



# City of Lawrence

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April 23, 2009

Mr. William McCauley  
1222 Prospect  
Lawrence, KS 66044

Dear Mr. McCauley:

Thank you for your interest in participating in the Lawrence Airport 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Open House event. As we discussed on the phone on April 23, 2009, the City declines your offer to provide parachuting/skydiving services or operations at the event.

With respect to your request to start a business, Kansas Skydive Center, at the airport, the City would encourage any business desiring to establish a facility at the Lawrence Municipal Airport. As previously discussed, your business proposal will be reviewed by the Airport Advisory Board at their meeting on May 6, 2009 at 6:30 p.m. Pending the Board's review the City is willing to work with your firm to establish a lease for space to construct a hanger/office and offer airport services providing your firm meets all insurance requirements, minimum standards for establishing a business at the airport, and meets all applicable City codes. Jumping/landing operations, however, will need to take place offsite of the airport property.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Charles F. Soules, P.E.  
Director of Public Works

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