

<b>Key Decision Required:</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>In the Forward Plan:</b>	<b>No</b>
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## CABINET

12 DECEMBER 2014

### REFERENCE FROM COUNCIL

**A.1 PART-NIGHT STREET LIGHTING**  
(Report prepared by Colin Sweeney)

#### **PART 1 – KEY INFORMATION**

##### **PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

To report to Cabinet a motion submitted at the meeting of the Council held on 25 November 2014.

##### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

This report sets out a motion submitted by Councillor I Henderson to the meeting of the Council held on 25 November 2014 relating to part-night street lighting within Tendring and which was referred to the Cabinet by the Chairman of the Council for consideration and report, in accordance with the provisions of Council Procedure Rule 11.4.

##### **RECOMMENDATION**

**That, following the explanation of the motion by Councillor I Henderson, the Cabinet decides whether to recommend, or not, that the Council supports the motion.**

#### **PART 2 – SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

##### **BACKGROUND**

At a meeting of the Council held on 25 November 2014, the following motion was moved by Councillor I Henderson and seconded by Councillor P Oxley and, in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 11.4, stood referred to the Cabinet for consideration and report:

*“That this Council seeks to reverse the impact of Essex County Council’s Part Night Street Lighting policy within the Tendring District by paying to Essex County Council the sum of up to £44,000 in 2014/15 (Essex County Council have identified £127,000 as the annual amount saved by the night time switch off of the District’s lights) to enable the Tendring District’s street lights to remain on all night. The amount to be spent is to be taken from the Council contingency to meet the remainder of the 2014-2015 financial year.*

*Funding thereafter to be included for consideration as part of the budget setting process for 2015/16 on the basis that the funding of Tendring’s street lights throughout the night be met by this Council only until Essex County Council is persuaded to reverse its unpopular and dangerous policy.”*

**CURRENT POSITION**

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 11.5 Councillor Henderson has been invited to attend the meeting and explain the motion.

**BACKGROUND PAPERS FOR THE DECISION**

None.

**APPENDICES**

None.