

NEWENT TOWN COUNCIL

AND BURIAL AUTHORITY

28th February 2024

MINUTES OF THE CHRISTMAS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 21st FEBRUARY 2024 at Council Offices, 6 pm.

Councillors Present:

Cllr Josh Robertson
Cllr Gill Moseley
Cllr Kay Selwyn
Cllr Sam Letchford
Cllr Trevor Beckwith

Also Present:

Charlie Reynolds (Officer of the Council)

1. To note apologies for absence.

Apologies were received from Cllr David Sass, Cllr Linda Morris, Cllr Sara Hulbert and Cllr Juli Escritt.

2. Declarations of interest on items on the agenda.

No declarations of interest were given.

3. To approve Minutes of the last Christmas Lights Committee Meeting held Thursday 1st February 2024.

The Committee resolved by majority decision to approve the Minutes from Thursday 1st February 2024 meeting.

4. To agree to co-opt members of the public onto the Christmas Lights Committee

Item deferred due to no members of the public being in attendance.

5. To agree the expenditure of replacement Christmas Lights.

This item was deferred until next meeting.

6. To agree the expenditure of replacement Baubles.

The Committee resolved by unanimous decision to approve the expenditure of £300 to the replacement of the Baubles.

7. To agree the expenditure of white panelled fencing to go around the Christmas Tree.

The Committee decided to investigate costs of hiring fencing.

8. To receive an update on the Market.

The Committee discussed ideas for type of market stalls.

9. To discuss ideas for the 2024 event

The Committee discussed ideas for the 2024 Christmas Lights switch on event.

10. To confirm date of next meeting.

The next meeting date will be confirmed when there is more business to discuss.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7:00 pm.

Signed: _____ **Dated:** _____

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