



Continuing Airworthiness in Aging Aircraft



Representative Susan McLain
 Chair, Transport Policy Committee
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To whom it may concern,

Aerometal International Inc. is a small aviation maintenance business employing 22 people. We have been based at the Aurora State Airport since 2006. We are fervently in support of the drive to increase the length of the current runway at KUAO. The current runway length has, on numerous occasions, imposed limitations on business opportunities. Our customers have sometimes been unable to deliver aircraft to our facility as a direct result of the runway length limitations. This has left us at a disadvantage and unable to compete with completion. We have lost projects and the subsequent business has gone elsewhere.

Our business would benefit directly from an increase in runway length at the Aurora State airport. We would anticipate new growth and expansion of our operations and work force as a result.

Very sincerely,

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 President.

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