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To whom it may concern:

**RE: LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR THE SALT SPRING ELEMENTARY (SSE) PARENT
ADVISORY COUNCIL (PAC) NEW PLAYGROUND FUNDING**

I am writing to express my full support for the Salt Spring Elementary (SSE) Parent Advisory Council (PAC) in their application for funding for a new school playground that will improve the overall health and inclusivity of almost 250 students, grades K - 7, as well as the many other children of our community that visit this playground. This school playground is used by all Salt Spring Island children on a regular basis as well as the many visitors to Salt Spring Island. SSE is in the center of Ganges, our main island village, and is seen as a safe place for children to run and play. The playgrounds currently on site are over 20 years old and need to be rebuilt to meet updated safety standards and provide a more inclusive play space for all children.

SSE PAC is a dedicated group of parents and community members who are committed to making this project become a reality. This funding would help the school and Salt Spring Island to become a more safe and welcoming space for children.

Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gary Holman". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Gary Holman

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