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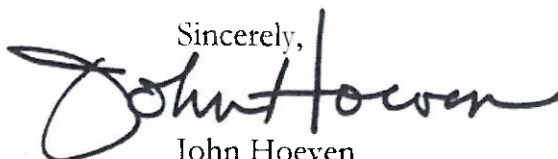
Dear Associate Director Chapman:

I am writing to express my support for the application submitted by the Williston Basin International Airport to the Small Community Air Services Development Program (SCASDP). Thank you for your consideration.

For more than a decade, the Williston region has experienced significant growth in both population and economic activity, thanks in large part to our state and nation's energy renaissance and the development of natural resources in the Bakken Oil Patch. In response, the City of Williston, in partnership with the state and the federal government, has made important investments in the region's infrastructure to ensure the safe, efficient and reliable transportation of goods and people. This application to the SCASDP program aligns with these ongoing efforts and would help secure new air service between Williston and Phoenix, Arizona. That would mean better access to affordable air travel for the region's residents and businesses, supporting the continued growth of the local economy and improving the community's quality of life.

Accordingly, I hope this application receives your favorable consideration. Thank you for your time and attention to this important matter. Please keep me informed of the review process, and feel free to contact my office with any updates or inquiries you may have.

Sincerely,



John Hoeven  
U.S. Senator