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Good morning,

I'm writing to you to express my support towards the new Thai takeaway that has just arrived at holgates green, st Mary's. I think it's a great opportunity for change and fully support the idea. Coming from someone who spent 11 years living on st Mary's, I understand peoples concern regarding the location of the stall however what they fail to under is that it's not period. The stall is not a permanent fixture and is only there for a couple hours each evening. They would losing anything at all, infact gaining a lot. Take out food is a large part of the islands income from tourism and as I have seen first hand it is getting harder and harder for tourists to get anything to eat while over visiting the islands on holiday. After recent hard times with Covid-19 the tourist market has take the fall and it's had a hide impact of the income across all islands. Places like Lilys Thai take away and the others on porth Cressa give people the opportunity to have their dinner on the beach and make the most of the beautiful scenery that Scilly has to offer. Which in turn, creates memories and therefore people are always returning to the islands based of those great memories. Since the trail period has begun, Lilys Thai take away has taken off and been a great success to locals and tourists! A large amount of positive comments have been make regarding how great her service is! It's time we show our support to the locals!

Thank you for your time,

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