



Policy, Finance and Development Committee	Tuesday, 02 December 2025	Matter for Decision
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Addendum Title: **Addendum -Town Centre Wi Fi and Footfall - Review of Systems**

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Purpose and Summary of Addendum:	To provide an additional option 5 for Members' consideration.
Recommendation(s):	That the Council shall proceed along the lines set out in Option 4 of this report (to stop providing free Wi Fi and to move to an alternative more cost-efficient means of counting footfall).
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Strategic Objectives:	Our Economy (SO3)
Vision and Values:	Customer & Community Focused (V1)
Report Implications:-	
Legal:	There are no implications arising from this report.
Financial:	The implications are as set out in this report.
Corporate Risk Management:	Economy / Regeneration (CR9) Decreasing Financial Resources / Increasing Financial Pressures (CR1)
Equalities and Equalities Assessment (EA):	There are no implications arising from this report. EA not applicable.
Human Rights:	There are no implications arising from this report.
Health and Safety:	There are no implications arising from this report.
Statutory Officers' Comments:-	
Head of Paid Service:	The report is satisfactory.
Chief Finance Officer:	The report is satisfactory.

Monitoring Officer:	The report is satisfactory.
Consultees:	None.
Background Papers:	None.
Appendices:	None.

5. Options

5.5. Option 5:

- Install a new footfall counting system and keep the existing WiFi – the cost of this would be £8,824 (£6,624 for the WiFi and £2,200 for the footfall counters). This would be £2,624 more than the 25/26 budget so would require a saving to the same value to be found elsewhere. It should also be noted it would be a cost of £6,624 more than the saving that could be achieved than if the WiFi were to be switched off compared to the current system costs.