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Sent: Monday, June 04, 2012 2:03 PM
To: Spaulding, Jeb; MacLean, Alex
Subject: Re: F-35s

I have no problem with us supporting their request for information – I assume this would not go under our letterhead and that it would be clear that it's from Winooski. On the airports commission: Alex, I'm happy to reach out to Miro unless you'd rather.

From: <Spaulding>, Jeb <Jeb.Spaulding@state.vt.us>
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This is just to remind us all of the outcome of the meeting Alex and I had with Mayor Michael O'Brien and Deac Decarreau, at their request, about the F-35 issue. It was a cordial meeting.

They asked us to consider the following:

Support their request for information. See attached. Suggest we do so. The more factual information, the better. This would not be inconsistent with our general support for this initiative.

Support the creation of an ad hoc citizens advisory committee, as suggested by the Vermont Guard wing commander. Suggest we do so.

Support their request for a seat on the Airport Commission. I believe this would be a decision by the Burlington City Council. It might be a good idea for Bill or Alex to broach this possibility with Mayor Weinberger.

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