

Application for Rural Rate Relief

Date of application:	
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Account reference number:	
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Business name:	
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Address:	
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Telephone number:		Fax number:	
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Type of business:	
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Opening hours:	
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Please describe the benefits of your business to the community:

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Please describe what negative effects you would expect to see in the community if your business were to cease trading:

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Please describe any other information or change of circumstances you think may help us process your application:

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Signature of ratepayer or person authorised to sign on behalf of the ratepayer:

Name:		Position:	
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Signature:		Date:	
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Important

- **the business rates remain payable while the application is being processed**
- **once the application has been processed, any change in your circumstances could affect your entitlement and you have a legal duty to tell us within 21 days of any such change**
- **failure to tell us of changes could result in a penalty charge**
- **rate relief is subject to periodic review**

Please return this form to:

Revenue Service
Wiltshire Council
Collections - Business Rates
P.O. Box 4385
Trowbridge
BA14 4DS

Telephone: 01249 706290

Email: businessrates@wiltshire.gov.uk

Local offices are also situated in Chippenham, Salisbury, Devizes and Trowbridge

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Wiltshire Council will keep and use your personal information in line with the requirements of the General Data Protection Regulations 2016 and we are the data controller for the information provided on this form.

The Council's Data Protection Office can be contacted at dataprotection@wiltshire.gov.uk

The information you have provided to the Council will be used by the Revenues Department to determine entitlement to business rate relief that the council administers. Information will only be shared among officers and other agencies where it is necessary and lawful. We will not share your data with any other third parties unless we are required or permitted to do so by law.

We may use the information you have provided on this form within this Authority for the prevention and detection of fraud. We may also share this information with other bodies administering or in receipt of public funds, such as HM Revenues and Customs.

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- Prevent or detect benefit fraud or any other crime;
- Support national fraud initiatives; and
- Protect public funds

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