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To Whom It May Concern:

Bluewater District School Board fully supports the Saugeen Valley Children's Safety Village Board of Directors and their initiative to build a Children's Safety Village in the Grey-Bruce area.

The Children's Safety Village will be a significant asset in our community and will be a strong support for our students, their families and their learning. The hands on learning experiences will be facilitated by community partners with expertise in many areas including fire, bicycle, internet, farm, water and recreational safety.

We recognize the positive impact that safety education has already had on our students and our community and the many benefits of having this particular facility at which to experience the rich and active learning. We are pleased to support this important initiative in any way we possibly can, including providing leadership in the area of the curriculum development phase of the project. We look forward to a strong working relationship with not only the Village as they continue to provide safety education opportunities for our students, but also many other community partners as they support the development of the Village.

If you have any questions or if we can be of further assistance please feel free to contact our Board contact for this project, Jacqui Traverse-Thomas - Student Achievement Leader-Program

Sincerely,

John Bryant
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