

## Iver Heath Allotment Meeting Notes 15<sup>th</sup> September 2022

10 plot holders attended

### Discussion Points and Questions Raised:

- Clearing Plots
- Why the entrance off Swallow street is not being used, possible new car park was talked about at the swallow street entrance and allow allotment holders to walk to the allotments making it closer to get to the allotments
- 5/6 plots at the end, why it has not been cleared
- How many plots has IH allotments got?
- Remarking the plots
- Talked about the plot that has asbestos on and what will Parish be doing about it
- Question was asked if Parish would put a toilet on site
- Allotment association and possible taking over the Site this would allow for grants to update the site
- Allotment association will have a meeting to see if they would like to proceed
- Talked about Plot sizes Small/Medium and Large
- Need to clear plots encourage more plot holders
- Talked about possible reduction on rent to help clear plots
- Talked about the cost of plots compared to other local areas
- Do a check list for new allotment holders to understand what time it would take per week to have an allotment {8/10 hours}
- Number of inspections that will take place per year {3 per year}
- Non cleared plots cause weeds to spread
- Talked about refund system if you return the plot before the year end
- Why are the plot prices so high?
- Why was the Bramble cut back as it will just grow back
- What money is spent on the allotments and the break down?
- Talked about money that Bucks allocates admin out of the Precept for the allotments
- Bad drainage at Plot 9 and how can this be sorted out
- Before plots are allocated ask the new tenants what size they would like
- Asked if stuff that's left on empty plot could be utilise after Oct deadline