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I understand the No 6 bus service is under review.

I am a resident of Matfield all my family use the No6 service. To access Maidstone, Tunbridge Wells and Pembury. The increase in both private and social new homes in Matfield and the general area.

I have seen an increase in new residents using the service and expect a number of the social rented tenants accepted accommodation offers in Matfield and Paddock Wood fully expecting to be able to use the No6 to access facilities across the borough and into Maidstone as well as visit relatives in the area.

Older people use the bus on occasion to attend appointments at Pembury Hospital . Access to National Railway at Paddock wood and Tunbridge Wells.

Seasonal workers picking fruit at local farms use the bus service to access the wider transport network for both tourism and shopping at Pembury Tesco's.

I feel the No 6 service should run later into the evening in which case it could serve residents wishing to use Restaurants in Paddock Wood, Pembury and Tunbridge wells which would assist local businesses in difficult times

I would ask that the service is improved rather than reduced.

Regards

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