Report on	Request to Illuminate Council Property – February 2020
Date of Meeting	Thursday 6 th February 2020
Reporting Officer	P Moffett, Head of Democratic Services
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Is this report restricted for confidential business?	Yes	
If 'Yes', confirm below the exempt information category relied upon	No	Х

1.0	Purpose of Report
1.1	To consider a request from the Marie Curie Dungannon Fundraising Group to highlight the start of its flagship campaign the Great Daffodil Appeal by lighting up/illuminating the Burnavon, Cookstown, Ranfurly House, Dungannon and the Bridewell, Magherafelt on Friday 28 th February to 1 st March 2020 (inclusive).
2.0	Background
2.1	The Community Fundraiser from the Dungannon Fundraising Group of Marie Curie has contacted the council requesting that it consider lighting up its buildings to mark the start of Marie Curie's Great Daffodil Appeal on the evenings of Friday 28 th February, Saturday 29 th February and Sunday 1 st March 2020.
2.2	The Great Daffodil Appeal is Marie Curie's flagship Campaign and runs from mid- February to mid-April each year with thousands of volunteers helping to receive donations through the sale of their little daffodils badges/pins. The Dungannon Fundraising Group will be holding their Daffodil Collection this year on Saturday 29 th February.
2.3	The Council has a policy in place on Illuminating/Lighting Up Council properties and requires that Policy & Resources Committee consider requests.
3.0	Main Report
3.1	 To light up/illuminate the designated properties (Ranfurly House & Visitor Centre, Dungannon; the Burnavon Arts & Cultural Centre, Cookstown and the Bridewell, Magherafelt) yellow on the evenings of Friday 28th February, Saturday 29th February and Sunday 1st March to mark the commencement of Marie Curie's 2020 Great Daffodil Appeal

4.0	Other Considerations
4.1	Financial, Human Resources & Risk Implications
	Financial: Not applicable
	Human: Not applicable
	Risk Management: Not applicable
4.2	Screening & Impact Assessments
	Equality & Good Relations Implications:
	Not applicable
	Rural Needs Implications:
	Not applicable
5.0	Recommendation(s)
5.1	That the Committee approves the request to light up/illuminate the designated properties (Ranfurly House & Visitor Centre, Dungannon; the Burnavon Arts & Cultural Centre, Cookstown and the Bridewell, Magherafelt) yellow on the evenings of Friday 28th February, Saturday 29th February and Sunday 1st March to mark the commencement of Marie Curie's 2020 Great Daffodil Appeal
6.0	Documents Attached & References
	Not applicable