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To the Honorable Anthony J. Truncale

My husband and I are writing to you in regard to Cannon Air Force Base and whether or not the base should be closed.

We ask you to please listen to the people of Clovis and New Mexico and with thoughtful consideration weight all the facts presented to you. Please consider all the facts and make your decision using logic and a bit of common sense.

We don't claim to know all the facts needed to help you with your decision. We are ordinary people with concern for our city and for the safety of our country.

I could list what I consider were important facts - the bombing range so near to the base - all the air space available - the community support for the base - education benefits available - the economic impact on a large area of New Mexico not just one community - great medical care with plans for expansion of benefits and services.

Please keep Camrose and Peace Base open.

It is the best answer both logically and with  
common sense.

Iod bless you as you strive to make the  
right decision.

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