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Re: OSB EA Comment Submittal  
School Safety

Sirs:

I am particularly concerned with the impact of noise and safety for schools that are in the flight path.

According to the Arizona Daily Star, the Julia Keen School was closed in 2004 because it was near Davis-Monthan Air Force Base's flight path. The EA should explain what the history and rationale behind the school's closing. In particular, did any of the changes in the OSB Program necessitate this closing? I would also like to know what has been the impact on the neighborhood since the closing. What has happened to the school property? Where do these children go to school now?

Based on your EA analysis, which schools are in the flight path and how many students attend these schools? What additional challenges do the schools and communities face due to possible changes of airplanes of the OSB.

It would be useful for us if the EA provides the noise and safety standards with respect to plane flights that are required for a safe environment for children at school. Furthermore, can you explain how these standards take into account an environment like Tucson in which children spend a larger portion of the school day out of doors?

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

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Resident of Tucson

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