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To Philip Coyle
BRAC Commission

Re Cannon AFB

From Western Investment Properties, LLC
(a local apt. owner + operator in Clovis, N.M.)

Dear Mr Coyle

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We feel the 20.5% impact projected for our economic area is very understated. Of 12 other apartment owners we have visited with, only 2 of us feel we have any chance at all of getting through a closure of Cannon AFB.

The positive military attributes of this base are obvious. The negative economic impact on our town of 34,000-36,000 is equally obvious. Why is Clovis expected to absorb a negative economic hit way more than anyone that expected of any other proposed base closure?

Thank you

Western Investment Prop, LLC

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