## Lopez, Maria [COB]

From: Andrew Vineyard <vineyardandrew@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, August 03, 2020 6:09 PM

To: COB\_Response; Do, Andrew; don.wagner@ocgov.com; Steel, Michelle; Chaffee, Doug; Bartlett, Lisa

**Subject:** Orange County airport Fixed Based Operator support letter

**Attachments:** support letter.pdf

Chairwoman Steel and the Orange County Board of Supervisers,

Please find my attached support letter for the choice of fixed base operator at John Wayne airport.

Thank you, and Sincerely,

## Semper Fidelis

Andrew Vineyard
President
A. L. Vineyard Construction, Inc.
Phone 949 360-1480
fax: 949 360-4012

www.alvineyard.com

When everything seems to be going against you, remember that the airplane takes off against the wind, not with it...

~Henry Ford

Privileged And Confidential Information: This electronic transmission and any documents attached hereto: (a) are protected by the Electronic Communications Privacy Act (18 USC §§ 2510-2521), (b) may contain confidential, proprietary, and/or legally privileged information, and (c) are for the sole use of the intended recipient named above. No confidentiality or privilege is waived or lost by any erroneous transmission. If you receive this message in error, please immediately delete it and all copies of it from your system, destroy any hard copies of it and notify the sender. You must not, directly or indirectly, use, disclose, distribute, print, or copy any part of this message if you are not the intended recipient.

Dear Chairwoman Steel and Orange County Supervisors,

My name is Andrew Vineyard and I am a USMC Veteran, and Orange County Resident. I have lived in Laguna Hills Orange County area for Thirty Eight years and have enjoyed working with Jay's Aircraft Maintenance for the past 5 years.

I am writing this letter in support of Jay's Aircraft Maintenance as a vital part of General aviation at John Wayne Airport. Jay provides a small business personal service that the larger corporate FBO cannot provide. Jay's Aircraft Maintenance is a small in person shop that you can talk directly to and explain the issues or problem with your aircraft directly to Jay, who sometimes has follow up questions to the problem, which helps solve the problem. This personal in person service is not possible with the large corporate FBO's, who frankly do not want to bother with the small GA aircraft problems.

I respectfully urge the board to award the Limited Service FBO to Jay's Aircraft Maintenance as they have been an excellent local business and county asset for the past 40+ years. They are the most suited limited service FBO because of the unmatched service, reliability, and affordability. Jay's Aircraft Maintenance keeps GA aircraft at John Wayne airport because of the affordability. The Large Corporate FBO's cost too much for the smaller GA aircraft to use, We will be forced to take our business out of Orange County to do maintenance and repair work.

Please support small business and choose Jay's

Thank you for your time and please select Jay's Aircraft Maintenance as the limited service FBO.

Sincerely,

Andrew Vineyard

Aircraft Owner

Small Business Owner

Orange County USMC Veteran