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Comment/Question: The city council meeting this Monday was nothing short of a farce, let me explain why. It was clear from the outset that you had no interest in hearing the opposing viewpoint of the opponents of the F35 opposition. Why else would you censor the gentlemen who played a recording of an F16 when it was his turn to address the council? I felt that was censorship at its worst, after all that is exactly what we'll be dealing with when the new jets are based here. But you scolded him saying it was disrespectful, really? How interesting because this is exactly the problem those of us who live so close to the airport like my family and I so. And the constant smirk on Miro's face whenever anyone opposed spoke was despicable. Oh and let's not forget the endless parade of those in favor of the basing, seemed biased to this witness. I guess in the end the city council is more focused on preserving the military and it's unfettered reckless over spending than they are real estate values, people's health and well being and the rights to peace and quiet. But in the end it certainly shouldn't surprise anyone because this administration obviously more concerned with making friends with our state elected officials than he is with the common man. Shame on you!

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