



VENTNOR CARNIVAL'S CHRISTMAS EVENT

BUSINESS & COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MEETING

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12 NOVEMBER 2025

The purpose of this Report is to provide Members with information regarding the Christmas event planned by Ventnor Carnival on Saturday 13th December.

No. DETAILS

1) BACKGROUND

- a) The Ventnor Carnival Committee have requested that Ventnor Town Council provide funding for booking the church and bands to participate in a Carols event which previously took place at Ventnor Park but will be at St Catherine's Church this year due to the lack of lighting in the Park.
 - b) It is understood that the amount that it will cost is approximately £250
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2) ALLOCATION

- a) The Business & Community Committee could consider providing funding from its *Community Development* budget line, which contains sufficient unallocated funds to cover the cost.
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3) CONSIDERATIONS

- a) It should be noted that providing funding does not mean that the event is under the Town Council's ownership. Therefore there is no liability being accepted for the event, but it enables the Town Council to be involved in Christmas events in town.
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4) RECOMMENDATION

Members are recommended to:

Approve the expenditure from the Community Development budget line to assist with the event in town
