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May 8, 2020

Michael Martin  
Office of Aviation Analysis  
US Department of Transportation  
1200 New Jersey Ave SE  
Washington, D.C. 20590

RE: USDOT Essential Air Service Bid for Laramie, Wyoming

Dear Mr. Martin:

The Laramie Regional Airport Board (LRAB) strongly supports the proposal from SkyWest Airlines to provide Essential Air Service to the Laramie Regional Airport.

The LRAB and the Laramie community have been extremely pleased with SkyWest Airlines since their arrival into our community in November 2012. Our passenger numbers have increased over the last several years as well as the traveling public's confidence in the air service. SkyWest's tie-in with United Airlines, the ease of booking flights in and out of Laramie, and the fare advantages we have with a United Express carrier have been large factors in our increased passenger numbers over the last eight years.

Laramie residents, as well as residents in the surrounding area, know the importance of air service to Laramie. The growth of passengers utilizing Laramie Regional Airport shows the support and commitment to quality air service. SkyWest has been a large part of that growth.

LRAB is excited to continue to work with, market, and support SkyWest Airline as Laramie's air carrier. Thank you for considering our comments.

Sincerely,

Jack Skinner  
Airport Manager