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Dear Resident

Proposed Stratford Parkway Rail Station

Invitation to Pre-planning Application Consultation Event

Warwickshire County Council proposes to develop a new rail station, "Stratford Parkway", adjacent to the existing bus based Park and Ride site off Bishopton Lane, Stratford-upon-Avon. The new Parkway Station is programmed to open in March 2012 and will be delivered in conjunction with enhanced train services to and from Birmingham.

The scheme will deliver a high quality rail interchange with good pedestrian and cycle links to the north and west of Stratford; car parking for the station will be provided from the existing Park and Ride facility. It is envisaged that the development of Stratford Parkway will reduce vehicle kilometres on the local and strategic road networks, deliver environmental and safety benefits and improve access to the rail network.

We would like to share with you our outline design proposals for this development. We are keen to hear what you think and explore with you any issues of concern prior to the submission of an outline planning application.

To this end, we have arranged for a pre-planning application consultation event at Stratford-upon-Avon Library and Information Centre, Henley Street, Stratford-upon-Avon. The event will be open at the following times:

Thursday 4 th March	10a.m – 5.30p.m
Friday 5 th March	10a.m – 5.30p.m
Saturday 6 th March	10a.m – 1p.m

This event will be your opportunity to discuss the scheme proposals with us and to seek response to any questions you may have. We will also provide formal feedback forms to ensure your views are considered. We very much hope that you are able to attend.

Should you require any further information about this proposal or the consultation process, please do not hesitate to contact Warwickshire County Council by telephoning 01926 410410, or emailing tpu@warwickshire.gov.uk.

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Yours faithfully

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