

# County of Santa Clara

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Laurie Suttmeier  
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Brisbane, CA 94005

Sent via email 7/22/20

Dear Ms. Suttmeier:

On April 27, 2020 I submitted property release documentation for a sliver of property at the Reid-Hillview Airport. The property will be used by Valley Transit Agency (VTA) for an extension to their light rail system. This extension is expected to benefit the local area by increase public transit options.

At this time, Santa Clara County (the sponsor of Reid-Hillview Airport) would like to proceed with the release of the property and requests your review and approval. We are currently working with VTA to determine if an easement on the needed property or an outright sale is the most effective property transfer mechanism. That decision will be made in the near future. However, we would like to get this release moving as soon as possible.

Feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions.

Eric Peterson  
Director County Airports

Property release request: <http://www.countyairports.org/resources/Documents/FTP/2020%2002-28%20VTA%20Packet%20rcvd%202020%2003-02.pdf>

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