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Hello Ms. Shannon Labelle,

I am writing you in support of proposed Forest School in St. George on 532 Bluelake Road.

As a mom I am looking for an alternative learning environment for my kids. The last few years with online learning has negatively impacted my children's ability to learn and develop. They do best in smaller group settings, not in large classrooms or in front of a computer. They really need guidance and more attention than what is currently available in the traditional school system. A balance of classroom and outdoor learning from their peers and teachers would mean they can enjoy school more. I strongly believe that their cognitive, social and emotional intelligence would greatly benefit their development and to have this in our community for families like ours would be amazing.

I grew up in St. George.

I currently reside in Paris at 13 Larkspur lane

My 2 kids are 5 years and age 7 years old and would love to have them attend this type of educational setting close to home.

Please consider diversifying our community and give parents more options in helping to raise and teach kids with various tools and settings such as at a forest school.

Thank you for your time,

Kim