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Chair, Pennington County Fire Service Board
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Mayor Sam Kooiker
City of Rapid City
300 6th St.
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Mayor Sam Kooiker,

I am writing in support of the Rapid City Fire Department (RCFD) continuing to provide emergency services at the Rapid City Regional Airport (RCRA). This agency provides a quality service in multiple disciplines to the travelers that utilize air services through the airport, as well as the private stakeholders and employees of RCRA.

The RCFD provides not only Aircraft Rescue and Firefighting services, but they also provide hazardous material response, advanced life support emergency medical services, and structure/vehicle/wildland fire response. They are provided training through a professional and competent training staff that exceeds multiple national standards. Their response is professional and caring, keeping the needs of the customer before anything else. RCFD has also supported the Pennington County Fire Service in response to incidents on RCRA property, as well as the adjoining properties. By providing this assistance, a positive working relationship has developed and continues to grow.

In closing, the RCFD provides the RCRA a multidiscipline and professional emergency response service. I support the RCFD in continuing to provide services to all that work at, work for, and visit the RCRA.

Please contact me if I can be of any other assistance.

Sincerely,



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