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North Yorkshire, DL7 8AE

Date: 28 June 2022

Dear Sir/Madam

DFE Number 815/3163

STATUTORY PROPOSALS TO CEASE TO MAINTAIN WEAVERTHORPE CHURCH OF ENGLAND VOLUNTARY CONTROLLED PRIMARY SCHOOL

I write to inform you that the County Council's Executive agreed on 15 March 2022 to publish statutory proposals and notices on 1 April 2022 proposing to close Weaverthorpe CE VC Primary School with effect from 31 August 2022.

On 21 June 2022, North Yorkshire County Council's Executive considered a report of the Corporate Director – Children and Young People's Service providing information upon which to make a decision on these proposals.

Having undertaken the required preliminary checks and considered the advice of the Assistant Chief Executive (Legal and Democratic Services), the key issues listed in the report have been satisfied, and for the reasons set out in section 11 of the report, being pupil numbers, finance, school leadership and standards, and breadth of curriculum,

The Executive **RESOLVED** –

- i) To cease to maintain Weaverthorpe CE VC Primary School with effect from 31 August 2022.
- ii) To expand the catchment area of Luttons Community Primary School from 1 September 2022, to include the current Weaverthorpe School catchment area; with the exception of the current joint catchment area of Weaverthorpe and Hertford Vale CE Primary Schools (serving Butterwick), which will remain part of Hertford Vale's catchment area.

Yours faithfully

John Lee

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To:

- *the Governing Body of Weaverthorpe CE Primary School*

- *J. House, Clerk, Weaverthorpe Parish Council*

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