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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

Rachel Cole
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Respectfully,

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Thank You,
Cynthia Folckemer

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Wayne Michaels

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(A Concerned Citizen)

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Sincerely,

Clive Anthony Smeraglinolo
(A Concerned Citizen)

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Base Realignment and Closure Commission
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Sincerely,

Dorothy D. Perry
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Sanborn, N.Y. 14132

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Sincerely,

[redacted] 8/3/05
(A concerned Citizen) (date)

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Kelli Tracy 8/3/05
[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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Sincerely,

[signature] 8/3/05
[A concerned Citizen] [date]

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Tonawanda NY 141508539
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Sincerely,

Laura E Hoffer 8/3/05
(A concerned Citizen) (date)

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Sincerely,

Marilyn M. Cook
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Kelliann Tessler
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Chairman Anthony J. Principi
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Dear Chairman Principi and BRAC Commissioners:

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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,

Kelliann Tessler
(A Concerned Citizen)

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

Jim Martin
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(Address)

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BRAC Commission

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June 2005

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

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Sincerely,

Cheri Cruz
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Sincerely,

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Helen McConnell

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Sincerely,

Marissa Henning
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P.S. We need this base - We Need these People
We need them like a church needs a Steeple
To take them away just doesn't make sense
We are a very very important area that needs their defense!!

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Jackie Sedia (I used to attend this AF base when I was in the Air Force Reserves - Please keep it open!)

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Marilyn + John Leininger

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Sincerely,

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Save our tax dollars by locating our defense here in Western N.Y.

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