

March 2017

Dear Manager,

## **CONGLETON IN BLOOM ENTRY** - REQUEST FOR BUSINESS HANGING BASKETS

Thank you to everyone who supported Congleton In Bloom by having a hanging basket(s) last year. This initiative was part of the "In Bloom" campaign and really made the town look great over the summer season and helped Congleton to win North West in Bloom. Congleton will be competing in North West in Bloom again this year, winning this competition could enable us to represent the North West in Britain in Bloom in 2018. We very much hope you want to support the In Bloom campaign by having a basket again this year.

The price is £30 per basket (including VAT) – this covers the cost of the basket, bracket if needed, plants, watering and feeding for the season and installing/ removing the basket.

The baskets need to be planted up soon. To help this process I need to know how many hanging baskets to order for the town before the 3<sup>rd</sup> April. If the decision has to be made at a regional or national level please can you stress to management the importance of this for Congleton. If you are not having a basket, we may take your bracket down, as empty brackets cost us vital points in 2015/16.

Please fill in the attached form and return with payment. Either cash or cheque made payable to Congleton Town Council or you can arrange a BACs payment, details on the form attached.

If you have any queries on this, please email me at <a href="mh@congletontowncouncil.co.uk">mh@congletontowncouncil.co.uk</a> or tel 01260 270350 ext 3 or call in via Tourist Information Centre in the Town Hall.

Many thanks in advance for your support

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