

The City of Quinter

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Dear Committee Members,

As Mayor of the City of Quinter, I would like to express my support for the Airport Project in Quinter.

The Gove County Medical Center provides regional services to thousands of rural western Kansans. As our population ages, often they are faced with the decision to relocate based on where their health care needs can be adequately met. Having an airport in Quinter, will allow additional ancillary health care services made available to our citizens, of all ages.

Our Medical Center has a proven track record of aggressive, successful expansion, and the addition of an airport would only enhance the quality and quantity of health care delivered to rural western Kansans.

As Quinter's Mayor I strongly support the Sales Tax Exemption & Property Tax Exemption Bill.

Sincerely,

Dwight Tummons

Mayor

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