Appendix 1

Report of Representation Responses

Determination of the Statutory Notice to Expand the Age Range of St. Gregory's Catholic College to Add a Sixth Form

21 July – 17 August Representation Period

My son has only been at St. Gregory's school for a year, but has made so many friends and is really settled and happy there. The ethos and atmosphere are truly amazing so friendly and welcoming to all. To expect children to then leave and study for their A levels elsewhere would be detrimental for many. I know of three students where this has been the case. The argument that students should transfer to St Brendan's is unrealistic for many, as the journey is simply too far. St .Brendan's has thrived in the last few years and takes students from all over BANES and Bristol and certainly is not reliant on St . Gregory's pupils to ensure its continuation. If the sixth form goes ahead all three of our children will be studying there. Dear sirs, Myself and my wife are in complete support of the proposed six form development. who will enter year 8 this September and for our 3 We write as parents of year old, who we hope will go through StJohns from Sept 2012 before joining her sister at St.Gregorys. We very strongly support the building of St. Gregorys 6th Form and hope that the builders can soon start work. We live on the Wellsway, have no car and it is essential to us that our daughters are in a safe and academically excellent environment until they leave school. We look forward to the 6th form becoming a reality.

As a parent of two boys currently attending St Gregory's College it is really important to us as a family that a sixth form is approved and built at the college. Please take this

Regards

email as support for the sixth form.

We are parents of a Year 9 child at St Gregory's Catholic College and we would like to send a message of support for the Sixth Form.

It would be wonderful for the students to be able to go on and study until 18 with their peer group, close friends and the excellent staff that they already have strong relationships with.

We very much hope that this joint Sixth Form will go ahead and will benefit not just out child but many hundreds over the coming years.

Dear Sir

As parents of a girl who is just moving up from Year 7 to Year 8 at St Gregorys, we strongly support the BANES proposal to provide capital funding for the new joint sixth form.

Thank you

We are writing in support of the provision of a Sixth Form at St Gregory's Catholic College, Bath

We already have one daughter at St Gregory's and another will start in September 2011. We would like to have this provision available to them to further their education beyond GCSEs.

Kind Regards

Parents

Dear Sir/ Madam,

I understand that B&NES Council have now approved capital funding for the joint sixth form of St Gregory's and St Mark's.

I am fully in support of the proposal for the sixth form. As a parent it will provide me with a choice to continue my son's education in a christian environment, a choice that I currently do not have.

Regards

to whom it may concern i am delighted to see BANEs approved capital funding. I would urge you to support the opening of the sixth college St Gregorys is a really excellent school. Regards

Parent of yr 8 daughter at st gregs