

02. For the benefit of those traders who need and depend upon the assistance that A-boards can provide to the success of their business, this Council looks to provide a scheme which would enable them legally to display one. This could form a scheme whereby a business could purchase the right to display an A-board as long as it was within certain dimensions, displayed in a position not to inhibit pedestrian flow or it was complying with instructions provided by the Council.

If it is necessary to consult with North Yorkshire County Council about providing this service for our local traders, then this Council is instructed to do so. This Council should do everything within its power to obtain the right for local business to apply to display an A-board in order to maximise their chances of trading successfully.

Proposed: Councillor Reg Marsh

Seconded: Councillor Pat Marsh

The Mayor ruled that, in accordance with Standing Order 10(6)(a) this motion stood referred to the Cabinet Member for Transport.