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Minutes of Meeting of the **Christmas Lights Committee** held on **27th February 2026** in **Council Chamber, 49 High Street, Polegate, BN26 6AL at 10:00.**

PRESENT: Councillors D Murray, D Dunbar, C Berry, M Cunningham, J Heward (5)

NOT PRESENT: Councillor M Piper, S Shing (2)

MINUTES

14036 Item 1: Opportunity for Public Comment for items on the agenda

None

14037 Item 2: Apologies for absence

Apologies from Cllr M Piper, S Shing

14038 Item 3: Declarations of interest

No Declarations of interest received

14039 Item 4: Minutes of the Christmas Lights Meeting dated 8th August 2025

It was resolved to adopt the minutes of the Christmas Lights Committee Meeting 8th August 2025. VOTE all in favour.

14040 Item 5: Confidential

Christmas Lights Committee to consider pursuant to Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 whether the public and press should be excluded from the meeting on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reasons of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted. (Contract Matters)

It was resolved to go into confidential session.

14041 Item 6: To discuss variations in the Christmas Lights contract

It was resolved to keep the current Christmas Lights and current contractor and to waive financial regulations due to the specialist nature of the contract. VOTE all in favour.

13042 Item 7: Motion whether to have extra icicle lights in specified locations

It was resolved to not have extra icicle lights. VOTE all in favour.

The meeting closed at 10:10am

Signed Chair of Meeting _____ Date _____