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Dear Ms Wood

Dunbar Community Bakery

As the Member of the Scottish Parliament for East Lothian and Scottish Labour Leader, I would like to lend my support to the work you are doing to establish the Dunbar Community Bakery.

Having served as Minister for Enterprise, Transport and Lifelong Learning, I appreciate the aims of your initiative in the regeneration of Dunbar town centre. Social enterprises have a vital role to play in strengthening communities. Your co-operative society represents the ideal model for drawing together the energies and talents of your community to make a success of this venture.

Scottish Labour is committed to supporting the development of jobs and skills in rural communities. Dunbar Community Bakery will not only provide several new jobs but will also create important training opportunities to local people. Your focus on sustainable practices is intrinsic to the green economy we are working toward.

I wish you every success in this initiative.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely

Iain Gray MSP.
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