

## Glenda Wiles

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**To:** Glenda Wiles  
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Commissioners-

Voting for expansion of the airport would make your professed anti-government position appear preposterous. Millions of federal dollars for a very few individuals who own or rent planes, but no money for poor individuals needing health care. Ridiculous!!

None, and I mean none, of the arguments for expansion hold water. They are transparently false. To my knowledge no evidence has demonstrated economic benefit sufficient to warrant the negative impacts of air traffic on the greater Ravalli County population.

As to safety, please do not play us for fools. Although there may be some danger now from pilots pushing the limits as to the size of planes they land at the current airport, you and I both know that if the runway is lengthened, pilots will push the limits of the longer runway.....ONLY THIS TIME WITH LARGER JETS.....CREATING THE POTENTIAL FOR EVEN GREATER DISASTER. This is a no-brainer.

Finally, the two commissioners appropriately deposed in the recent primary should recuse themselves from voting.

Please respect the greater population of Ravalli County.....individuals who neither need nor use the airport. Quality of life is just as important as money.

Sincerely,

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