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#### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

October 11, 2017

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RE: **DOCKET NO. 476** - Eco-Site, Inc. and T-Mobile Northeast, LLC application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility located at 248 Hall Hill Road, Somers, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Baldwin:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your recent correspondence concerning Docket No. 476.

Thank you for responding to the Council's September 5, 2017 request of the carriers to indicate any interest in collocation on the above-referenced, proposed telecommunications facility in furtherance of the state tower sharing policy. Your letter will be entered in the public comment file related to this proceeding.

Very truly yours,

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

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Re:

Docket No. 476 – Eco-Site, Inc. and T-Mobile Northeast LLC – Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Construction, Maintenance and Operation of a Telecommunications Facility Located at 248 Hall Hill Road, Somers, Connecticut

Dear Ms. Bachman:

This letter is in response to your memorandum, regarding my client's interest in the Docket No. 476 telecommunications facility. The proposed Eco-Site, Inc. ("Eco-Site") wireless facility at 248 Hall Hill Road would provide the Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("Cellco") network with the ability to provide improved wireless service in Somers, Connecticut. That need, however, is not currently a priority in Cellco's build program budget. As such, Cellco will not intervene in the Docket No. 476 proceeding.

If Cellco was interested in sharing the proposed Eco-Site facility today, it would seek to install antennas at a height of approximately 120 feet above ground level. The tower height that Cellco ultimately selects, however, will depend on a number of factors including, but not limited to, the state of network operations in the Somers area and the development of other surrounding sites in the future.

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Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

Kenneth C. Baldwin

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