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Thank you for your message of opposition to any expansion at Flying Cloud Airport. I appreciate hearing from you and will pass on your concerns to the Board and staff of the Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC).

The MAC is under great pressure to make operations at the so-called reliever airports self-sufficient. Therefore, I suspect your opposition will be of substantial interest in those quarters.

As we prepare for reauthorization of the Federal Aviation Administration and the nation's network of commercial and general aviation, your views are of great interest to me as well. If you would like further information on reauthorization, I suggest you visit the Transportation and Infrastructure Committee's Web site at <http://transportation.house.gov/>.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,


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