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June 2005

BRAC Commission

AUG 18 2005

Received

BRAC Commission
c/o NIMAC
P.O. Box 231
Niagara Falls, NY 14304-0231

Dear Chairman Principi and BRAC Commissioners:

I am deeply troubled by the Defense Department's recommendation to close the Niagara Falls Air Force Reserve Base. This recommendation is a terrible mistake and I urge the BRAC Commission to reverse this decision and remove the Niagara Falls Base from the list.

It is hard to understand why the Air Force has decided to take planes, missions, and jobs away from so many Air Guard and Air Reserve bases and put them on more costly Active Duty bases. Of all the bases to pick to close, how do you close the base whose unit was able to help rescue Jessica Lynch in Iraq because they are the lead night vision C-130 unit in the Reserves? You must also recognize:

1. **The federal government has invested more than $35 million in Niagara Falls since 1995 in new facilities.**
2. **Base Operations Support costs have been reduced more than 33% (to include a 25% reduction in utilities) to make the base one of the most cost-efficient facilities in the Air Force Reserve Command.**
3. **Closure of the base eliminates the ability to recruit and retain New Yorkers in a region in which the units have both maintained in excess of 100% manning rates.**
4. **Niagara Falls' existing infrastructure can accommodate eight (8) additional C-130H model aircraft without any military construction.**
5. **Niagara Falls faces no physical encroachment nor air traffic control constraints and has acreage on the base and adjacent to the installation for expansion.**

I urge the Commission, in the strongest possible terms, to remove the Niagara Falls AFB from the Pentagon's recommended list of base closures and to stop the continuing retreat of the military from our region of the country.

Sincerely,

Mary K Pavel
Name

231 Caledonia St, Lockport
Address (mandatory)

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April Sample
(PRINT NAME)

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(Address)

Albion NY 14411
(City, State, Zip)

Chairman Anthony J. Principi
Base Realignment and Closure Commission
2521 South Clark Street
Suite 600
Arlington, VA 22202

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Also, how will the Department defend the region? Will the Guard respond to man-made or natural disasters when they occur after these massive cuts/closings/consolidations?

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Sincerely,

(A Concerned Citizen)

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Sincerely,

Tammie Sample 8/6/05
[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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Sincerely,

Diane Sample
(A concerned Citizen)

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Colley N.Y. 14470
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Bruce Nicholas 8/16/05
[A concerned Citizen] (date)

7663 Van Horn Ave
[Address]

Niagara Ny 14108
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David C. Nicholas 8/6/05
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2663 Northern Ave
(Address)

Neptune N.Y. 11108
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Pamela Salerno 8/6/05
[A concerned Citizen] (date)

2761 Ridge Road
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Ransomville, New York 14131
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Sincerely,

[signature] 8/6/05
(A concerned Citizen) (date)

5970 Margaret Ann Dr.
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Lakeview NY 14085
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Gary M Sala 8/6/05
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Sincerely,

Michele A Plane 8/5/05
(A concerned Citizen) (date)

7249 Katie Drive
(Address)

N. Tonawanda NY 14120
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Sincerely,

Margaret R Brown 8/6/05
(A concerned Citizen) (date)

3500 Coomer Rd
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Niagara NY 14108
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Sincerely,

Dan Brown 8/6/05
(A concerned Citizen) (date)

3500 Coomer Rd
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New Scotland NY 14106
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Sincerely,

Jacob

[A concerned Citizen]

7249 Katie Dr

[Address]

Wheatfield NY 14134

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John Quintern 8/6/05
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Gasport, NY. 14067
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Sincerely,

[signature] 8/6/05

(A concerned Citizen) (date)

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(Address)

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[signature] 8/6/05

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6773 Rapids Rd

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Sincerely,

8/6/05

(A concerned Citizen) (date)

196 BEATTIE AVE

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Sincerely, NARENA Coronado 8/6/05

(A concerned Citizen) (date)

156 Beattie Ave

(Address)

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Jamie Drake 8/6/05
(A concerned Citizen) (date)

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Susan Mauer 8/6/05
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461 19th ST
(Address)

NF NY 14303
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FRANK RONCIELLI 8/6/05
[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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Sincerely,

Karen Szudlik

(A concerned Citizen)

55 Meadow Spring

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Amherst NY 14051

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Sincerely,

8/16/05

[A concerned Citizen] [date]

3325 BASELINE

[Address]

GRAND ISLAND, NY 14072

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Gab Littler 8/6/05

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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I beg the [illegible] the strongest possible terms to [illegible] AFB from the [illegible] list of base closures [illegible] retreat of [illegible] from our region of the country.

Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

Lorraine Rice
1st Concerned Citizen

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[illegible] the strongest possible terms to [illegible] Niagara Falls AFB [illegible] list of base closures [illegible] continuing [illegible] from our region of the country.

Sincerely,

Lauren M. Larson

(A Concerned Citizen)

July, 2005

Donald Marfort
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Sincerely,

Patricia Cascia

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Harold Lederhouse
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Maureen Lederhouse

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Respectfully,

Richard Swartz
(An Concerned Citizen)

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Sincerely,

Monica Tobin

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Sincerely,

Peter K. Boes

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Brenda Lawrence
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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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[A concerned Citizen]

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

Lynn E. Mengel
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Sincerely,

Dawn Brown
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Sincerely,

Renee Evans
(A Concerned Citizen)

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(address)

Buffalo, N.Y 14208
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(A Concerned Citizen)

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Sincerely,

Patricia Y Moore
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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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John D. Horton
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Frank Slon
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Sincerely,

Richard Hrf 8/16/05
[A concerned Citizen] [date]

5761 Glendale Dr.
[Address]

Lockport, NY 14094
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Sincerely,

[illegible] 8/6/05
(A concerned Citizen) (date)

2 ALEXANDER PKWY
(Address)

No. TONAWANDA, N.Y. 14120
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Renee Burner 8/06/05

(A concerned Citizen) (date)

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THOMAS CINO
(PRINT NAME)

ALEXANDER DR.
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NO. TONAWANDA NY 14120
(City, State, Zip)

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2521 South Clark Street
Suite 600
Arlington, VA 22202

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Sincerely,

Thomas Cino

(A Concerned Citizen)

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Sincerely,

Joshua Berner
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Sincerely,

Bruce Stiles
(A concerned Citizen)

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April Stiles 8/6/05
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Alex Flemy
(A concerned Citizen)

83 Waterman
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Lockport NY 14094
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Daray Slade
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Sincerely,

Lisa Barrett ___/___/___
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Cathy Warren
(PRINT NAME)

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Suite 600
Arlington, VA 22202

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Also, how will the Department defend the region? Will the Guard respond to man-made or natural disasters when they occur after these massive cuts/closings/consolidations?

I beg the Commission in the strongest possible terms to remove Niagara Falls AFB from the Pentagon's recommended list of base closures and to stop the continuing retreat of the military from our region of the country.

Sincerely,

Cathy Pilmichael-Warren
(A Concerned Citizen)

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Sincerely,

[signature] 8/6/05

[A concerned Citizen] [date]

5566 Irish Rd.

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N. Tonawanda, NY 14120

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Sincerely,

[illegible] 8/16/05

[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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Susan DuBois 8/6/05
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Denise Barcus 8/4/05
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Elizabeth M Blair 08/06/05

(A concerned Citizen) (date)

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Paul M. Fisher 8/6/05
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Audrey Evans
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Thomas May 8/6/5
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897 Circle
[Address]

Lewiston NY 14092
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Duane G. Rozgow 8/6/05
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R [illegible] 8/6/05

(A concerned Citizen) (date)

148 FAIRGREEN

(Address)

AMHERST N.Y. 14228

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[signature] 8/6/05

[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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Diane Pierce 8/6/05
[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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Sincerely,

June 25, 05

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Address (mandatory)

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Vanessa Zimmer
(A concerned Citizen)

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As the only remaining major military installation in Western New York, Niagara Falls has been key to military recruitment. The impact of this decision will be devastating to the New York Air National Guard and will make the Pentagon's efforts to recruit and retain military personnel even more difficult than it is now.

All New Yorkers stand with the Niagara Falls/Western New York community and are united in its support for this base, and its retention. Please, overturn the Pentagon's recommendation and keep the base open.

Sincerely,

Patricia Crisafell

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I urge the Commission, in the strongest possible terms, to remove the Niagara Falls AFB from the Pentagon's recommended list of base closures and to stop the continuing retreat of the military from our region of the country.

Sincerely,

Susan Kizama
Name

33 Forestview Drive
Address (mandatory)

Depew NY 14043

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BRAC Commission

AUG 18 2005

Received

June 2005

BRAC Commission
c/o NIMAC
P.O. Box 231
Niagara Falls, NY 14304-0231

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Sincerely,

Sally Hale

(A concerned Citizen)

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Tara Brant 8/3/05
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Sincerely,

Lisa Swanson 8/3/05

[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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Sincerely,

Jane Elise Stevens ___/___/___
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[A concerned Citizen] 8/3/05 [date]

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Robert L Rudy 8/3/05
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Mark Bergfors 8/3/05
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Theodore J. Fox 8/3/05
[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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[signature] 8/3/05

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Lisa Mueller 8/3/05
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C/O NIMAC
PO Box 231
Niagara Falls, NY 14304

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Sincerely,

Carmina [illegible]

NAME

66 S. 87th St.

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Sincerely,

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I pray to God that the Niagara Falls AFB does not close down. She [illegible] destroy this Community. Not to mention the insult on everyone with a fear going on, worldwide. I live near the Falls and the Power Project, and I live in a [illegible] of an attack. I am minutes away from a Bridge and a short distance from the Lewiston Bridge as well as the Peace Bridge. She may serve [illegible] I have come from the AFB and our soldiers stationed there. Our Base has shown its need. Don't remove it. Please!

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The impact of this decision will be devastating to the New York Air National Guard and will make the Pentagon's efforts to recruit and retain military personnel even more difficult than it is now.

All New Yorkers stand with the Niagara Falls/Western New York community and are united in its support for this base, and its retention. Overturn the Pentagon's recommendation and keep the base open.

Sincerely,

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Date: 07/31/05 19:00:07
To: info@nimac.org
Subject: Niagara Air Base Closing Protest

Below is the result of your feedback form. It was submitted by Lani Bauer () on Sunday, July 31, 2005 at 19:00:04

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