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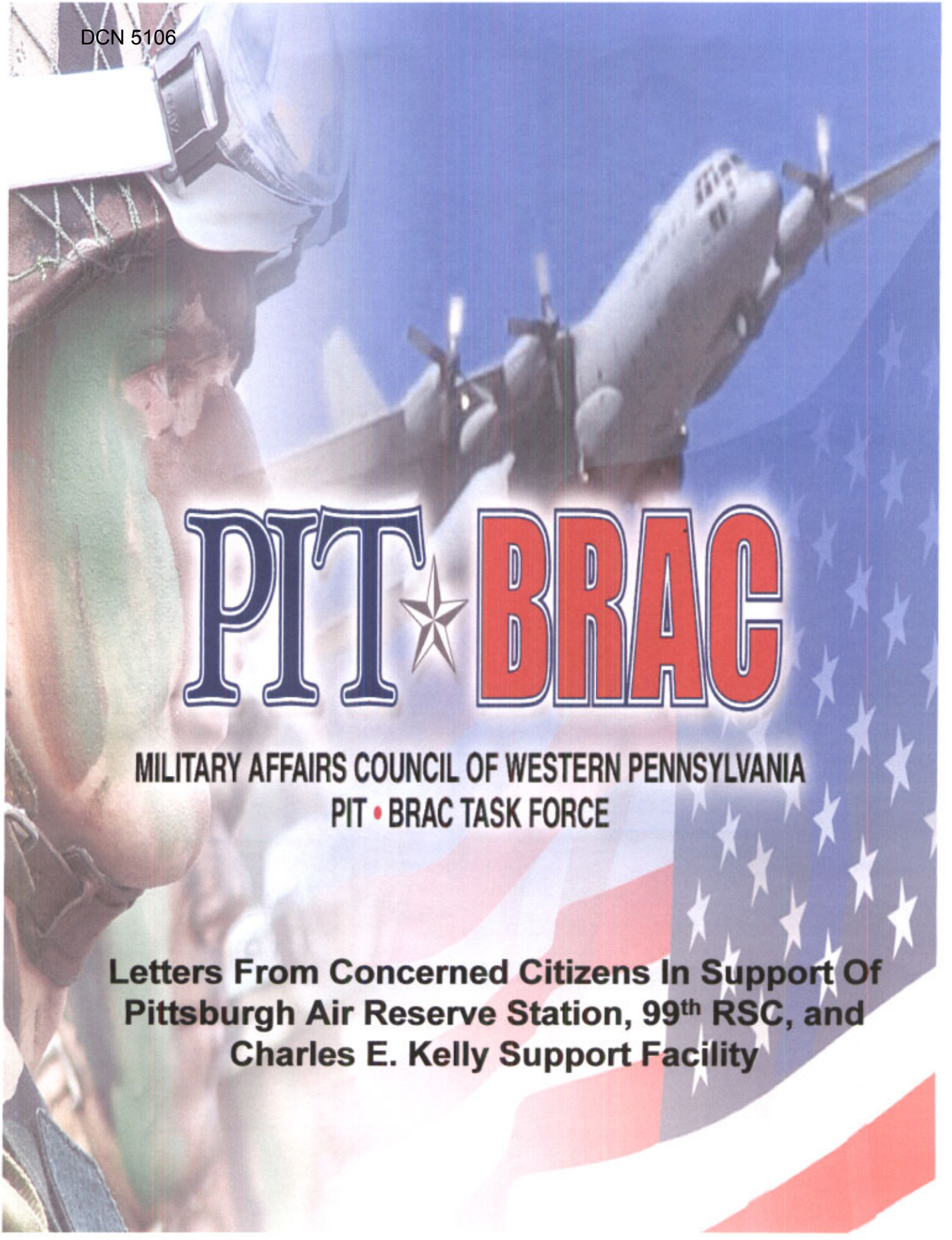

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2521 South Clark Street, Suite 600
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Re: PITTSBURGH, LAND & MORE July 10, 2005

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