

Andover Town Council

To **consider and agree** on the renaming of the budget heading "Town Centre Development" in the Trial Balance.

Item No.

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Proposal:

To **decide** on a more appropriate description for the "Town Centre Development" budget heading.

On the Summary Trial Balance the last line on page 1 the budget line shows *Town Centre Development*, and against this is a figure of £29,308.53. It is not clear, what this cost actually is.

| Committee | Events & Projects | ~ | Number | 4700 | |
|---------------|-------------------------------------|------------------|--------------|----------------|----------|
| Description | Town Centre Development | Expenditure | ~ | | |
| Bank account | Co-Operative Bank/ Unity Trust Bank | Confidential 🗀 C | Controller | | * |
| I & E Heading | Town Centre Development Vew | VAT heading 🗀 📙 | Heading Type | Other payments | * |
| 2024/2025 | £49,100.00 Revised | £0.00 | 2025/2026 | £49,100.00 | |

The committee budget that this code sits under is Community and Events. (4700) The sub-headings under this budget line are:

| Code | Description | Last year's spend | Current budget |
|---------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 4700-2 | Christmas Lights | 23,728.39 | 40,000.00 |
| 4700-6 | Misc Events | 297.94 | 4,100.00 |
| 4700-10 | WW1 Event | 45.83 | 0 |
| 4700-13 | Community Engagement | 122.00 | 0 |
| 4700-23 | Kings Coronation | 4,964.00 | 0 |
| 4700-24 | Andover Pride | 150.37 | 5,000.00 |
| | Total | 29,308.53 | 49,100.00 |

Perhaps Councillors may feel that "Town Entertainment" is a better description?

Other alternatives might be more suitable.

Councillors are asked to suggest and decide on whether the heading should remain as is or be changed.

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