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October 29, 2018

RE: Commercial Air Service to McNary Field, Salem, Oregon

To Whom It May Concern:

The Independence City Council supports the regional effort to secure sustainable commercial air service to McNary Field in Salem, Oregon. Independence is a city of 10,000 in Polk County, approximately 15 miles from Salem with limited air transportation options.

We believe the benefits are many: additional transportation options for our residents and businesses; economic development; and a boost to our tourism efforts.

We ask for favorable consideration of this effort to bring more transportation options to our community.

Very Truly Yours,

John McArdle
Mayor