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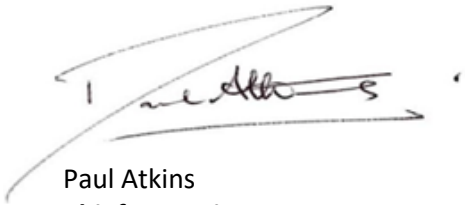
To whom it may concern,

I am writing to support the application from the Urban Wildlife Trust for funding to purchase and install Feather Friendly Window Markers on the Wellington Cable Car summit terminal building to help in the prevention of bird strikes.

The problem of native bird fatalities due to collisions with glass windows is well known and documented. In recent years it has been particularly noticeable across Wellington with, for example, kereru flying into windows of domestic houses as well as larger areas of glass such as those at the Cable Car building. Given the proximity of this building to Zealandia, and the growing abundance of our precious native birds across the city, we fully support initiatives such as this proposal to reduce the potential for increased bird fatalities due to impact with windows.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require further comment of information.

Ngā mihi nui,



Paul Atkins  
**Chief Executive**