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Dear Brac Commission

I think Cannon should be realigned and not closed, we have a runway and unlimited airspace. fabulous weather proximity to an air-ground bombing range (Melrose) low density commercial traffic and outstanding base facilities and wonderful support from the city.

I not many cities are as supportive of their bases as Cannon are. They gave land to Cannon at no charge in the early 90's. this was done to protect airspace from encrachment and was a very important issue to the AF. the local community purchased land North of CAFB and gave it Back to Cannon for Chaves Manor. They also purchased land West of Cannon and gave it Back to the AF for the

installation of instrument lighting on the alternate runway at the base. they also spearheaded the effort to expand and convert the airspace to supersonic capibility through the NM training Range Initative

this Community has reached out and supported the base like no other community has ever done.

I am retired, own a home, have children in school and college, work at the base. this is devistating to us.

this community has always reached out to Cannon now its your turn to Reach out to us. Please Rally in us not close us

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