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Dear colleagues,

I am writing to let you know that I will be leaving Stockport at the start of the New Year to take up a new position at Newcastle City council as their Chief Executive.

My time at Stockport has been both enjoyable and memorable. It has been my absolute privilege to serve the residents of Stockport.

It has been an honour throughout this period to be able to work with committed and passionate elected members and MPs, creative and committed partners across all sectors within the borough and across Greater Manchester, and with council colleagues who care deeply about what they do for the residents of Stockport day in and day out.

I am fully committed to working with you all over the coming months before I start my new role and to continue to work with my senior leadership team to deliver the priorities and ambitions of the council, through this period of change. The council will be starting the process of recruiting a new Chief Executive immediately.

Kind regards,

Pam Smith
Chief Executive

