

Christmas Lights Tender Questions – answers in red

1. Is the £35,000 an annual budget or the total for the three years? – The £35,000 is an annual budget. Therefore it would be a total of £105,000 for the three years.

2. Where are the “3 triangle islands” and how are can they be decorated? – the tree triangles are as follows:

- a) junction of Rectory Grove and Elm Road,
- b) junction Elm Road, Broadway and Broadway West
- c) junction Broadway West and Rectory Grove.

These have in the past just had strings of lights across them.

3. How many trees are there in the Library Gardens to be lit. – Ideally 16 trees.

4. Can you send me a copy of the “document detailing tests to validate the installation” or advise which tests we are to supply you with? – The test required is to make sure that all lights are working once installation is complete and directly before they are all to be switched.

5. How many timers are we to supply? – One for each column which from the publish list is 82 and then what ever would be needed for the three triangles.

6. Can you advise the fixings that we can use for the community centre? – I am unable to advise of the fixtures I would need guidance from yourselves as to what can be put up as this is the first year the Council will be doing this.

7. Have all of the areas been lit in the past, allowing us to assume that suitable electrical connections are available, with the exception of the timers? – Yes apart from the Community Centre as stated above.

8. Do you require us for a switch on ceremony? – At present no but this may change depending on the Council’s decision as to the evening itself.

9. Can you confirm the location for the ‘3 lighting banners to stretch across 3 strategic locations’? – The locations of the 3 banners would be: the west end of Rectory Grove, the east end of Broadway and east end of Leigh Road.