

WINCHESTER PRISON Preventing Victims Changing Lives

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Dear Rex

Re: Letter offering support

Can I start by offering an apology to you. I note that I received your letter some 8 weeks ago and have only just now got around to responding to it.

The content of your letter makes great sense to me, especially in light of further government cuts. I have a strong belief that in the right cases, and when mentor-mentee are correctly matched that this can have a positive and lasting effect on prisoners.

I would be very keen to learn how we could work together on developing a model that would work at Winchester.

Could I ask that you contact my PA Fiona Sloper on Ext 3202 to arrange a suitable date for us to meet and discuss your proposals.

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I look forward to meeting with you.

Kind regards

David Rogers Governor HM Prison Winchester