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

Re: Docket No. 374 - 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 199 Town Farm Road, Farmington, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Phelps:

In response to your July 20, 2009 memorandum, Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("Cellco") offers the following revisions with respect to errors or inconsistencies in the Council's Draft Findings of Fact dated July 8, 2009 in connection with the above-referenced matter:

<u>Finding of Fact No. 1</u>: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 1, $\frac{1}{2}$).

Finding of Fact No. 8: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 1, p. 5; Hartford Courant Affidavit of Publication, dated January 21, 2009 Cellco 2).

Finding of Fact 11: Pursuant to CGS § 16-50l (b), Cellco provided notice copies of its application to all federal, state and local officials and agencies listed therein. (Cellco 1, p. 5; Attachment 3)



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¹ Proposed revisions are reflected as: <u>additions</u>; <u>deletions</u>.

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Finding of Fact 12: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco § 7; Tr. 1, p. 33 34).

<u>Finding of Fact 24</u>: On February 14, 2008, the Farmington Town Planner, Jeffrey Ollendorf, contacted Cellco regarding concerns raised by Ronald Simmons, one of the farmers who leases the host property from the Town of Farmington, about Cellco's proposed telecommunications facility. (Cellco 1, p. 19).

<u>Finding of Fact 25</u>: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 1, p. 19; Cellco 3, Tab D).

<u>Finding of Fact 27</u>: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 1, p. 19; Cellco 3, Tab E).

<u>Finding of Fact 41</u>: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Tr. 1, p. 19, pp. 76 77-78).

<u>Finding of Fact 42</u>: Cellco's Antenna Ht. at the 24 Ridgewood Road, Avon location should read 66' (not 61'). The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 1, p. 10; Attachment 9; Tr. 1, pp. 39-40).

<u>Finding of Fact 44(b)</u>: This is an approximately 900 <u>857</u>-acre parcel located on the west side of Route 10, north of the Simmons Farm parcel. It is the site of the Avon Old Farms School. Repeated phone calls <u>and e-mails</u> to the owners of this property <u>School representatives</u> were never returned.

<u>Finding of Fact 44(c)</u>: Repeated phone calls and e-mails to the owners of this property <u>School representatives</u> were never returned.

Finding of Fact 44(d): Repeated phone calls and e-mails to the owners of this property School representatives were never returned.

<u>Finding of Fact 44(o)</u>: This is an approximately 13.1-acre parcel at <u>210 219</u> Cider Brook Road in Avon. Wetlands on this property would make finding a suitable location for Cellco's facility difficult.

<u>Finding of Fact 44(x)</u>: This is an approximately 20-acre parcel at 245 345 Waterville Road in Avon. This location is too far north for Cellco to achieve its coverage objectives.



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<u>Finding of Fact 45</u>: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Tr. 1, pp. 39-40 and $61-62\underline{-63}$).

Finding of Fact 46: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Transcript, May 14, 2009, 7:00 pm [TR. 2], pp. 47-48, 59-62 60-64).

<u>Finding of Fact 47</u>: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Tr. 2, pp. 46<u>-47</u>).

Finding of Fact 48: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 4, Supplemental Information dated March 27, 2009; Cellco 6, Response 1).

<u>Finding of Fact 50</u>: Cellco's proposed site would be located on a 9.9 acre parcel (known as the Simmons Family Farm) at 199 Town Farm Road (Figures 1 and 2). The parcel is owned by the Town of Farmington and is <u>leased currently used</u> for <u>residential and agricultural use purposes</u>. The Simmons Family Farm is located approximately 3,000 feet west of Route 10. (Cellco 1, p. 2; p. ii).

Finding of Fact 51: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Tr. 2, pp. 111 113-115, 117 118-120; Cellco Exhibit 10).

<u>Finding of Fact 52</u>: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 1, pp. 2, 17; Cellco 1, Bulk file – Farmington Regulations for Zoning).

Finding of Fact 55: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Tr. 1, pp. 37-38).

Finding of Fact 57: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 1, Attachment 1, p. 6; Tr. 1, pp. 33-34).

Finding of Fact 81: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 1, Attachment 10, pp. 4-5).

Finding of Fact 82: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Tr. 1, pp. 38-39).

Finding of Fact 86: Approx. Distance and Direction to Tower for Location 4 - Old Farms Road, adjacent to Trautman Park should read 5,600, $S\underline{W}$.



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Finding of Fact 88: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Tr. 2, pp. 37–38).

Finding of Fact 91: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Tr. 2, pp. 40-41; Data submitted by Cellco on June 15, 2009).

<u>Finding of Fact 96</u>: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 5, Response 3; Tr. 1, pp. 39-40).

<u>Finding of Fact 97</u>: The record citation to support this finding should read: (Cellco 5, Response 5; Tr. 1, pp. 39-40).

Cellco appreciates the opportunity to review and offer comments on the draft Findings of Fact. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or require additional information. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Joey Lee Miranda

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Parties and Intervenors of Record

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