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Hello all,

I am writing to you today about the Colorado Pumpkin Patch with concern to why I believe it is a beneficial business and should not be shut down. Aside from the fact that it boosts the local economy and is a wonderful place to bring family and friends for a good, fun time. My personal reasons are that it was beneficial in developing my work career. I started volunteering at a youth age and learned a positive work ethic that has followed me in many jobs since. It also allowed me to be hired and payed at an age that many other places would not have employed someone my age. This was beneficial to me because it allowed me to work seasonally and not be committed to a full year of work in school and it allowed me to begin to develop my own finances and financial skills such as saving money and learning about the process to collect interest. This job also helped open opportunities to me that would have been otherwise closed such as working at places that would not have hired me without the experiences from this job. As I am now older I have moved on from this job, however, it has still been a place that I enjoy going to with friends and I have still utilized the skills I learned from this job.

Thank you for your time,  
Rachel Clark