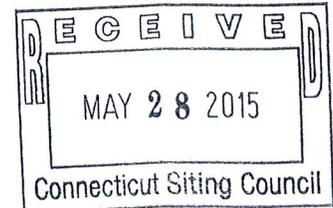


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May 26, 2015



Melanie Bachman
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10 Franklin Square
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Re: **EM-VER-043-130916 – Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless**
1455 Forbes Street, East Hartford, Connecticut

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Dear Ms. Bachman:

On October 5, 2013, the Siting Council acknowledged receipt of Cellco's notice of intent to modify its telecommunications facility at 1455 Forbes Street in East Hartford in East Hartford, Connecticut. The modifications involved the replacement of its antennas, the installation of remote radio heads and the installation of a new fiber optic antenna cable.

As a condition of the acknowledgement, Cellco was required to provide the Council with a letter stating that Cellco's modifications were consistent with those referenced in the Structural Analysis Report. Attached is a Professional Engineer's Tower Modification Certification letter verifying that the modifications were completed as required.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kenneth C. Baldwin". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Kenneth C. Baldwin

Attachment

Copy to:

Tim Parks

Rachel A. Mayo

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May 22, 2015

Mr. Tim Parks

Verizon Wireless
99 East River Drive
East Hartford, Connecticut 06108

Re: Tower Modification Certification

Project: **Verizon Forbes Street**
1455 Forbes Street, East Hartford, CT

Tower Owner: **Crown Castle USA**
220 Lathrop Road, Candor, NY

Engineer: **Paul J. Ford and Company**
250 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH

Centek Project No.: 14055.002 Rev-1

CSC Exempt Mod Reference No.: EM-VER-043-130916

Dear Mr. Parks,

We are providing this "Tower Modification Certification" with regard to the structural components at the above referenced project.

The following are the basis for substantiating compliance with the tower modification documents prepared by Paul J. Ford and Company (PJF Project Number: 37513-0342 BP R3):

- Review of the Paul J. Ford and Company Structural Analysis dated 05/13/2013.
- Review of the Paul J. Ford and Company Modification Drawings S-1 thru S-6 dated 02/26/2013.
- Review of the Tower Engineering Professionals Modification Inspection Report dated 06/04/2014.
- Field observations by Centek Engineering personnel on 04/14/2015 of the completed modifications which determined all modifications were installed in general compliance with the recommendations of the structural analysis report prepared by Paul J. Ford and Company on 05/16/2013.

The modification design prepared by Paul J. Ford and Company demonstrates the tower will not exceed 100 percent of the post construction structural rating. The work under this Contract has been reviewed and found, to the Engineer's best knowledge, information and belief, to be completed in general compliance with the documents referenced above. This certification is not a review of the adequacy or effectiveness of the modification/reinforcement solution.

Sincerely,


Carlo F. Centore, PE
Principal - Structural

