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Dear sir,

We have lived in Thanet for over twenty years now and miss having Manston airport open and being able to travel from it rather than drive for many miles to fly from the likes of Gatwick Stanstead etc.

We feel the last thing Thanet needs is for Manston to become another housing estate as there is tremendous pressure on local services already. As an airport Manston has the potential to create hundreds if not thousands of jobs thus solving a problem, not creating one. It has one of the longest runways in the country with approach and departure mainly over water thus minimising any noise concerns. A final point is that it has been an airport for decades until it's shabby closure and for the majority of people that was an attraction not a problem.

I honestly think re-opening would be a fantastic plus for Thanet and redevelopment a disaster.

Yours faithfully,

Christopher Lucy, [REDACTED],

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