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FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION
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IN REPLY
REFER TO:

Mr. Sam P. Della Maggiore
Chairman, Board of Supervisors
County of Santa Clara
70 West Hedding Street
San Jose, California 95110

Dear Mr. Della Maggiore:

Reference is made to the Request for Aid which the County of Santa Clara submitted to this agency for Fiscal Year 1969 Federal-aid Airport Program funds to be used for the development of South County Airport.

In states such as California, where the amount of the requests exceeded the funds apportioned to the state, it was necessary to limit allocations to only those projects of the greatest urgency and value to the national air transportation system.

Your request has not been included in the approved Fiscal Year 1969 Program for the reason that the final site selection for a new public airport in the southern portion of Santa Clara County had not been completed at the time of program evaluation.

With the rapid growth taking place in aviation we are well aware of the need for more and better airports in the Santa Clara Valley. Within the limit of funds available and the programming criteria applicable, we will be pleased to work with you in the development of a South County Airport.

If you desire further information regarding this request, it is suggested that you contact Mr. C. G. Hand, Chief of our Airports Branch, whose address is 831 Mitten Road, Burlingame, California 94010.

Sincerely yours,

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