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Community Engagement and Governance

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Dear Councillor Wayman,

I am writing on behalf of the Royal Wootton Bassett and Cricklade Area Board and its elected Wiltshire Council members, as the Area Board has resolved to write to you regarding the lack of maintenance currently carried out on the pavements in our area.

Across the community area, we have a number of requests for pavement repairs, particularly where they have been lifted due to tree roots or damaged by the materials that people have used to resurface their driveways.

We appreciate that finding the money to carry out these repairs is not easy; however pedestrians have no choice but to walk on these unsafe surfaces and we are concerned for the safety of the more frail members of our community for whom a fall can be life changing. We call on you to make more funding available in the next budget to make significant repairs to our pavements to encourage people to walk safely on our streets.

Many thanks for travelling across the county to attend the previous Area Board meeting and for your time listening to the concerns of local residents.

Kind regards,

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