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Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing as the Assistant Director of GAVO, managing the Monmouthshire team to support the funding proposal made by 'Homemakers' in Abergavenny.

GAVO works closely with Homemakers and is pleased to recruit and place volunteers with them, but opportunities are often not as plentiful as the interested volunteers due to space constraints at their present site.

I wholeheartedly support their project plan to purchase the old gasworks on the Merthyr Road and use it as community recycling centre.

Goods will be sorted and sold on using e-bay or Amazon or recycled in other ways after sorting, and there will be a huge increase in the volunteering opportunities available.

The project will also help Monmouthshire County Council to reach their 70% recycling target by 2024 which is a massive rise from the present 50%.

I cannot see any drawbacks to this project as it has many benefits and wish them good luck with it.

In conclusion may I reiterate my full support for Homemakers.

Yours faithfully

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