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## Petroleum Company

August 9, 1999

Mr. Charles Snowden, A. A. E.  
Jacksonville Port Authority  
P. O. Box 3005  
Jacksonville, Florida 32206-0005

Dear Mr. Snowden:

I would like to take this opportunity to indicate Gate Petroleum Company's strong support of the proposed improvements at Craig Airport. In particular, the extension of runways 14/32 to 6000 feet.

It is our firm belief that Craig Airport has and will continue to support, the strong economic growth and subsequent increase in employment in Jacksonville. The proposed improvements can only assist in these vital areas and additionally will provide a vast improvement to the safety of this airport's operations.

We are all fortunate to live in this great city and any and all positive actions such as this will have a direct effect in making Jacksonville even greater for all it's residents and business people alike.

I would urge all persons involved to work together in assisting to make this important undertaking a reality with all urgency.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Herbert H. Peyton", written over a horizontal line.

Herbert H. Peyton  
President

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