

Copy of email to Councillor Goldsworthy from John Hesketh on November 18th 2018

Good Morning Ian,

Can I ask you to raise a couple of topics at your Facilities Committee meeting on Tuesday please?

Firstly, LIB has been talking to Rachel Brooks about donating floral decorations to the town as part of the Nadelik Lowen event. We've agreed to create displays that can be installed on either side of the entrance to the public hall: this can be done using existing fittings and there will be no harm caused to the building fabric. I'm attaching a photograph of the almost-complete version. We may substitute red ribbon for the poinsettias (less tempting to casual theft), and we plan to install them during the evening of November 30, so that they're in place for Lights Up the following day.

However, our volunteers would like to go further than just the public hall: we'd like to attach three more wreaths to the pillars outside of the Guildhall and one to the gated entrance to The Pipewell. Subject to final agreement, they'll also be a matching pair by the entrance to the Cornish Times, and several others around the town centre using existing fixings.

We need your sign off on the council properties: can you ask members to agree please? (and we're happy for you to share the picture of the wreath with your committee, but please not in the public domain or with anyone attending as part of public participation).

The second topic we need your committee's decision on is whether or not they will arbitrate on the recent actions by the Traders Association who are claiming possession of their donation to the town (the wooden planter by The Pipewell), the plants and shrubs that residents & LIB have funded, and that our volunteers have maintained. My previous emails to you and council officers explaining the background to this issue are attached. The LIB Steering Group and volunteers would appreciate a clear answer from you on who the town council choose to maintain the area around this recently refurbished heritage space.

Supporters of LIB are willing to pay for the construction of a replacement planter that will be donated to the town, anonymously.

Oll an gwella - all the best

John

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