

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION

Palo Alto Airport 06 Project

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23 MAY 1969

Mr. R. H. Mehrken
Chairman, Board of Supervisors
County of Santa Clara
20 West Hedding Street
San Jose, California 95110

Dear Mr. Mehrken:

It is a pleasure to advise you that the Federal Aviation Administration has allocated \$81,668 under the 1970 Federal-aid Airport Program (FAAP) in response to your request for assistance in the improvement of Palo Alto Airport of Santa Clara County. The specific project is as follows:

Construct aircraft parking apron including tie-downs \$81,668
(220,000 sq. ft.)

The area of the proposed apron has been reduced from the 260,000 sq. ft. which you requested to provide space for a perimeter access road, auto parking and necessary separation of aircraft and vehicular traffic.

A representative of our Airports Branch will be in communication with you in the near future for the purpose of assuring a clear understanding of all requirements and will work with your people to establish a realistic work schedule for the project. As you are no doubt well aware, delay in undertaking the work planned can cause projects to be revaluated due to the competition for the limited FAAP funds available. We are interested in your airport and feel that this project is necessary, and we will be happy to work with you.

Sincerely,
ORIGINAL SIGNED BY
H. E. ALDRIDGE

H. E. ALDRIDGE
Area Manager, SFO-1

cc:

Mr. James T. Pott
Director of Public Works

Honorable Ronald Reagan
Governor of California

Mr. Ed Thurmond, Manager ✓
Santa Clara Airports

Mr. Joseph R. Crotti, Director
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