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Sent: 28 February 2024 12:42
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Support for Families Charity bid for Family Help Hub

Dear [REDACTED]

I hope this email finds you well.

I am writing to express my strong support for the "Support for Families" charity bid to utilize the Family Hub Centre on part of the old Cornton Vale prison site.

I have been a local resident in the Cornton Vale area for a number of years and I am also a Staff Nurse, who has spent some time working in Cornton Vale and HMP Glenochil, during my training.

Sadly, I have witnessed firsthand the high number of children who are impacted by adverse childhood experiences and the negative outcomes of families struggling with stigma and poverty. Naturally, I am a huge supporter of health promotion and reducing health inequalities, which is prevalent in our community. This includes supporting children and adults holistically, whilst taking into account the importance of their social and mental wellbeing.

"Support for Families" has been a beacon of hope for children and families facing adversity, addressing issues such as crime, poverty, substance and alcohol abuse. Their commitment to fostering inclusion in our community is commendable, and the Family Hub Centre presents a valuable opportunity to expand their impact.

By providing a safe and supportive environment, the Centre can serve as a hub for the charity's initiatives, offering crucial resources and assistance to those families in need. The central location and facilities at the old parts of the Cornton Vale prison site make it an ideal space for the charity's outreach programs.

Supporting this bid aligns with our shared vision for a compassionate and inclusive community. I believe that endorsing the "Support for Families" charity's use of the Hub Centre will contribute significantly to the well-being of families facing challenges in our area.

Thank you for considering this important matter.

Best regards,

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