

KIRKBY MALZEARD, LAVERTON AND DALLOWGILL PARISH COUNCIL

RISK ASSESSMENT FOR CHRISTMAS TREES

This document has been produced to enable the Council to assess the risks and to indicate the steps to be taken to minimise them.

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LIKELIHOOD					
HIGHLY LIKELY (3)	MEDIUM (3)	HIGH (6)	HIGH (9)		
POSSIBLE (2)	LOW (2)	MEDIUM (4)	HIGH (6)		
UNLIKELY (1)	LOW (1)	LOW (2)	MEDIUM (3)	HIGH (6)	
	NEGLIGIBLE (1)	MODERATE (2)	SEVERE (3)	VERY SEVERE (6)	IMPACT

CHRISTMAS TREES

AIM TO:

- Avoid Injury from electricity
- Avoid injury from trips
- Avoid tree falling

RISK RATING: Likelihood - Unlikely - 1

Impact – Very Severe - 6

Risk Rating – High - 6

MEANS OF MANAGING RISK:

- a) Mains electricity fitted by qualified electrician
- b) Cables covered by pavement cable protector
- c) Tree(s) erected by competent people and inspected regularly especially in bad weather.