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RE. Volunteers Week 1 - 7 June 2020

Dear resident volunteer,

I would like to take this opportunity to say a personal thank you for your help during the current COVID-19 crisis. You, together with our 6,000+ community volunteers, continue to support our vulnerable Dorset residents by volunteering within your local community, it is a truly outstanding community effort.

Whether you have been assisting with grocery shopping, collecting prescriptions, telephone-befriending or anything else, I am truly astounded by your local community response. I have seen first-hand just how much your personal human interaction and contact means to our vulnerable and isolated residents.

For our vulnerable residents their need will continue for the long term so I hope, as your daily lives adjust back towards a new normal, you can continue to support where you can.

Once again thank you for what you are doing, the valuable time you have given and the difference you are making.

Yours gratefully

Matt Prosser

Chief Executive - Dorset Council