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Press release

PubliBike

The Freiburg network is open again

On 14 September 2020 PubliBike in Freiburg will put eleven more stations back into operation. Most of the bikes will also be available again. PubliBike will expand the network this year.

In July and August vandals damaged numerous PubliBikes in the Fribourg network. PubliBike and the agglomeration of Fribourg had to reorganize the network so that at least a reduced number of bikes was available to customers at the start of the school year. Due to this work, the network was not accessible for three days. As of August 31st, 10 of the 23 stations with 70 of the 230 bikes were initially back in operation. Monitoring was also intensified.

These measures made it possible to combat vandalism. On Monday, September 14, 11 more stations and 90 bikes will be added. This means that 21 stations and around 160 bikes will be available to customers. The remaining bikes will be repaired and put back into service as soon as possible. In order to be able to protect the two stations Bourgknecht and Schönberg, solutions are still being sought - for the time being they will remain closed.

PubliBike thanks its customers for their understanding and support. PubliBike is working with the police to protect the network from vandalism. The agglomeration of Fribourg and PubliBike will continue to develop the Fribourg network and expand it from 23 to 35 stations this year.

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