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**To Concerned Agencies**

Dear Sir/Madam

**CONSULTATION ON THE PROPOSED CLOSURE OF ADA BELFIELD CARE HOME, FIELD LANE, BELPER, DERBYSHIRE, DE56 1DE**

**PLANNED DEVELOPMENT OF NEW CARE HOME IN BELPER**

I am writing to advise you of the Council's proposal to close this home. I have identified that because of its location you may well have an interest in the proposed closure of Ada Belfield Care Home.

The consultation period on the proposed home closure will last until 11 August 2016. Once it is finished a report will be prepared for Cabinet to summarise the views of all those consulted. Cabinet will then determine the future of Ada Belfield Care Home based on the outcome of the consultation and the Equality Impact Assessment, which we are legally obliged to complete on all major changes to services to assess the impact the proposed change may have on those affected.

Consultation will be on the basis that current and future residents in Ada Belfield would be supported to transfer to a potential new development within Belper on Derwent Street when it is completed. Ada Belfield would only close once the new development, which is still subject to planning permission, is ready for residents to move in. I anticipate that this will be in late 2019.

The leaflet with this letter has been given to those people currently using the service. I hope you will find this helpful. The leaflet provides ways of giving feedback on the proposals. Should, however, you wish an officer to attend a

meeting to discuss the proposal, then please contact David Gurney on 01629 532059 or through his email address [david.gurney@derbyshire.gov.uk](mailto:david.gurney@derbyshire.gov.uk).

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Hollister', written in a cursive style.

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**Enclosure Leaflet**

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