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Subject: Perris Airport Logistics Center
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Dear Mr. Perez,

I am writing with regard to the potential development of land adjacent to the Skydive Perris airport. I have been a customer of this business since 1980 and I spend approximately \$10,000 annually for services provided by employees of Skydive Perris and from an ecosystem of skydiving businesses that are associated with Skydive Perris, as well as businesses in the Perris community that provide food, gas, and weekend housing. To say that I am alarmed about the potential development of this land is an understatement. I am a pro-development person. However, I don't see the economics or quality of life issues making sense in this case. Cannibalizing an existing Perris business that has proven its ability to survive and enhance life in the community for multiple decades will hurt Perris more than help it. It is a win-lose proposition, with the emphasis on lose. There are many acres in Perris that could be developed without damaging existing businesses and these are where trucks and warehouses should be placed. You may be aware that Skydive Elsinore has received a major investment of capital and is undergoing a huge expansion with a new location, buildings, and a paved runway. The town of Elsinore understands that skydiving is growing and will provide a rich source of revenue for decades to come, employing many people in Elsinore to support skydiving activities. If you create hazards at Perris Skydiving that frighten customers away, they have a great alternative 12 miles west. You don't have to close Perris Skydiving to destroy it. I encourage you to pursue a win-win approach that doesn't damage Perris Skydiving and that allows you to attract new businesses.

Steven P. Briggs

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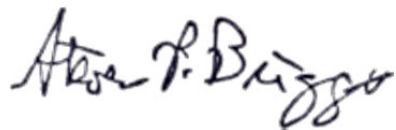
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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Steven P. Briggs". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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