

West Wiltshire District Council

Cabinet

9 March 2005

Notice of Motion

<p>To consider a notice of motion referred to Cabinet by Council on 23 February 2005</p>
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Post Offices - Cllrs Chivers, Barker and Osborn

“This Council seeks the full assurance of the Post Office and Government that the future of all Crown Post Offices within the District are safe from closure on their present sites.

Council also seeks the assurance that the remaining network of sub Post Offices including the rural network are safe from further closures.”

Comments Made at Council:

In referring the motion to Cabinet, Council made the following comments:

The issue of Post Offices is a very important issue to Members and residents. Following closures of Post Offices in Trowbridge and Warminster, there was a concern that closures would extend to Crown Post Offices in Town Centre High Streets. This Council should make representations in the strongest possible manner to the Post Office and Post Watch opposing any such closures. Request that the matter be reconsidered by the External Overview Committee, although it was noted that the External Overview Committee at its meeting on 19 January 2005 had agreed that nothing further could be achieved by trying to invite representatives of the Post Office to address Members.