) **Failing to provide a method to provide power to the Christmas lights and the market traders is considered a political risk and goes against the Councils corporate objective of "appearance matters".**

Alternative Options (if any)

None

Declarations or Personal/Prejudicial Interests:

~~None~~ **MEMBER OF FOLKESTONE TOWN COUNCIL**

Background Documents:

None

The decision set out above was made by me.

Not to be approved before:
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Signed: 

Date: 26 September 2018

Councillor David Monk
Leader of the Council

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Call-In and Implementation:

Call-In deadline:

Implementation:

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Decision Called-in: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
If the decision is not called-in by the above deadline, it will be implemented on the date shown.
Call-in
Date of Review
Outcome of Call-In: Refer Back <input type="checkbox"/> Refer to Council <input type="checkbox"/> Implement <input type="checkbox"/>
Authorisation to Implement Decision: _____ Chief Executive/Director
Date: _____