

APPENDIX C



To whom it may concern,

My name is Rebecca Simmons and I am founder of Spark Community Space a registered charity in Portsmouth (1191751). This letter is to say how thankful we are to the Debbie and Richard owners of Sherlock's Bar Clarendon Road Southsea.

They have been great encouragers of our Charity, allowing us to have their beautiful venue for us to start our Coffee and Cake space. They gave it to us rent free and without any barriers so that we could be run on a donation basis, so that all people could feel valued, and find self worth.

The venue is exceptionally well loved , and gave us a great start to see how we would be received and sound in the City - without their kindness and generosity to us we would not have been able to help so many people find confidence to get out of their homes. We are forever grateful that both of them love their community to give us the start we needed without hesitation.

We now have the great start we needed as a charity to carry on in our New Forever Home - but without Debbie and Richard we still would not have got off the starting line. This is more than a pub, its part of the community and a friendly welcoming space for all ages.

Yours truly

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Founder Spark Community Space

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