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**Director name** Sue Scane **Directorate** Environment & Economy

Dear Parish Transport Representative

## Oxfordshire Wheels 2 Work

Oxfordshire Wheels 2 Work is a social enterprise and covers the South and Vale Districts of the County. Oxfordshire Wheels 2 Work provides affordable scooter rental to individuals to enable them to get to places of employment, education or training. When the scheme began it was aimed at helping 16 to 19 year olds gain access to independent travel. The scheme has now been tailored and is open to all eligible age groups.

The scheme offers:

- Scooter and Motorcycle Rental from £26 a week
- · Regular safety checks
- Fully comprehensive insurance
- Road Tax Included
- Free loan of jacket

You need to hold a UK Provisional Driving Licence, and have obtained a Compulsory Basic Training (CBT) Certificate.

To find out more information visit the website <a href="www.oxfordshirewheels2work.co.uk">www.oxfordshirewheels2work.co.uk</a> or call 01235 797474 and ask to speak with Paddy Tyson. Or drop them an email at <a href="admin@oxfordshirewheels2work.co.uk">admin@oxfordshirewheels2work.co.uk</a>

I have attached a poster which you may like to display.

## **Community Transport Grants**

The county council supports the development of not-for-profit community transport groups and services. Many community transport schemes are self-financing, but some community transport schemes may require direct financial support in the early stages of development.



- Small start-up grants of up to £1,000 are available to help groups in the early stages of development.
- Grants are also available for training volunteer drivers to MiDAS standard. (MiDAS stands for Minibus Driver Awareness Scheme) The scheme helps improve minibus safety by working with the provider to improve driver standards. Training can be arranged through our Integrated Training Unit or other provider if required.

Please contact me if you would like more information. Email: <a href="mailto:shirley.mcaneny@oxfordshire.gov.uk">shirley.mcaneny@oxfordshire.gov.uk</a>

Yours faithfully,

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