



Town of Haddam

December 7, 2006

Mr. Thomas Abernatha
Transcend Wireless LLC
5701 Lake Road
Tully, NY 13159

RE: Sprint Spectrum LP – Anticipated Connecticut Siting Council Application
CL&P Tower Site, Cove Road, Haddam, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Abernatha:

Thank you for your correspondence and discussion with me in November of this year regarding the above referenced tower siting matter. It is my understanding Sprint has agreed to replace a CL&P communications tower to be located off Cove Road near a CL&P substation and the former Yankee Nuclear Power Plant. From what you have told me, this tower was inadvertently knocked down in the late 1990s and there are a number of parties interested in co-locating on a new self-supporting tower at the same location including CL&P, Sprint, CT State Police, Verizon and possibly others.

I have reviewed the drawings you sent over with our Town Planner and discussed any need for further consultation as required by Section 16-501(e) of the General Statutes prior to your filing an application with the Connecticut Siting Council. Given the prior existence of a 180' tower in the same general location as the proposed replacement tower and the tower will be built to accommodate local emergency communications antennas and equipment as necessary, the Town of Haddam has no objection to your proceeding with filing an application with the Connecticut Siting Council at this time. In this regard, it is my understanding that a full and complete copy of your application to the Siting Council will be filed not only with the undersigned, but our local P&Z Commission, and other State and local agencies. Further, if the Town chooses to, it may participate formally in the application process before the Siting Council as a party.

Thank you for consulting with me on this project, in advance, and including the Town in your plans.

Sincerely,



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First Selectman

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