

Please see below my comments:

1. SAFETY - To increase the passenger numbers as much as requested would mean lots more flights which would definitely impact on the residents, schools and businesses on the flight paths of the airport. It must increase the potential for noise pollution, inconvenience and risk of accident.

2. CURRENT FLIGHT UPTAKE - I would be interested to know how many current flights are to full capacity of passengers. I feel this is essential as the impact of flying is so massive, I believe it is unacceptable if current flights are not full and also, it should be investigated as to how many currently run with less passengers.

3. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT - I feel that in the current climate, it is unacceptable to agree to an expansion. I realise that Luton does need more jobs for local people, but feel that we should be looking towards more greener businesses and environmentally sound projects.

With the demise of local airlines such as Monarch and Debonair, I wonder if the hanger sites they have vacated have been repurposed and reused.

Thanks Nicola French