

Boughton Aluph & Eastwell Parish Council

Report on AED (public access defibrillator) situated outside Goat Lees Community Hall.

The AED been kept in an unlocked Rotaid bright yellow case without incident since early 2019, however the AED was lost, presumed stolen in November 2024.

The loss was covered by insurance (excess £250).

Proposal: to replace the unlocked rotaid case with a locked coded case (the ambulance service will provide the code to a caller) in order to preserve availability of the device for the community.

Options:

Sentry Stainless Steel

Configuration: Locked & Heated £795.00

Defib Safe 2

Configuration: Locked & Heated £550.00

n.b. a proposed planned replacement in 24/25 of a section of the rotaid case costing £250 was paused after the device was discovered missing

Proposal: to consider whether the current position remains most suitable for the AED.

Alternative sites may include somewhere in the Eureka shopping precinct. This will require a licence/permission from the tenant and or/managing agents which may take some time and agreement on case design. If it proposed to move the unit, purchase of any new case should be delayed.