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Dear Sir/Madam

Subject: Listing of Traditional Red Telephone Kiosks.

As you may be aware, British Telecom (BT) is currently carrying out a programme relating to the removal of telephony services and/or phone kiosks throughout the Council Area. BT assess the phones using the criteria in OFCOM's <u>Statement:</u> Review of the telephony universal service obligation

I wish to advise that the BT proposal was presented at the Council's 28th May 2025 Planning Committee, where Members resolved that officials write to BT to again (as in 2024) set out that they wish to see all of the traditional red phone kiosks in the Borough retained.

Members also resolved that officials write to HED requesting that all traditional red phone kiosks in the Borough be listed.

Please advise if this will, as requested by Members, be undertaken.

Yours sincerely,

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