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To: Luton Airport

Subject: Noting objection to airport expansion

To whom this may concern:

I am writing to express my objection to the proposed expansion of Luton Airport. I do so on three grounds:

- 1) Environmental: we are living in a state of climate and environmental emergency. Any proposal of expansion to an industry which is a significant contributor to that is at best nonsensical, and at worst morally abhorrent.
- 2) Concentration of airport access in the East of England: the forced introduction of AD6 and the clear indications for it provides evidence that there is already too much traffic in the airspace; the volume of traffic should be decreased, not increased. The proximity of Luton Airport to other nearby airports, particularly Stansted, means that those who choose to fly are already exceptionally well-served.
- 3) Impact on local residents: as someone who lives in a village constantly disrupted by air traffic noise since the change in flight paths to Luton, this proposed expansion will likely make noise pollution significantly worse while returning no benefit in any way to local residents. The links between noise pollution and poor citizen health are clear.

I note the address to which I am sending this email and trust that it will be treated objectively and fairly, as with all other objections to this plan.

Yours,

Helen Murphy