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| Report on | Request(s) to Illuminate Council Property |
| Date of Meeting | 10 July 2024 |
| Reporting Officer | Joseph McGuckin, Head of Strategic Services and Engagement |
| Contact Officer | Eileen Forde, Member Support Officer |

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| Is this report restricted for confidential business? If 'Yes', confirm below the exempt information category relied upon | Yes | |
| | No | X |

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| 1.0 | Purpose of Report |
| 1.1 | <p>To consider requests received to illuminate and light up the Council's three designated properties to raise awareness for the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air Ambulance NI: Air Ambulance Week 9th September 2024 – Colour: Red • Versus Arthritis - Arthritis World Awareness Day - 12 October – Colour: Blue • Postural Orthostatic Tachycardia Syndrome (POTS) Awareness Day 25 October 2023 – Colour: Purple |
| 2.0 | Background |
| 2.1 | The Council has a policy and procedural arrangements in place to facilitate the illuminating/lighting-up of its designated properties from requests made by charitable organisations for charitable causes. The designated properties are the Burnavon, Bridewell and Ranfurly House. |
| 2.2 | The policy confirms that requests are considered by the Council's Policy and Resources Committee. Should the scheduling of the committee not permit requests being considered within the timeframes for determination, they can be presented to monthly Council. |
| 3.0 | Main Report |
| 3.1 | <p>The Council has received correspondence from organisations requesting that consideration be given to lighting up our three designated council properties.</p> <p>Requests for consideration and recommendation by Committee:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air Ambulance NI: Air Ambulance Week 9th September 2024 – Colour: Red • Versus Arthritis - Arthritis World Awareness Day - 12 October – Colour: Blue |

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| 3.2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Postural Orthostatic Tachycardia Syndrome (POTS) Awareness Day 25 October 2023 – Colour: Purple <p>Scope of the Council Arrangements</p> <p>The policy scope extends to requests made by charitable organisations for the promotion of its charitable cause on a given date or set of dates.</p> |
| 4.0 | Other Considerations |
| 4.1 | <p>Financial, Human Resources & Risk Implications</p> <p>Financial: Not applicable</p> <p>Human: Not applicable</p> <p>Risk Management: Not applicable</p> |
| 4.2 | <p>Screening & Impact Assessments</p> <p>Equality & Good Relations Implications: Council policy and procedural arrangements have been referred to.</p> <p>Rural Needs Implications: Not applicable</p> |
| 5.0 | Recommendation(s) |
| 5.1 | <p>That the Committee considers making recommendation to light up the designated properties on the dates specified to mark:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air Ambulance NI: Air Ambulance Week 9th September 2024 – Colour: Red • Versus Arthritis - Arthritis World Awareness Day - 12 October – Colour: Blue • Postural Orthostatic Tachycardia Syndrome (POTS) Awareness Day 25 October 2023 – Colour: Purple |
| 6.0 | Documents Attached & References |
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