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Subject: Bus Service

Hello,

I am a member of Yetminster and Ryme Intrinseca Parish Council and we have recently been discussing the lack of bus service to Yeovil and Sherborne from our village in response to requests from village members.

Restoring the old service lost some seven years ago seems highly unlikely given costs and uncertain demand for usage.

However I am working on alternatives and the possibility of a commercial service that would link local villages including Bradford Abbas, Beer Hackett, Batcombe, Chetnole and Leigh.

The discussion is at an early stage but I wanted to see if there is a member of your council team whom I could talk about your village's potential interest in a scheme of some nature to reinstate a local bus service.

If there is sufficient interest from local villages, a next step would be to have a joint discussion to explore further.

I can be contacted at this email address.

Many Thanks,