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To whom it may concern,

I am a junior attending Portales High school in Portales, NM and I believe Cannon Air Force Base should remain open.

The main reason Cannon should not close is it is a huge asset to the Clovis/Portales area. Without it many people would loose their jobs. The economy would go down because a giant portion of the population would leave. Also all the local businesses would loose the majority of their customers . These are just a few reasons why Cannon Air Force Base is needed.

Thank you for taking the time to read this letter and take into consideration the importance of Cannon Air Force Base.

Sincerely,

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