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Dear Gary

Please accept my sincere thanks on behalf of the Without Walls Board for your valuable contribution to the partnership and to the city during your time as Chief Executive of York CVS.

In particular, I would like to thank you for the way you have worked collaboratively on a range of diverse topics affecting the voluntary and community sector in York, always offering a balanced perspective and ensuring that the voice of the sector is heard and that they are able to genuinely influence decision making. Your work with the Youth Sector Partnership overseeing the introduction of the YorPart scheme has been invaluable to help to ensure that resources are directed to meet the needs of targeted young people. Your positive contribution is also noted in addressing the challenges of the current transformation agenda and placing the voluntary sector at the heart of the issues.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all the best for the future.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. M. Alexander'.

Councillor James Alexander
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