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Dear Ms Raile

### **RECEIPT OF PETITION – SAVE THE MOORLANDS CONNECT BUS SERVICE**

I refer to the petition, signed by local residents opposing the Council's decision to withdraw the Moorlands Connect Community Bus service. I can advise you that receipt of the petition will be reported to Cllr Mark Deaville, Cabinet Member for Commercial (including Highways & Transport).

The authority fully appreciates that the decision made will have implications for bus users but with less money available to subsidise bus journeys this is unfortunately inevitable.

The authority is looking at a potential reshaped community transport solution but at this stage I am unable to provide you with an assurance that your particular travel request will be met from the public purse.

Should you require further information regarding your petition please contact Debbie McGirr on 01785 277046 or Kathryn Grattage on 01785 895567.

Yours sincerely

**Amanda Felton**  
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