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Dear sirs

I attended one of the consultation evenings at Margate Winter Gardens and would like to give my personal opinion on the matter.

I have lived in Thanet for most of my life and was fortunate enough to have a good job at the Port of Ramsgate back in the day of Sally Line.

Now there is precious little quality employment in the area and our son had to leave in order to earn a decent wage and progress in his career.

I whole-heartedly support Manston Airport reopening as we desperately need to inject enthusiasm back into our local, younger generation in order to retain a healthy mix of young and older residents in our area.

We are so fortunate to have an airport here with a flight path so close to the sea for incoming and outgoing flights.

I previously lived in Ramsgate at a high point in the town and frequently had the old cargo planes flying very low over my home. I could imagine it is similar to living near a railway, in a short period of time you don't even notice them and I would also point out that I never had any issues in obtaining buildings insurance. Also I am sure that the planes that used to pass overhead then, were a lot noisier than today's more modern planes.

To lose such an asset which is already in situ, would in my mind, be a travesty of justice. I care passionately about my area, and for this reason feel that the airport needs to remain an airport and offer high tech jobs and opportunities to our residents.

I thank you for giving me the opportunity to voice my opinion.

Kind regards
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