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**Subject:** Roads, Warehouses at the Airport

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I am asking you to consider what is at stake if wetlands and sensitive ecosystems near the airport are eliminated in favour of roads and warehouses. Industrial sprawl in times of warming climate and the fallout of it, such as increased precipitation and loss of species will only exacerbate the bad situation the world is in. Paved over wetlands cannot absorb downpours, fauna and flora once lost cannot be brought back. Paved roads, large roof and walls store heat and add to warming. Money could be much better spent for healthcare, especially when we can expect that costs in this sector to increase as the environment heats up.

Please be the councillor that thinks ahead and weighs carefully how that kind of expansion is handled. Be intelligent, be concerned, be considerate and be kind to all species, including humans and their future.

Thank you.

Christiane de Savigny

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