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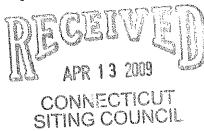
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S. Derek Phelps Executive Director Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051



Re:

Docket No. 372 – Application Of 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 At 631 Orange Avenue, Milford, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Phelps:

After listening to the Council's discussion on Tuesday, it was evident that I needed to clarify exactly what I was asking the Council to do in my letter of March 17, 2009. In that letter I asked the Council to "suspend" its schedule with respect to this Docket No. 372 in light of the Council's request for additional information and an evaluation of alternative sites.

As you will recall, at the end of the March 5, 2009 Public Hearing, Council members asked Cellco Partnership to explore and investigate possible alternative locations for a tower site on the YMCA property, at 631 Orange Avenue in Milford. Prior to the hearing and during the site walk on March 5<sup>th</sup>, Council members not only visited the proposed cell site but also an alternative location in the southeasterly corner of the YMCA property. Since the hearing, Cellco has had additional conversations with its landlord and Mr. Rotman, an intervenor in this proceeding. Both have offered helpful suggestions regarding alternative cell site locations.

To that end, Cellco has conducted certain additional visibility analyses and field reconnaissance in its investigation of three additional alternative cell site locations in the southerly portion of the YMCA property. We are currently compiling this data and information and plan to file it with the Council shortly. Because this information will constitute new evidence and due to the number of concerned residence living in the area, my client believes that it is in everyone's best interest to



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reopen the Docket No. 372 hearing so that the information can be presented in an orderly fashion and so that members of the public will have an opportunity to review it and make their comments and concerns known to the Council. Once the information has been pulled together and submitted, I will work with your staff to establish a new date for the reopened hearing.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Kenneth C. Baldwin

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