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**Sent:** 31 October 2024 15:26  
**To:** FOI requests at Torpoint Town Council  
**Subject:** Freedom of Information request - Christmas Lights Expenditure

Dear Torpoint Town Council,

The purpose of this request is to gather data on the average figure the council spends on Christmas lights and decorations.

Specifically, I am seeking information on the following:

1. The annual spend on Christmas lights per year, for the following years:
  - 2023
  - 2024 (estimated)
2. The annual spend on Christmas decorations (e.g. trees), for the following years:
  - 2023
  - 2024 (estimated)
3. Have you re-used Christmas Decorations / Lights from a previous year Yes No
4. The amount spent by the council on celebrities to turn on Christmas Lights (if applicable) • In 2023 • In 2024 (predicted) 5. Name of celebrity who turned on Christmas lights for the Council • In 2023 • In 2024 (predicted)

For the purpose of this FOI, a celebrity is not the local mayor or MP. Anyone who has appeared on television, reality television, it is people in the media. Athletes, authors, ect.

Yours faithfully,

Matt hillier

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