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Marble Hill Playcentres
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To whom it may concern,

I would like to lend my support for the proposed plans to improve the Marble Hill Playcentres. This service provides a safe place for children in the local community to enjoy outdoor, adventurous play, offering free access to low income families and families of children with additional needs.

I am frequently contacted about the lack of provision for young people in the community and it would be a great shame to lose this extremely valuable community asset.

It is my understanding that the Director of Children's Services and MD of Achieving for Children have also written letters of support and that the Marble Hill Playcentres are working closely in collaboration with small charities such as *Me too & co* to organise a "hub" structure ensure that the play centre works for all of the children in the community.

It is great to see that SEND services and facilities are at the heart of this new centre offering support to families and children, offering adapted equipment and specialised services in conjunction with mainstream sessions.

It is my hope that this plan gets the support it needs from the local authority and relevant charities and I will do all I can to see that this playcentre is a success.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Zac Goldsmith'.

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