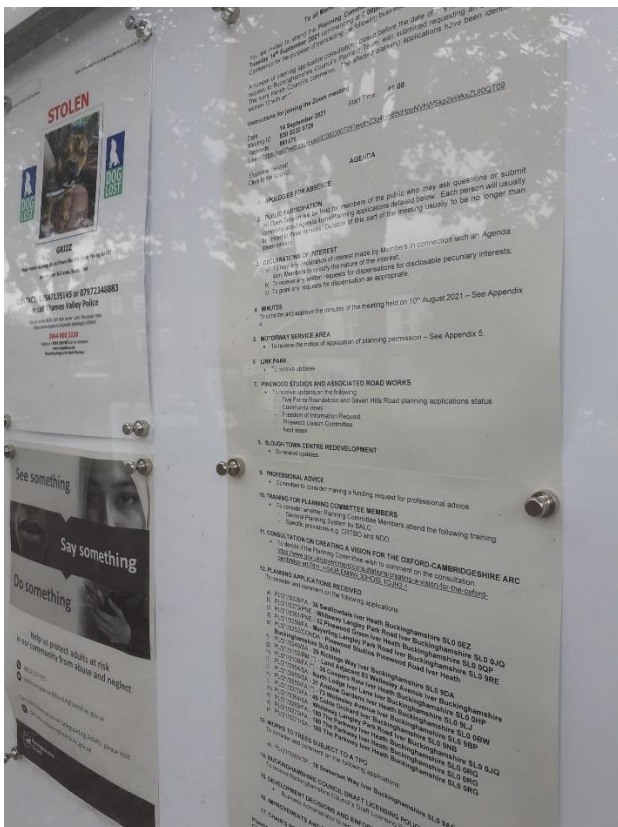


Noticeboard Condition Update

1.0 Background

The Deputy Clerk previously reported on the condition of our public noticeboards and a result of this a number of actions have been completed:

- a) Removal of two 'end of purpose / life' noticeboards at the boundary of the Council owned land in Iver Village. One of these has been saved to be re-purposed in the future potentially for an allotments site by use of an Allotment Association
- b) The 'third' noticeboard in Iver Village to the side of the Council Office by Chequers Orchard has been reclaimed for use by the Parish Council. This has been refurbished with a metallic backing and is now successful used to display official Parish Council notices using strong magnets. This was at a cost of approximately £100.



2.0 Observations

As previously identified, we have two noticeboards manufactured by Greenbarnes at Iver Heath Co-op and Iver Heath, Slough Road that are in very good condition where the pin boards are of good quality and easy to pin notices to. The Iver Co-op noticeboard however is small and struggles to contain notices when there is a large number to display. The Noticeboard at Slough Road is a three-bay board and has ample space for notices. It's worth noting that both these noticeboards have been subjected recently to anti-vax and anti BBC stickers recently. We remain vigilant to this.

The Richings Park noticeboard has a pinboard that is very poor condition where pinning notices to is very hard.

The Noticeboard at Langley Park Road is in poor condition with a poor pinboard. The acrylic windows are in poor condition and the lock mechanism has had to be added since the original locking system is broken.

Branding – the branding on our boards is inconsistent – some have ‘Iver Parish Council’, ‘Ivers Parish Council’ and only one has the current council logo.

3.0 Next Steps

We have sufficient magnetic backing to replace the pinboard at Langley Park Road and ability to acquire more magnetics which will prolong the life of this noticeboard. The backing at the Richings Park noticeboard will be replaced with the magnetic style backing with magnetics at a cost of approximately £100.