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| | <p>Environment Committee</p> <p>10 March 2015</p> |
| <p>Title</p> | <p>Member’s Item –Street Lighting Councillor Claire Farrier</p> |
| <p>Report of</p> | <p>Head of Governance</p> |
| <p>Wards</p> | <p>All</p> |
| <p>Status</p> | <p>Public</p> |
| <p>Enclosures</p> | <p>None</p> |
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| <p>Summary</p> |
| <p>The report informs the Environment Committee of a Member’s Item and requests instructions from the Environment Committee.</p> |

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| <p>Recommendations</p> |
| <p>1. That the Environment Committee’s instructions in relation to this Member’s item are requested.</p> |

1. WHY THIS REPORT IS NEEDED

- 1.1 Councillor Claire Farrier has requested that a Member's Item be considered on the following matter:
- 1.2 *Barnet has been dimming almost all of its street lights by 50% since last year and this was introduced without consultation with residents, community groups or the police.*
- 1.3 *I request that the Environment Committee consider the decision to dim street lights on safety and the fear of crime. I request that the Committee also request greater investment in LED lighting, which saves both energy and money.*

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1.4 No recommendations have been made. The Environment Committee are therefore requested to give consideration and provide instruction.

2. ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND NOT RECOMMENDED

- 2.1 Not applicable.

3. POST DECISION IMPLEMENTATION

- 3.1 Post decision implementation will depend on the decision taken by the Committee.

4. IMPLICATIONS OF DECISION

4.1 Corporate Priorities and Performance

- 4.1.1 As and when issues raised through a Member's Item are progressed, they will need to be evaluated against the Corporate Plan and other relevant policies.

4.2 Resources (Finance & Value for Money, Procurement, Staffing, IT, Property, Sustainability)

- 4.2.1 None in the context of this report.

4.3 Legal and Constitutional References

- 4.3.1 The Council's Constitution Meeting Procedure Rules (section 6) states that a Member, including appointed substitute Members of a Committee may have one item only on an agenda that he/she serves. Members items must be within the term of reference of the decision making body which will consider the item.

4.3.2 There are no legal references in the context of this report.

4.4 **Risk Management**

4.4.1 None in the context of this report.

4.5 **Equalities and Diversity**

4.5.1 Member's Items allow Members of a Committee to bring a wide range of issues to the attention of a Committee in accordance with the Council's Constitution. All of these issues must be considered for their equalities and diversity implications.

4.6 **Consultation and Engagement**

4.6.1 None in the context of this report.

5. **BACKGROUND PAPERS**

5.1 Email to the Governance Service on 26 February 2015.