March 29, 2024

Dear City Council and Community,

I am submitting a letter of support for the concept and vision of the Grand Haven Children's Museum.

As you have considered many ideas and opportunities over the years, the Children's Museum should be one of those special concepts that deserves your full attention as it covers so many of our community's goals and aspirations now and into the future.

The continuous development of our youth culture and active engagement to explore and support the world around them is vital to the health and prosperity of all supportive and passionate stakeholders.

We must also look to support and embrace the visionary ambassadors of our community such as Rachel with her immense energy and devotion to the mission of creating a "one of a kind" Children's Museum.

Whether your position is one of tentative support and in need of further information and developmental plans or you find it difficult to support at this juncture, I would ask that Rachel be afforded every aspect of our City resources and the time needed to fully vet and consider her community vision.

Rachel is a devoted community leader and one who will most definitely bring positive energy and pride to Grand Haven and beyond.

Let's embrace Rachel's vision and passion and provide her with a solid platform to be heard and supported.

Thank You! Steve Loftis