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Dear Mr Gill

**Proposal to Discontinue Upavon Primary School**

Wiltshire County Council proposes the discontinuation of Upavon Primary School with effect from 28<sup>th</sup> February 2009, as shown on the attached statutory notice which is formally published on 4<sup>th</sup> December 2008, in the local press. As part of the public consultation process, I enclose full details of the proposal for your information.

Any comments on/objections to the proposed closure must be addressed as indicated in the statutory notice and reach County Hall by 15<sup>th</sup> January 2009.

Yours sincerely,

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School Buildings and Places Section

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# Wiltshire County Council

## Notice of Proposal to Discontinue Upavon Primary School

Notice is given in accordance with section 15(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that Wiltshire County Council, County Hall, Trowbridge BA14 8JB intends to discontinue Upavon Primary School, Upavon, Pewsey SN9 6AE on 28 February 2009.

Collingbourne Church of England Primary School, Chicks Lane, Collingbourne Ducis, Marlborough, SN8 3UH will be the future designated school for pupils living in Everleigh. All Saints Voluntary Aided Church of England Primary School, Netheravon, High Street, Netheravon, Salisbury SP4 9PJ and Rushall Church of England Voluntary Aided School, Rushall, Pewsey SN9 6EN will jointly become the designated area schools for the remainder of the existing Upavon Primary School designated area. Admission may also be sought to other schools which have places available.

The arrangements for the transport of displaced pupils will be determined by Wiltshire County Council's School Transport Policy. Group transport will be provided by the County Council to the new designated area schools and this will minimise increased car use.

Copies of the complete proposal can be obtained from the Director for Children & Education, Wiltshire County Council, School Buildings & Places, County Hall, Trowbridge BA14 8JB quoting ref SM/NH/Upavon or by telephoning 01225 713969. Details are also available on the County Council's website – <http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/consultations-on-education>

Within six weeks from the date of publication of this proposal, any person may object to or make comments on the proposal by sending them to the Director for Children & Education, Wiltshire County Council, School Buildings & Places, County Hall, Bythesea Road, Trowbridge, BA14 8JB and marked ref SM/NH/Upavon.

Signed: **S. G. Gerrard**

**Solicitor to the County Council**

Publication Date: 4<sup>th</sup> December 2008

### Explanatory Notes

There will be a need to increase the capacity of Rushall Church of England Voluntary Aided School from three to four classes to ensure that all pupils can be accommodated across the area. No other expansions are necessary.

There will be no change to the secondary school designated area, which remains Pewsey Vale, Wilcot Road, Pewsey SN9 5EW.

The reasons for these proposals are set out in the consultation document circulated in October 2008, further copies of which are available on request from the School Buildings & Places by contacting 01225 713969.

Copies of the Wiltshire County Council School Transport Policy are available upon request from Passenger Transport on 01225 713580.

Copies of the Admission Arrangements for Voluntary Controlled Schools are available upon request from the School Admissions team on 01225 771697.