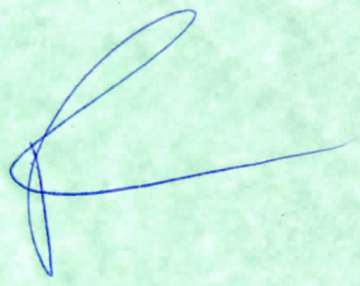


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TO: Wm. Fumell Hall

FROM: James W. Rouse

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In a conversation with Teddy Warfield today he again raised the subject of an airport for Columbia.

He states that a small plane airport requires only a ridge 2,000 feet long and 100 feet wide on 50 acres of land. He asserts there are many places in Columbia where the airport could be located; that it would not be a nuisance and that we should provide for it.

He also advises that the State is prepared to put up \$100,000 and the Federal government and the County will make up the difference to build an airport owned by the County and leased out to an operator.

Rudolph Drennan of the State Aviation Commission has all the information on the available financing for the County. It seems to me this could be a great asset to Columbia, and that it ought to be possible to locate such a small plane airport on the edge of our property or perhaps even on our peripheral land. Perhaps the employment center area along our southeastern border; perhaps some of the fringe land to the southwest.

Will you look into this once again; discuss it with Drennan and see if there is anything that we might do.

James W. Rouse

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