



September 12, 2022

Board of Supervisors  
County of Inyo  
P.O. Drawer N  
Independence, CA 93526

Dear Honorable Inyo County Board of Supervisors,

Thank you for reaching out to our Mammoth Lakes Tourism board of directors for their input and opinions on the proposed name change of Bishop Airport to Bishop Dave McCoy Airport.

As a longtime resident of Bishop, Dave McCoy's massive influence on the entire region is undeniable, from building Mammoth Mountain, starting air service, supporting our students and our communities in general. Dave was indeed a larger-than-life character and his impacts on this area will be eternal.

Mammoth Lakes Tourism is heavily involved in air service programing and providing incredible access to both our Eastern Sierra residents and visitors, and our board supports the final decision of the Inyo County Board of Supervisors whichever direction you feel is best for the community.

Thank you for including us in the discussion.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Urdi", with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

John Urdi  
Executive Director  
Mammoth Lakes Tourism

CC: MLT Board of Directors

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