



**Town of Middlebury
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September 13, 2022

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Dear Mr. Corbett,

We write with regard to the draft Master Plan update for the Middlebury Airport.

We have reviewed the proposed draft update and respectfully request that the State of Vermont Agency of Transportation incorporate the following concepts into the final Master Plan:

- **Protection of environmental resources**, including the Town's water source protection area;
- **Location of airport hangar building envelopes** to minimize impact to airport neighbors, and, specifically, to arrange the largest hangar such that it doesn't shadow the airport's closest neighbor, if possible; and
- **Improvements to Airport Road** to maximize safety for Airport Road residents and users of the airport.

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Thank you for your consideration of our comments on the Master Plan Update for the Middlebury Airport. Please do not hesitate to contact us through Town Manager Kathleen Ramsay, 802-458-8000 or kramsay@townofmiddlebury.org, if you have any questions or need any additional information about our input.

Sincerely,

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