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I am writing in support of Manston Airport reopening. I have written previously and thought by now the airport would be on its way to reopening – it has been far too long and it amazes me why people would object to it.

My husband and I used Manston Airport many times for business and pleasure when it was a passenger airport, with only a 20-minute drive instead of a two hour drive to get there, but it is my belief that Ann Gloag had no intention of making it a success anyway and threw everything at it to make it fail.

RiverOak Strategic Partners should be allowed to reopen this airport as a freight cargo hub as it will bring much needed employment to this part of Kent. The idea is to educate and train personnel in and around the airport to attain quality personnel for the job openings that will arise, thereby ensuring a bright future for the airport and the surrounding area.

Now that the UK can trade far and wide, we have a need for cargo hubs and Manston is the ideal airport for the distribution of all types of freight in and out of the UK.

Once the freight service is established RiverOak can consider passenger flights once more and the fact that there will be only daytime flights (no scheduled night flights) with the latest quiet, clean planes, can only be good news for the local residents. Another positive is that RiverOak will rebuild Manston as a Green Airport with solar, electric and hydrogen to power it.

Please do not ignore this request to reopen Manston as an airport. It is much needed in Kent and the whole of the UK.

Kind regards,  
Christine Clark (Mrs)



Sent from my iPhone