

Appendix B

Notes from the open meeting and transcript of written responses received

There were 10 attendees for the public meeting, including representatives from the governing body, Diocese of Lichfield and county council. A discussion took place around the governors decision to become a church school and the choice that provided. A minority indicated they were not persuaded either way with the majority wholeheartedly supporting the proposal.

WRITTEN RESPONSES FROM CONSULTATION

Where a response was received with a comment on the reply slip, these have been reproduced below. The comments are shown anonymously, although the original reply slips have been retained, cross-referenced by the “number” shown below.

Nº	Comments
1	Christian values are important whether religious or not and encouraging children To be kind and selfless are respectful of all backgrounds is important
2	School have always had close links with the Church with many people assuming We are already a Church school
3	Total agreement as we already have very strong links with St Michael's.
4	Fully support proposal for Dove to become C of E school
5	We already have such strong links with St Michael's so I fully support the above proposals.
6	I think it's a great idea and would be an asset to the school
7	Lovely asset for the children
8	It makes sense to change it now and as the teaching will still be at a high Standard now and moving into the new school partnership, C of E makes sense.
9	I give my full support
10	Great idea
11	Good for community, children and school
12	I thought Dove was a Church of England School already, and gladly welcome It becoming one.