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Dear Resident,

#### RE: School Street Closures

I am writing to you from the Royal Borough of Greenwich to let you know about a new initiative we are trialling, and to give you the opportunity to let us know your thoughts.

To encourage parents/carers and the school community to engage in more sustainable ways to travel, we are planning to close a section of Grangehill Road to motor vehicles between Craighton Road and Earls Hall Road. This closure is scheduled to start from 15/10/2018, and will be enforced by bollards being raised Monday to Friday between 08:00 – 09:30 and 15:00 – 16:00 during term times.

The 'School Streets' trial will be conducted using an Experimental Traffic Regulation Order. This allows the Council to trial the closures to see how they work and gives stakeholders six months to feedback. It is our long-term ambition to make the closures permanent.

We hope that this will not only encourage more exercise, contributing to the Council's objective to reduce child obesity, it will also reduce the amount of pollution around the schools taking part. In addition, these closures will reduce congestion at school peak times in the area and reduce the potential for road traffic collisions.

We would like to ask you to support your local school by arranging your car travelling and deliveries outside of these hours. Any residents that need to park or leave the closed area during the stated times would need to arrange this with Gordon Primary school. Emergency services will still be able to gain access if needed. We will also be

working with the Gordon Primary School to ensure they engage effectively with local residents.

Naturally, you may have some thoughts and comments on the initiative. Any feedback you have can be sent to [School-Travel-Plan@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:School-Travel-Plan@royalgreenwich.gov.uk) - we will do our best to respond to all correspondence.

Kind Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G. Nash', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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