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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

March 28, 2022

TO: Council Members

FROM: Melanie A. Bachman, Executive Director **MAB**

RE: **DOCKET NO. 507** – Homeland Towers, LLC and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a wireless telecommunications facility located at 222 Clintonville Road, North Branford, Connecticut. **Request to Submit Supplemental Information into the Evidentiary Record.**

Pursuant to Section 16-50n(f) of the Connecticut General Statutes and Section 16-50j-26 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, at the conclusion of the evidentiary hearing session held on March 15, 2022, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) closed the evidentiary record for the above-referenced application, and established April 14, 2022 as the deadline for the submission of briefs and proposed findings of fact.

Also at the conclusion of the evidentiary hearing held on March 15, 2022, the Council announced that no new information, no new evidence, no argument and no reply briefs will be considered by the Council without permission.

On March 25, 2022, the Council received late-filed exhibits from Homeland Towers, LLC and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless regarding the Existing and Proposed Verizon Wireless 1900 MHz Coverage plot for the proposed facility, tower wind speed design standards, repair duration for fiber backhaul and storage capacity of backup batteries for the above-referenced telecommunications facility.

This matter will be placed on the Council's April 7, 2022 meeting agenda for Council consideration of whether or not to reopen the evidentiary record to allow for submission of the late-filed exhibits; and if the evidentiary record is reopened, whether or not a hearing should be held for additional cross examination on the new exhibits.

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c: Service List dated January 31, 2022