

30 April 2025

Mr Steve Milton Alderbury Parish Clerk PO Box 2366 SALISBURY SP2 2NY

**Ref: CTSW Community Transport Support** 

Community Transport South Wiltshire c/o Wiltshire Council Offices, Stephenson Road, Churchfields Industrial Estate SALISBURY Wiltshire SP2 7NP

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Dear Mr Milton

I am contacting you on behalf of the Trustees of Community Transport South Wiltshire, a well-established local charity based in Salisbury, with a reputation built on helping local communities through a variety of transport options.

We operate eighteen door-to-door minibus 'Shopper' services and a volunteer driver car scheme for village members/parishioners who have mobility and isolation issues here in South Wiltshire including people from your parish. The Concessionary Bus Passes are valid on our minibus services.

We are writing to you with a view to seeking any help the Parish Council may be able to offer us in supporting them, with our attempts to attract even more of your members/parishioners to use our services, or maybe in making a small grant that could help us financially to continue maintaining the service.

At the same time, we also hope that by raising our profile locally we can attract more volunteer or paid drivers to help ensure we can continue to meet all demands for the services we provide. It has been our experience that our drivers' sense of wellbeing can inclusively benefit as well as in the people they help.

We have several items which we could gladly supply to you, such as posters and leaflets to be attached to notice boards, if you think this may be of interest to your parishioners.

We would like to give your members or parishioners a short presentation, if you think this would be of interest to them. Our website has been significantly revised recently and can be viewed showing the full range of services we provide at the following website address: **www.ctswsalisbury.uk** 

I thank you for your time in passing this information to your members/parishioners and if I can supply any more information, or you believe a meeting would be beneficial, please do not hesitate to contact me either direct via my email address: **sereeves2003@yahoo.co.uk** or telephone: **07884 472037**, or alternatively contacting the CTSW Office Manager, Graham Audin, via the following email address: **grahamctsw@outlook.com** or the office telephone: **01722 410123**.

Yours sincerely

**Steven Reeves** Trustee