

WEST SOMERSET DISTRICT COUNCIL



20 FORE STREET, WILLITON, TAUNTON, SOMERSET, TA4 4QA, ENGLAND

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Please ask for

30th January 1986

Dear Sir,

It was with horror and grief that I watched the disaster of the Challenger Space Craft on its 25th launching.

Please accept my sincere condolences and those of my Councillors, Officers, and the people of West Somerset, England. Will you please convey to the parents and family of Mrs. Sharon Christa McAuliffe our profound sympathy, and also to the staff and pupils of the Concord High School.

To show our respect for those who have died so tragically, the Union Jack will be flown at half mast on the flagpole outside this Authority's Offices all day on Friday, 31st January, to coincide with your National Service of Mourning to be held in Houston, Texas.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this very sad time.

Yours faithfully,

S.E. Brown (Councillor)
CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL

The Mayor
The Mayor's Parlour
Concord
New Hampshire
U.S.A.