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Community Preservation Committee Town of Ayer 1 Main St Ayer, MA 01432

Dear Committee Members;

The Ayer Library is pleased to endorse the Pirone Park Playground Remediation and Replacement Project. Given our location within walking distance of Pirone Park, it should come as no surprise that many Library patrons and staff members (myself included) visit Pirone Park for exercise, respite, and play.

The Library itself has played a more formal role at Pirone Park as a collaborator and supporter of public programming. This time last year we worked with the Parks & Recreation Department to create a Story Walk featuring the story *Freight Train* by Donald Crews. As a result, we understand many of the benefits of having safe outdoor recreational spaces for public use.

I hope that you will support this effort to make Pirone Park a safer place for everyone in our community to enjoy. Thank you for your time and consideration. Please feel free to reach out to me should you have questions.

Sincerely,

Tim Silva

Library Director