## STATE OF CONNECTICUT

## CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

DOCKET NO. 388

In Re:

APPLICATION OF NEW CINGULAR WIRELESS PCS, LLC (AT&T) FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL

COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED FOR January 7, 2010

COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF TWO TELECOMMUNICATIONS TOWER FACILITY LOCATED AT 1990 LITCHFIELD TURNPIKE IN THE TOWN OF WOODBRIDGE, CONNECTICUT

## AT&T RESPONSES TO SITING COUNCIL PRE-HEARING INTERROGATORIES SET II

- Q1. Does New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC (AT&T) anticipate that blasting would be required during excavation?
- A1. Exposed ledge was not visible on the property in the vicinity of the proposed facility at the time of AT&T's field investigation. The presence of ledge will be confirmed upon completion of a geotechnical investigation. If ledge is encountered, chipping is preferred to blasting.
- Q2. In response to interrogatory number 10, set 1, AT&T indicated that the cost of antennas and radio equipment at the proposed site is estimated at \$250,000. Approximately how much of that total is associated with the antennas and how much is associated with the radio equipment?
- A2. The electronic equipment cost is approximately \$170,000 and the antennas and related hardware cost approximately \$80,000.
- Q3. Approximately when does AT&T anticipate the need to expand to PCS service?
- A3. The need to expand to using PCS service is dependent on capacity demands experienced by the 850 MHz network once the proposed site is operational. Accordingly, approximately when an expansion to PCS service will be needed cannot be accurately predicted at this time.
- Q4. In response to interrogatory number 13, set 1, AT&T provided the lengths of the existing cellular coverage gaps for Route 69, Downs Road, Route 63, and Route 67. Provide the individual lengths of proposed cellular coverage for each of those roads.
- A4. AT&T to provide coverage for the individual coverage gaps as follows: 2 miles on Route 69, 0.7 miles on Downs Road, 2.2 miles on Route 63 and 0.5 miles on Route 67.
- Q5. Approximately how many gallons of fuel would AT&T's backup generator fuel tank contain?

- A5. AT&T's backup generator fuel tank would contain approximately 210 gallons of fuel.
- Q6. Would AT&T's backup generator meet all applicable noise standards at the subject property boundaries?
- A6. Yes, AT&T's backup generator will meet all applicable noise standards at the subject property boundaries.

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this day, a copy of the foregoing was sent to the Connecticut Siting Council electronically and by overnight delivery on January 7, 2010:

Dated: January 7, 2010

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