

January 21, 2008

Verizon Wireless
c/o Ms. Rachel Mayo
Robinson & Cole, LLP
280 Trumbull Street
Hartford, CT 06103

Subject: Section 7 USFW
Farmington North 2 / P#2000017850, L#119646
199 Town Farm Road, Farmington, Hartford County, Connecticut
EBI Project #61073006

Dear Ms. Mayo:

The following Project Site was evaluated with respect to possible federally-listed, threatened or endangered species in order to determine if the proposed telecommunications facility would result in a potential adverse effect to federally-listed species. This evaluation was performed in accordance with the direction and information provided by the United States Department of the Interior Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) in their January 7, 2008 letter. A copy of this correspondence is attached. Additionally, in EBI's earlier correspondence with the USFWS, dated September 10, 2007, a tree canopy height of 40' was identified, however the actual tree canopy height is 65'. EBI notes that this change in height does not affect the evaluation of the Project Site.

According to information provided by the USFWS in their January 7, 2008 letter and on their website (<http://www.fws.gov/northeast/newenglandfieldoffice/endangeredspec-consultation.htm>), four federally-listed threatened species have been identified within Hartford County, Connecticut: the Bald Eagle, Dwarf Wedge Mussel, Puritan Tiger Beetle, and the Sandplain Gerardia. The Bald Eagle was officially delisted in the lower 48 states from the list of endangered species and threatened wildlife. Further research on the remaining three species regarding their natural habitats identified the following information:

Dwarf Wedge Mussel: The preferred habitat for the Dwarf Wedge Mussel is a freshwater stream or river. This mollusk lives on the sand, firm muddy sand, firm clay, and gravel located at the bottom of moving freshwater with slow to moderate currents.

Puritan Tiger Beetle: The preferred habitat for the Puritan Tiger Beetle is the upper portion of a sandy beach associated with either fresh or salt water. Larvae of this species of insect thrive on large cliffs with minimal vegetation. The species has always been associated with the Connecticut River and the Chesapeake Bay, and is recently only found on sandy, narrow stretches of beach located next to cliffs.

Sandplain Gerardia: The Sandplain Gerardia only thrives in an area of dry, sandy, short grass plains, roadsides, or oak scrub openings. The species requires an open habitat, maintained by periodic disturbances to its environment. Currently, Connecticut only supports one small population, which is located in a cemetery.

Both the Dwarf Wedge Mussel and Puritan Tiger Beetle require a close proximity to water, whether it is the bottom of a stream or river (Dwarf Wedge Mussel) or the beach near a body of water (Puritan Tiger Beetle). The Project Site is located approximately 1,600 feet west of the Farmington River, which is not a known habitat for either species, and the local habitat would not adequately support either of these species. Therefore, it is unlikely that *Verizon Wireless'* proposed telecommunications project will impact either the Dwarf Wedge Mussel or the Puritan Tiger Beetle.

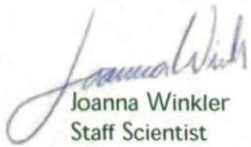
Based on the habitat requirements of the Sandplain Gerardia (dry, sandy, poor-nutrient soils, usually within ten miles of the coast) and EBI's visual observations made during a site inspection, it is unlikely that *Verizon Wireless'* proposed telecommunications project will impact the Sandplain Gerardia. Additionally, during a September 11, 2007

telephone conversation, Mr. Anthony Tur, Endangered Species Specialist with the USFWS, stated that he concurred with EBI's assessment that the Project Site would be an unsuitable habitat for the Sandplain *Gerardia* and was unaware of any other federally-listed threatened or endangered species that would be negatively impacted by the project.

Based on EBI's review of the natural habitats of the three Federally-listed threatened species identified in Hartford County and information provided by the USFWS, it does not appear that habitat at the Subject Property is suitable to support these species. Therefore, with consideration given to the fact that no suspected habitats for listed threatened or endangered species were identified at the Subject Property, *Verizon Wireless'* proposed project is not likely to affect Federally-listed threatened or endangered species.

Thank you for the opportunity to prepare this *Letter*, and assist you with this project. Please do not hesitate to contact us should you have any questions or if we may be of further assistance.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Staff Scientist
EBI Consulting
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Appendix A - Photographs
Appendix B - USFWS Correspondence

APPENDIX A PHOTOGRAPHS



1. Facing East at proposed site location.



2. Facing North from Project Site.



3. Facing South from Project Site.



4. Facing Northwest from Project Site, toward equipment shed.



5. Facing East along access to Town Farm Road.

APPENDIX B
USFW CORRESPONDENCE

ENVIROBUSINESS, INC. LOCATIONS | ATLANTA, GA | BALTIMORE, MD | BURLINGTON, MA | CHICAGO, IL |
CRANSTON, RI | DALLAS, TX | DENVER, CO | EXETER, NH | HOUSTON, TX | LOS ANGELES, CA |
NEW YORK, NY | PHOENIX, AZ | PORTLAND, OR | SAN FRANCISCO, CA | SEATTLE, WA | YORK, PA



United States Department of the Interior



FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE
New England Field Office
70 Commercial Street, Suite 300
Concord, New Hampshire 03301-5087

January 7, 2008

To Whom It May Concern:

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's (Service) New England Field Office has determined that individual project review for certain types of activities associated with communication towers is **not required**. These comments are submitted in accordance with provisions of the Endangered Species Act (ESA) of 1973 (87 Stat. 884, as amended; 16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

Due to the rapid expansion of the telecommunication industry, we are receiving a growing number of requests for review of **existing** and **new** telecommunication facilities in relation to the presence of federally-listed or proposed, threatened or endangered species, critical habitat, wilderness areas and/or wildlife preserves. We have evaluated our review process for proposed communications towers and believe that individual correspondence with this office is not required for the following types of actions relative to **existing** facilities:

1. the re-licensing of existing telecommunication facilities;
2. audits of existing facilities associated with acquisition;
3. routine maintenance of existing tower sites, such as painting, antenna or panel replacement, upgrading of existing equipment, etc.;
4. co-location of new antenna facilities on/in existing structures;
5. repair or replacement of existing towers and/or equipment, provided such activities do not significantly increase the existing tower mass and height, or require the addition of guy wires.

In order to curtail the need to contact this office in the future for individual environmental review for **existing** communication towers or antenna facilities, please note that we are not aware of any federally-listed, threatened or endangered species that are being adversely affected by any existing communication tower or antenna facility in the following states: Vermont, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Connecticut and Massachusetts. Furthermore, we are not aware of any **existing** telecommunication towers in federally-designated critical habitats, wilderness areas or wildlife preserves. Therefore, no further consultation with this office relative to the impact of the above referenced activities on federally-listed species is required.

Future Coordination with this Office Relative to New Telecommunication Facilities

We have determined that proposed projects are not likely to adversely affect any federally-listed or proposed species when the following steps are taken to evaluate new telecommunication facilities:

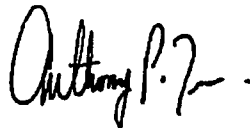
1. If the facility will be installed within or on an existing structure, such as in a church steeple or on the roof of an existing building, no further coordination with this office is necessary. Similarly, new antennas or towers in urban and other developed areas, in which no natural vegetation will be affected, do not require further review.
2. If the above criteria cannot be met, your review of the attached lists of threatened and endangered species locations within Vermont, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Connecticut and Massachusetts may confirm that no federally-listed endangered or threatened species are known to occur in the town or county where the project is proposed.
3. If a listed species is present in the town or county where the project is proposed, further review of our enclosed lists of threatened and endangered species may allow you to conclude that suitable habitat for the species will not be affected. Based on past experiences, we anticipate that there will be few, if any, projects that are likely to impact piping plovers, roseate terns, bog turtles, Jesup's milk-vetch or other such species that are found on coastal beaches, riverine habitats or in wetlands because communication towers typically are not located in these habitats.

For projects that meet the above criteria, there is no need to contact this office for further project review. A copy of this letter should be retained in your file as the Service's determination that no listed species are present, or that listed species in the general area will not be affected. Due to the high workload associated with responding to many individual requests for threatened and endangered species information, we will no longer be providing response letters for activities that meet the above criteria. This correspondence and the enclosed species lists remain valid until January 1, 2009. Updated consultation letters and species list are available on our website:

(<http://www.fws.gov/northeast/newenglandfieldoffice/EndangeredSpec-Consultation.htm>)

Thank you for your cooperation, and please contact me at 603-223-2541 for further assistance.

Sincerely yours,



Anthony P. Tur
Endangered Species Specialist
New England Field Office

FEDERALLY LISTED ENDANGERED AND THREATENED SPECIES
IN CONNECTICUT

There is no federally-designated Critical Habitat in Connecticut. The following are federally-listed species by county:

Common Name	Species	Status	County/General Distribution
Shortnose sturgeon ¹	<i>Acipenser brevirostrum</i>	E	Atlantic coastal waters and Connecticut River
Indiana bat	<i>Myotis sodalis</i>	E	New Haven/hibernaculum
Bald eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	D ²	Nesting: Hartford, Litchfield, Middlesex, New Haven, New London, Tolland Wintering: entire state, major rivers
Piping plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T	Nesting: Fairfield, Middlesex, New Haven, New London (coastal beaches only) Migratory: Atlantic Coast
Roseate tern	<i>Sterna dougallii dougallii</i>	E	Nesting: New Haven (Faulkner Island) Migratory: Atlantic Coast
Bog turtle	<i>Clemmys muhlenbergii</i>	T	Fairfield, Litchfield
Dwarf wedgemussel	<i>Alasmidonta heterodon</i>	E	Hartford (Connecticut River watershed)
Puritan tiger beetle	<i>Cicindela puritana</i>	T	Hartford, Middlesex (Connecticut River floodplain)
Northeastern beach tiger beetle	<i>Cicindela dorsalis dorsalis</i>	T	Coastal beaches/extirpated
Small whorled pogonia	<i>Isotria medeoloides</i>	T	Litchfield, New Haven
Sandplain gerardia	<i>Agalinus acuta</i>	E	Hartford
Chaffseed	<i>Scwalbea americana</i>	E	New London/historic

¹ Principal responsibility for this species is vested with the National Marine Fisheries Service.

² Delisted. Protected under the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act.

September 10, 2007

Mr. Michael Amaral
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
70 Commercial St., #300
Concord, NH 03301-5031

Subject: Request for Section 7 Review
Farmington North 2 / P#2000017850, L#119646
199 Town Farm Road, Farmington, Hartford County, CT 06032
N 41°45'27.99" W 72°49'47.75"
EBI Project #61073006

Dear Mr. Amaral:

EBI CONSULTING (EBI) is preparing an environmental review on behalf of *Cellco Partnership d.b.a. Verizon Wireless* for the project noted above (herein, the Subject Property) as part of its permit process and regulatory review by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). The review is focused on compliance with the Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act and environmental concerns specified by the FCC in 47 CFR 1.1307.

The property is located in Farmington, CT 06032 at 199 Town Farm Road. Farmington is located in Hartford County, in central Connecticut. The current tenancy is agricultural use. Vicinity properties consist of single-family residences, cleared agricultural land, and undeveloped wooded land with an average canopy height of 40 feet above grade.

The proposed facility will be either a 110-foot monopole style tower or a 117-foot stealth tree style tower. Telecommunication support equipment will be placed in a proposed 12-foot by 30-foot equipment shelter to be located within a 60-foot by 60-foot fenced compound on a 100-foot by 100-foot leased area. A 12-foot wide access and utility easement will run from the west side of the compound then turn south and continue to Town Farm Road utilizing the existing gravel driveway.

Based on the information currently available to us, provided by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service dated March 9, 2007, the Subject Property has the potential to support one state federally listed species that has been identified for Hartford County, Connecticut. Bald Eagle nesting sites and the Sandplain *gerardia* have been identified within Hartford County. Based on the habitat required for the Sandplain *gerardia* (inhabits dry, sandy, poor-nutrient soils in sandplain and serpentine sites and most sites are within ten miles of the coast), it is unlikely that the project will impact the Sandplain *gerardia*.

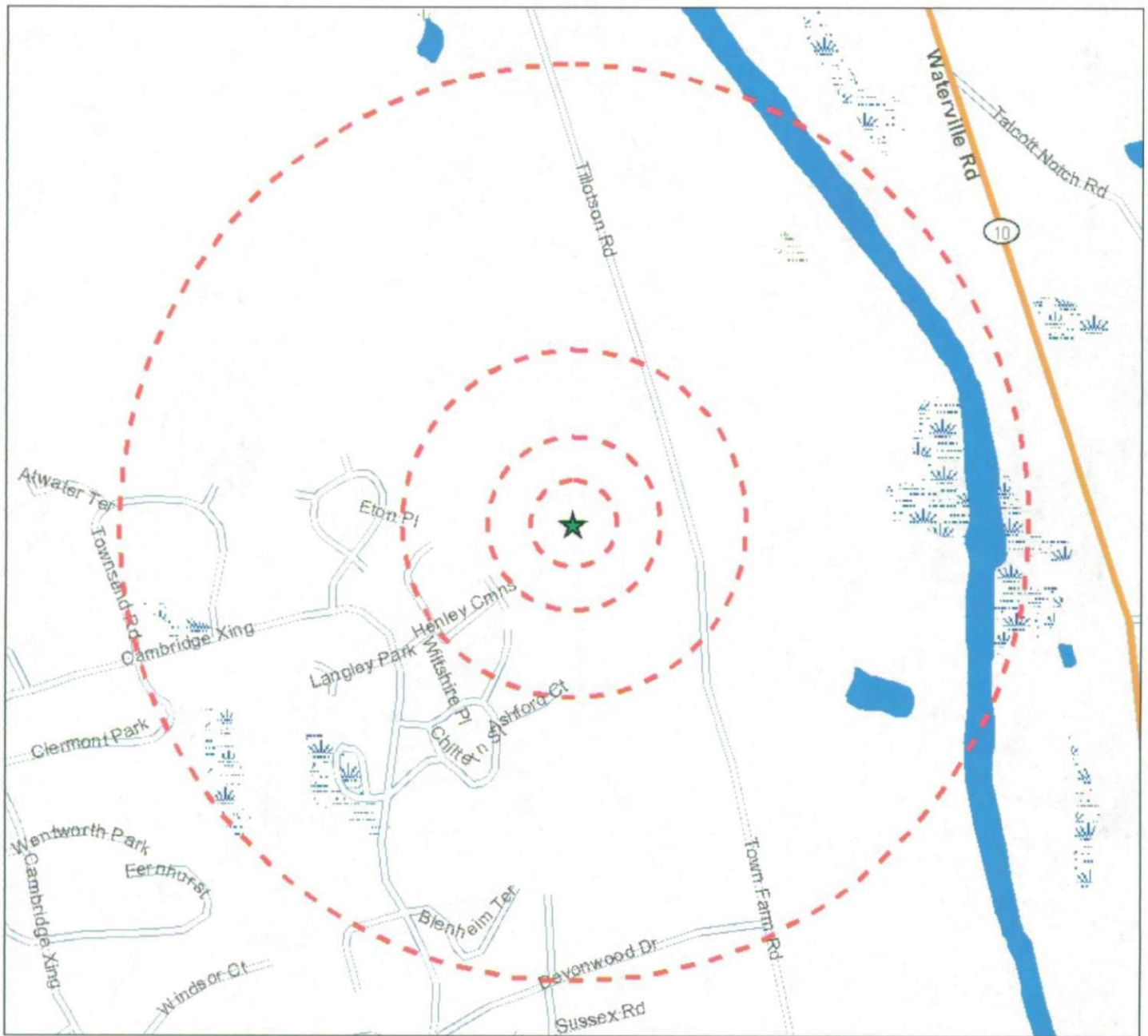
Enclosed please find copies of a street map as well as a section of the 1985 Avon, CT and New Britain, CT topographic map that have the location of the proposed telecommunications installation highlighted. Additionally, photographs of the areas proposed to be occupied by *Cellco Partnership d.b.a. Verizon Wireless* and vicinity properties are attached to this letter.

Celco Partnership d.b.a. Verizon Wireless

Jamal White



APPENDIX A
FIGURES, DRAWINGS, AND MAPS



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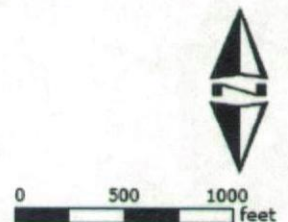
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- ▭ Site Buffer at 250', 500', 1000' and 1/2 mile

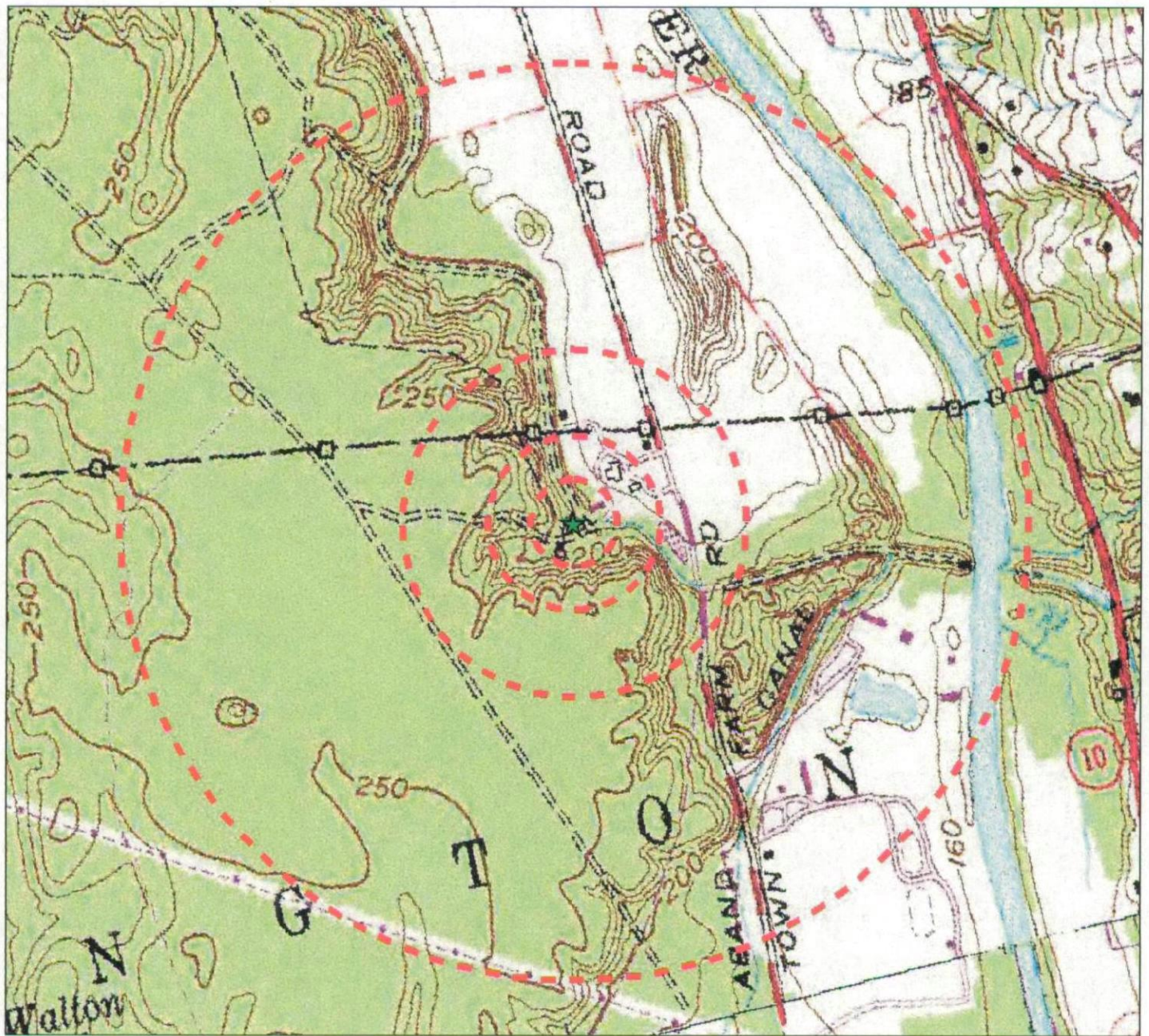
Source: Selected data from ESRI, EBI and NWI

Figure 1 - Site Location Map

P#2000017850, L#119646/Farmington North 2
 199 Town Farm Road
 Farmington, CT 06032

PN: 61073006





Legend

- ★ Project Site
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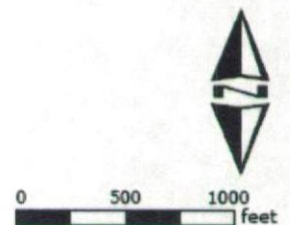
USGS 24k Quad: Avon, CT 1985 and New Britain, CT 1985

Source: Selected data from ESRI, EBI and USGS

Figure 2 - USGS Quad Location Map

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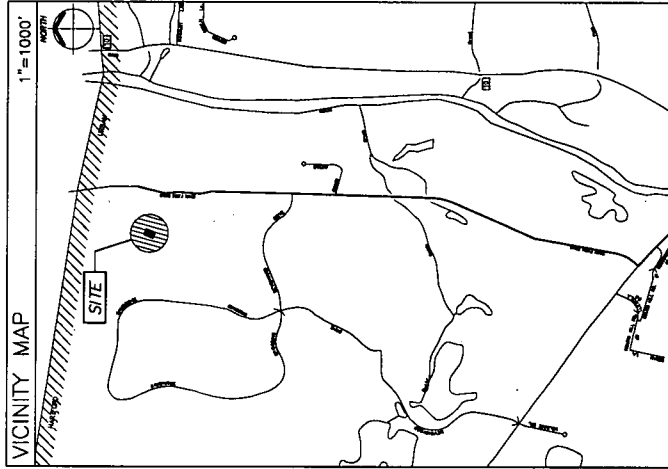


CELLCO PARTNERSHIP
DBA



FARMINGTON NORTH 2

199 TOWN FARM ROAD
FARMINGTON, CONNECTICUT 06032



SITE DIRECTIONS
FROM LAST INTERSECTION TAKE R-L-N-W / R-S-W-W VIA THE RAMP ON THE
EAST END OF TOWN FARM ROAD, ONTO R-24-R / FARMINGTON AVENUE
AND ON TO TOWN FARM ROAD, TURN RIGHT, GO TO YOUR TOWN MAP.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION
THE SCOPE OF THIS PROJECT INCLUDES THE INSTALLATION OF AN
UNMANNED 17'-0" x 20'-0" WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT
MOUNTED TO A NEW 117' SIGNAGE. THE INSTALLATION OF TOWER (1) IS WIRELESS PANEL ANTENNAS
MOUNTED TO A NEW 117' SIGNAGE.

PROJECT SUMMARY

SITE NAME:	FARMINGTON NORTH 2
SITE ADDRESS:	199 TOWN FARM ROAD FARMINGTON, CONNECTICUT 06032
CONTACT PERSON:	CELLCO PARTNERSHIP DBA VERIZON WIRELESS 199 TOWN FARM ROAD FARMINGTON, CT 06032
OVERSIGHT CODE:	CONNECTICUT STATE BUILDING AND USE SAFETY CODE
APPLICANT:	CELLCO PARTNERSHIP DBA VERIZON WIRELESS 199 TOWN FARM ROAD FARMINGTON, CT 06032
AGENCY:	US CONCORDATION ALEX 300 DUNDON AVENUE SUITE 30 ROCKY HILL, CT 06067
W/P/ ENGINEER:	US CONCORDATION ALEX SUITE 30 300 DUNDON AVENUE SUITE 30 ROCKY HILL, CT 06067

LEGEND

SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION
(Symbol: Section or Detail Number)	SECTION OR DETAIL NUMBER
(Symbol: Sheet Where Detail/Section Occurs)	SHEET WHERE DETAIL/SECTION OCCURS
(Symbol: Elevation Number)	ELEVATION NUMBER
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ABBREVIATIONS

MAN	MANHOLE
M.F.	MANHOLE IN FOLD
O.C.	ON CENTER
P.F.	FOOTING/SQUARE FOOT
TYP.	TYPICAL
T.C.	TOP OF CONCRETE
T.W.	TOP OF WALL

SHEET INDEX

SHT. NO.	DESCRIPTION
T-1	TITLE SHEET - GENERAL NOTES AND LEGENDS
SP-1	PROPOSED PARTIAL SITE PLAN
SP-2	PROPOSED FOUNDATION PLAN, DETAILS AND NOTES
SP-3	TOWER ELEVATION



AGE 1704
US CONCORDATION ALEX
300 DUNDON AVENUE SUITE 30
ROCKY HILL, CONNECTICUT
14801-530-8002

AGE 204

PROJECT NO. 34831004-00002
JOB NO. V21 229
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NORTH 2
199 TOWN FARM ROAD
FARMINGTON, CONNECTICUT
06032

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TITLE SHEET-
GENERAL NOTES
AND LEGENDS

T-1

SOIL EROSION AND CONTROL NOTES

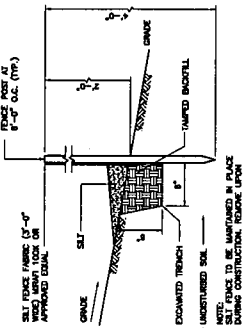
- 1) THE EROSION CONTROL PROCEDURES SHALL CONFORM TO ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL REGULATIONS AND STANDARDS FOR SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL, DATED 2007.
- 2) DURING CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLED EROSION CONTROL MEASURES ARE TO BE MAINTAINED AS NOTED, NOT GREATER THAN 50% OF THE ORIGINAL EXPOSED DURING DEVELOPMENT. THE EXPOSURE SHALL BE LEFT TO THE DISCRETION OF THE ENGINEER. EROSION CONTROL MEASURES SHALL NOT BE LEFT EXPOSED LONGER THAN THE NOTED PERIOD.
- 3) SLOTTED EROSION SHALL BE INSTALLED WHERE SHOWING PRODS TO ANY ON SITE OR ON THE ADJACENT PROPERTY OF THE ADJACENT PROPERTY. IT SHALL BE MAINTAINED AND REPAIRED AS NECESSARY TO PREVENT EXCESSIVE SURFACE WATER EXCESS SURFACE WATER.
- 4) ALL DISTURBED AREAS AND SLOPES WHICH ARE FRESH GRADED WITHIN 60 DAYS OF CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE RESEEDED WITH SEEDS AND MULCH. SEEDS SHALL BE RESEEDED LATER LATER CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE MAINTAINED AND REPAIRED AS NECESSARY TO PREVENT EXCESSIVE SURFACE WATER EXCESS SURFACE WATER.
- 5) ANY DISTURBED AREAS WHICH ARE TO BE LEFT TEMPORARILY AND WHICH SHALL BE RESEEDED LATER LATER CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE MAINTAINED AND REPAIRED AS NECESSARY TO PREVENT EXCESSIVE SURFACE WATER EXCESS SURFACE WATER.
- 6) UPON COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION, ALL SEDIMENTATION CONTROL MEASURES SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THE SITE.

SEDIMENTATION NOTES

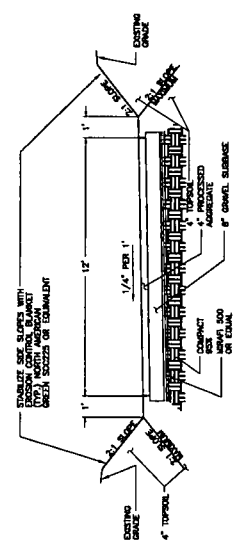
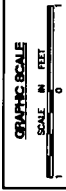
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- 3) SILT FENCES SHALL BE INSPECTED IMMEDIATELY AFTER EACH RAINFALL AND AT 72 HOURS AFTER EACH RAINFALL. ANY REPAIRS THAT ARE REQUIRED SHALL BE MADE IMMEDIATELY.
- 4) IF THE FABRIC ON A SILT FENCE SHOULD DISAPPEAR OR BECOME INEFFECTIVE, THE FABRIC SHALL BE REPLACED IMMEDIATELY.
- 5) SEDIMENT DEPOSITS SHOULD BE REMOVED AFTER EVERY STORM EVENT. THE SILT FENCE SHALL BE MAINTAINED AT A HEIGHT OF APPROXIMATELY ONE-TWO (1/2) FEET ABOVE THE GROUND SURFACE.
- 6) SEDIMENT DEPOSITS THAT ARE REMOVED OR LEFT IN PLACE AFTER THE FABRIC IS REPLACED SHALL BE RESEEDED WITH SEEDS AND MULCH.

GENERAL NOTES

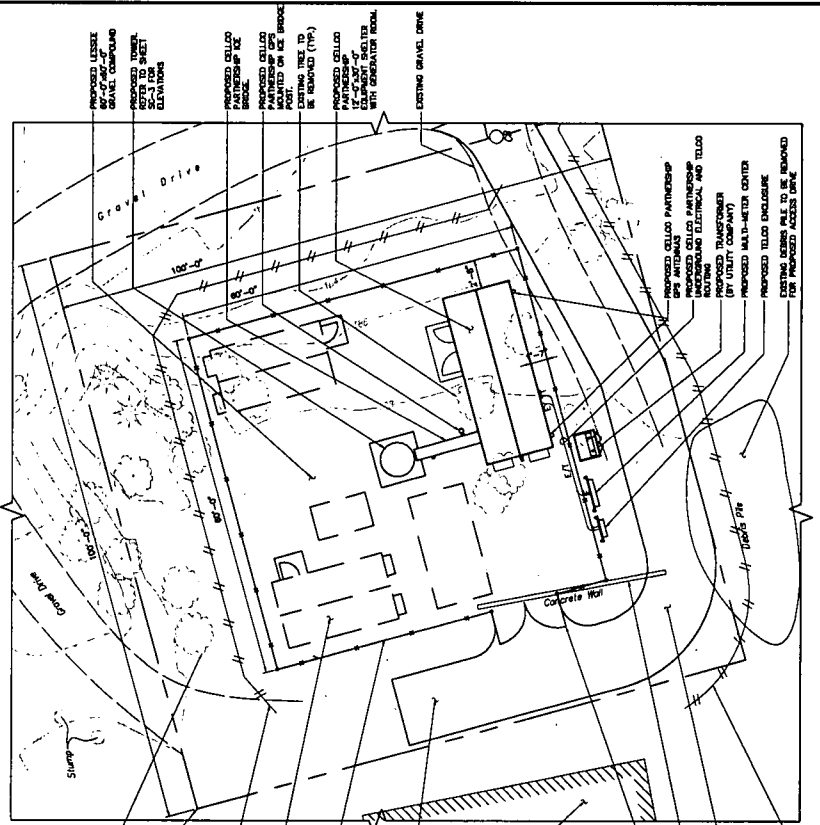
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2. THE PROJECT OWNER'S POC FACILITY IS AN UNMANNED PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL FACILITY. THE FACILITY IS NOT A PUBLIC FACILITY. THE FACILITY IS NOT SUBJECT TO REGULATIONS REGARDING PUBLIC ACCESS PER ADA.
3. THE DESIGN OF THE TOWER, FOUNDATION AND ANTENNA MOUNTING HARDWARE WILL MEET THE ANSI/TIA-222-F STANDARDS FOR TOWER STRUCTURES. THE DESIGN OF THE TOWER, FOUNDATION AND ANTENNA MOUNTING HARDWARE WILL MEET THE ANSI/TIA-222-F STANDARDS FOR TOWER STRUCTURES. THE DESIGN OF THE TOWER, FOUNDATION AND ANTENNA MOUNTING HARDWARE WILL MEET THE ANSI/TIA-222-F STANDARDS FOR TOWER STRUCTURES.
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2) SILT FENCE DETAIL
SCALE: 1/4" = 1'-0"



3) GRAVEL ACCESS DRIVE TYPICAL SECTION
SCALE: N.T.S.



GRAPHIC SCALE
SCALE: 1" = 10'-0"

1) PROPOSED COMPOUND PLAN
SCALE: 1" = 10'-0"

500 ENTERPRISE DRIVE, SUITE 38
ROCKY HILL, CONNECTICUT
08606-5498

DATE: 7/18/2011

PROJECT NO.: 30831054-00002

JOB NO.: VZ1 239

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180 TOWN FARM ROAD
FARMINGTON, CONNECTICUT 06032

SCALE: AS NOTED

PROPOSED COMPOUND PLAN, DETAILS AND NOTES

SC-2



442 774
URS CORPORATION
 500 ENTERPRISE DRIVE, SUITE 300
 ROCKY HILL, CONNECTICUT
 1-860-528-8802

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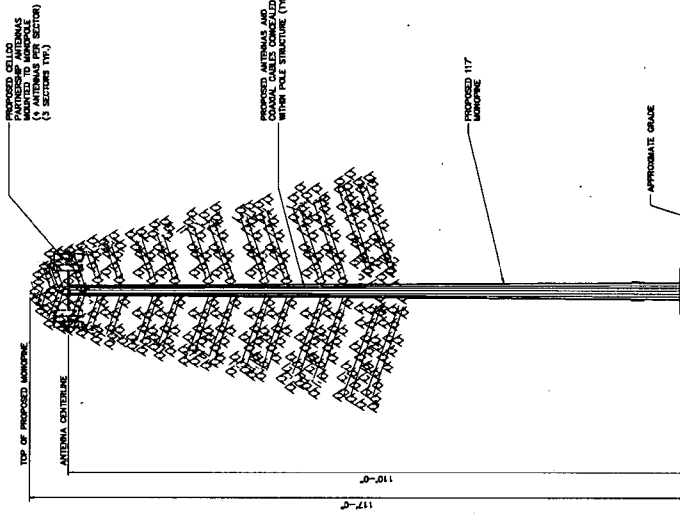
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 FARMINGTON, CONNECTICUT
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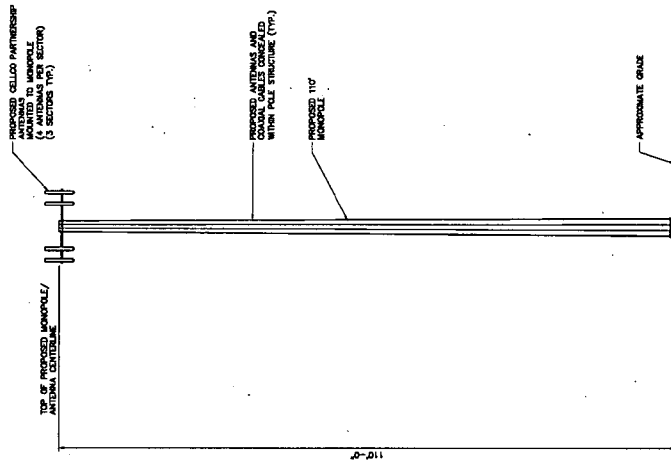
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PROPOSED
 MONOPOLE
 ELEVATION
 (TWO ALTERNATES)

SC-3



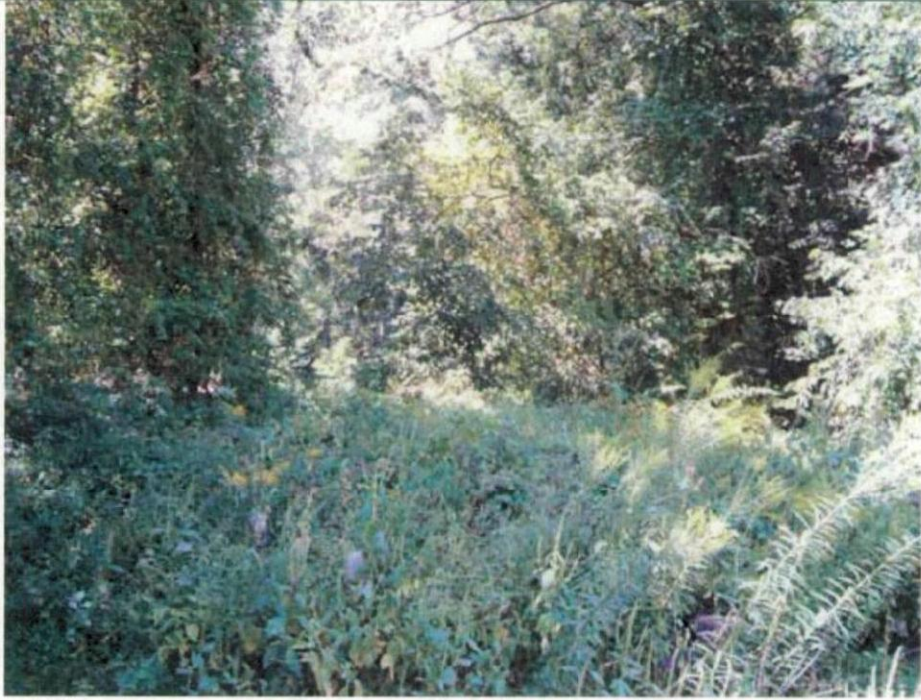
2 MONOPOLE ELEVATION
 SCALE: 1" = 10'-0"



2 MONOPOLE ELEVATION
 SCALE: 1" = 10'-0"

**APPENDIX B
PHOTOGRAPHS**









EBI Consulting
RECORD OF COMMUNICATION

JOB: 61073006

Contact Name: Mr. Anthony Tur **Date:** September 11, 2007

Contact Title: Endangered Species Specialist **Time:** 12:38pm

Organization: USFW New England Field Office **Phone:** (603) 223-2541

EBI CONTACT: JOANNA WINKLER

RESULTS:

Mr. Anthony Tur from the New England USFW Field Office left a voicemail in response to a letter he received regarding a telecommunications site located at 199 Town Farm Road in Farmington, CT. He concurred with my assessment of the Sandplain gerardia habitat at the site. He also said that the Bald Eagle is no longer a concern, as it was delisted from the federal protected list of Endangered Species list as of August 8, 2007. He did not plan on writing a letter in response to my letter, and said "as far as I know, you're good to go".

FOLLOW-UP ACTION REQUIRED:

None needed



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION



October 1, 2007

Joanna Winkler
EBI Consulting
21 B Street
Burlington, MA 01803

Re: Environmental Review for Town
Farm Road, Farmington, CT

Dear Ms. Winkler:

I have reviewed Natural Diversity Data Base maps and files regarding the area delineated on the map you provided and listed above. According to our information, there are no known extant populations of Federal or State Endangered, Threatened or Special Concern Species at the site in question.

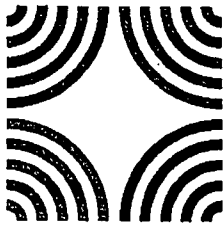
Natural Diversity Data Base information includes all information regarding critical biologic resources available to us at the time of the request. This information is a compilation of data collected over the years by the Environmental and Geographic Information Center's Geological and Natural History Survey and cooperating units of DEP, private conservation groups and the scientific community. This information is not necessarily the result of comprehensive or site-specific field investigations. Consultations with the Data Base should not be substituted for on-site surveys required for environmental assessments. Current research projects and new contributors continue to identify additional populations of species and locations of habitats of concern, as well as, enhance existing data. Such new information is incorporated into the Data Base as it becomes available.

Please contact me if you have further questions regarding this information (424-3585). Thank you for consulting the Natural Diversity Data Base. Also be advised that this is a preliminary review and not a final determination. A more detailed review may be conducted as part of any subsequent environmental permit applications submitted to DEP for the proposed site.

Sincerely,

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Dear Ms. Taylor:

The State Historic Preservation Office has reviewed the reconnaissance survey prepared by Heritage Consultants LLC concerning the above-named project. In the opinion of the State Historic Preservation Office, the archival and archaeological methodologies employed by Heritage Consultants LLC are consistent with our *Environmental Review Primer for Connecticut's Archaeological Resources*.

The State Historic Preservation Office concurs with Heritage Consultants LLC that no further archaeological investigations appear warranted with respect to the proposed undertaking. This office believes that the proposed undertaking will have no effect upon Connecticut's historic, architectural, and archaeological heritage.

This office recommends that Heritage Consultants LLC consult with the Office of State Archaeology at the University of Connecticut (Storrs) concerning the professional transferal of all field notes, photographs, and artifactual materials generated by the archaeological investigations.

The State Historic Preservation Office appreciates the cooperation of all interested parties concerning the professional management of Connecticut's archaeological resources.



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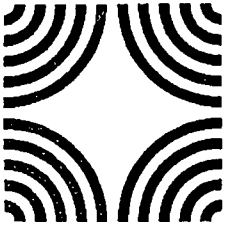
This comment updates and supersedes all previous correspondence regarding the proposed project.

For further information please contact Dr. David A. Poirier, Staff Archaeologist.

Sincerely,

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Dear Ms. Taylor:

The State Historic Preservation Office has reviewed the above-named project. This office notes that the project area possesses moderate to high sensitivity for historic archaeological resources. Therefore, we recommend that a professional reconnaissance survey be undertaken to identify and evaluate archaeological resources which may exist within proposed project limits, including, equipment storage and associated work areas. All archaeological studies must be undertaken in accordance with our *Environmental Review Primer for Connecticut's Archaeological Resources*.

No ground disturbance or construction-related activities should be initiated until this office has had an opportunity to review and comment upon the recommended archaeological survey report.

We anticipate working with all interested parties in the expeditious furtherance of the proposed undertaking as well as in the professional management of Connecticut's archaeological heritage.

For further information please contact Dr. David A. Poirier, Staff Archaeologist.

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