

**BHTC REQUEST FOR INTERVENTION**

**TITLE:** Additional Tiered Planters for Church Walk      **DATE:** 14 July 2023

**Reason (please place an x in the corresponding box/es):**

Financial:

Economic:

Social:

Health & Safety:

Legal:

Other (Please state):

Please complete the following information regarding the project:

<p><b>Background:</b></p> <p>The Town Council purchased 2 x three tiered planters this year to brighten up Church Walk and make it more attractive to encourage footfall. Due to the risk of vandalism only 2 were purchased as a trial.</p>
<p><b>Purpose/ Justification:</b></p> <p>This year's trial has been very successful with positive comments made by the public.</p>
<p><b>Financial implications</b></p> <p>The cost of 2 x three tiered planters to include soil and flowers will be approx. £1200.</p>
<p><b>Benefits:</b></p> <p>See above.</p>
<p><b>Payback/ Value for Money:</b></p>

More attractive town centre which is also creating a haven for bees and other insects.

**Current Situation:**

We have 2 existing three tiered planters that have been very successfully trialled this year

**Other Options:**

None.

**Desired Outcome:**

2 additional three tier planters are purchased for Church Walk to be placed on the opposite side of the band stand to the existing planters for Summer 2024 onwards.

**Risk**

Vandalism.

**Conclusion and Recommendation:**

Funds of £1200 be allocated from the 2024-25 budget to purchase 2 x additional three tier planters that will be planted up by the MMT.

**SCORE:**