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RE: EM-VER-094-181119 - Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 123 Costello Road, Newington, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Barbadora:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on November 19, 2018.

According to Section 16-50j-71 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "...any modification, as defined in Section 16-50j-2a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, to an existing tower site, except as specified in Sections 16-50j-72 and 16-50j-88 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, may have a substantial adverse environmental effect."

Staff has reviewed this exempt modification request for completeness and has identified a deficiency in the Structural Analysis Report provided with the filing. The Structural Analysis Report provided is dated September 15, 2018. The Council approved a request for exempt modification from T-Mobile for the same facility on November 5, 2018. Additionally, the Council has a request for exempt modification from AT&T currently pending for this facility. The AT&T exempt modification request was received in September of 2018. The above-referenced request for exempt modification does not include T-Mobile's approved equipment or AT&T's proposed equipment. Please see T-Mobile's and AT&T's exempt modification filing for this facility, which may be found on the Council's website under the Decisions page in Newington under the filing number EM-T-Mobile-094-181016 and EM-AT&T-094-180924, or by following the links:

https://www.ct.gov/csc/lib/csc/ems/newington/costelloRd/t_mobile/em-t-mobile-094-181016_filing_costelloRd.pdf
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https://www.ct.gov/csc/lib/csc/ems/newington/costelloRd/att_cing/em-at&t-094-180924_correctedfiling_costelloRd.pdf

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Verizon provide an updated Structural Analysis Report for the facility that includes the proposed and approved equipment by T-Mobile, AT&T and other entities that are located at this facility on or before December 24, 2018. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to December 24, 2018.

This notice of incompleteness shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 60-day timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 217 of the FCC Wireless Infrastructure Report and Order issued on October 21, 2014 (FCC 14-153).

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 860-827-2951.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

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- c: The Honorable Roy Zartarian, Mayor, Town of Newington
Tanya Lane, Town Manager, Town of Newington
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