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c/o NIMAC
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Niagara Falls, NY 14304-0231

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Sincerely,

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Address (mandatory)

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Sincerely,

C. Courneen 8/3/05
[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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Sincerely,

Carolyn Lichtenthal
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Mac C. Jesswald
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William J. Bartz

[A concerned Citizen]

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Charles Chambers / / ___
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Base Realignment and Closure Commission
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Arlington, VA 22202

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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 the more costly Active Duty bases.

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,

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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.

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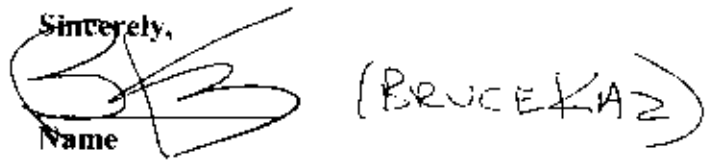

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Chairman Anthony J. Principi
Base Realignment and Closure Commission
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Larry Hurtubise
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Sincerely yours,

Carol A Falbo (CAROL A. FALBO)
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SANBORN, NY 14132

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June 2005

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BRAC Commission
c/o NIMAC
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Sincerely,

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I have trouble understanding why the Niagara Falls Base should be closed. It cost more money to take planes, missions, and jobs away from Air Reserve bases and place them on more costly Active Duty Bases. It would be greatly appreciated if you could take time to explain why the Niagara Falls Base has been chosen to be closed. The federal government has invested more than $35 million in Niagara Falls since 1995 in new facilities. With Base Operations Support cost being reduced by more then 33%, the Niagara Falls Air Force Base is one of the most cost-efficient facilities in the Air Force Reserve Command. The Base also has room to accommodate more aircrafts without the need for expansion. If the need for expansion ever presented itself the facility has the acreage to expand.

Please help me understand why the base is being closed. I urge the Commission to remove the Niagara Falls Air Force Base from the Pentagon's recommended list of closures. The base has been a positive influence on the Western New York community.

Sincerely,

Patrick Raab

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