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FAO Manston Case team

With regards to the above I would like to place on record my full support to RSP's plans for Manston airport. I have lived here for over 70 years and we have always had an airport in the area.

There are massive plans for houses in the area and people moving into them will need Jobs, Thanet has always had a traditional seasonal jobs market but this can't be maintained in the long term. The spin off from Manston being developed as a cargo hub would provide employment for young people who find it hard to get employment in Thanet.

Some people say there is an issue with noise and carbon emissions but, I am certain that as we move forward aeroplanes will get quieter and greener.

For the last 46 years I/we have lived in the same house about a mile from the end of the runway and we have had no adverse effects from emissions from aeroplanes landing.

The Thanet towns used to be vibrant places full of customers wanting to spend locally, I know as I was a shop manager and the towns started to decline when the the Airport shut. We need to be a vibrant community again and the airport would assist.

I hope this is a good representation but if you need any more questions answered please contact me.

Sincerely John Lawrence.