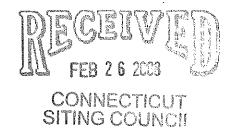
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February 25, 2008

S. Derek Phelps **Executive Director** Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051



Re: Application Of MCF Communications bg, Inc. And Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless For A Certificate Of Environmental Compatibility And Public Need For The Construction, Maintenance And Operation Of A Wireless Telecommunications Facility In The Town of Thompson, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Phelps:

As described in the above-referenced application, notice of Cellco's intent to file this application was published in Norwich Bulletin on February 18 and February 19, 2008. Attached is the original and twenty (20) copies of a Publisher's Certificate from the Norwich Bulletin verifying this fact.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Kenneth C. Baldwin

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Section 16-50/(b) of the Connecticut General Statutes and Regulations pertaining thereto, of an Application to be submitted to the Connecticut Siting Council ("Council") on or about February 22, 2008, by MCF Communications bg, Inc. ("MCF") and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("Cellco") (collectively the "Applicant"). The Application proposes the installation of a wireless telecommunications facility at one of two alternative locations in the North Grosvenordale section of the Town of Thompson, Connecticut. The Site A facility would be located on a 1.98 acre parcel at 347 Riverside Drive. At this site, Cellco proposes to construct a 140-foot tower within a 100' x 100' site compound. Access to Site A would extend from Riverside Drive to the cell site. The Site B facility would be located on a 3.43 acre parcel at 407 Riverside Drive. At this site, Cellco proposes to construct a 140-foot tower within a 100' x 100' site compound. Access to Site B would extend from Riverside Drive to the cell site. Cellco will also install a new 12' x 30' shelter located near the base of the approved tower to house its radio equipment and a back-up generator. The location and other features of the proposed facility are subject to change under provisions of Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50g et. seg.

On the day of the Siting Council public hearing on this proposal, Cellco will fly a balloon at the height of the proposed towers described above. Interested parties and residents of the Town of Thompson are invited to review the Application on or after February 22, 2008, during normal business hours

at any of the following offices:

Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051 Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless 99 East River Dr. East Hartford CT 06108

Town Clerk Town of Thompson 815 Riverside Drive North Grosvenordale, CT 06255

or the offices of the undersigned. All inquiries should be addressed to the Connecticut Siting Council or to the undersigned.

MCF COMMUNICATIONS bg, INC. AND CELLCO PARTNERSHIP d/b/a VERIZON WIRELESS

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