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I was concerned to hear earlier this month of the threat of closure to my local railway station, Gilshochill, on the Anniesland line in north Glasgow.

I was surprised to hear that it might be under threat as it is a station that a great many people use each day to get to work. I get the train almost every day of the week and it is always a well used service and station.

If Gilshochill station was to close then the next nearest station to me is too far to walk and as a result I would have to use my car to drive into town. This surely goes against the doctrine of the promotion of carbon-decreasing measures and the development of the popular use of public transportation which is on the agenda of the Scottish Parliament. In these days of global warming we should be creating more of a public transportation infrastructure, rather than undermining it.