STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

IN RE:

APPLICATION OF DIAMOND TOWERS V LLC FOR A DOCKET NO. 498 CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE, AND OPERATION OF A TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITY AT 185 ACADEMY ROAD. TOWN OF CHESHIRE. CONNECTICUT

April _____16, 2021

PROTECTIVE ORDER

WHEREAS, the financial provisions in the lease agreements between Cheshire United Methodist Church (the "Landlord") and Diamond Towers V LLC ("Diamond") (the "Tenant") is proprietary, confidential and commercially valuable information ("Confidential Information");

WHEREAS, the Confidential Information qualifies as "trade secrets" as defined by Connecticut Law;

WHEREAS, Diamond would be harmed by the disclosure of the Confidential Information;

WHEREAS, Diamond is willing to provide the Confidential Information to the Siting Council subject to a protective order;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby ordered that a protective order enter with respect to the Confidential Information and that the following is adopted for the protection of the Confidential Information:

- 1. The Confidential Information shall be governed by the terms of this Order.
- 2. The Confidential Information is proprietary, confidential and constitutes trade secrets.
- 3. The Confidential Information shall be given solely to the Siting Council and its staff and the Siting Council and its staff shall take all reasonable precautions to maintain the confidentiality of the Confidential Information.

4. The Confidential Information is subject to this Order and shall in no event be

disclosed to any person or entity.

5. The Confidential Information shall be provided to the Siting Council as a password

protected electronic document.

6. Nothing herein shall be interpreted as a determination that any of the Confidential

Information will be admissible as substantive evidence in this proceeding or at any hearing or trial.

Any party seeking to change the terms of this Order shall do so by motion and serve all parties.

No information protected by this Order shall be made public until the Siting Council rules on any

such motion to change the terms of this Order.

7. The Siting Council and its staff shall not access, use or disclose the Confidential

Information in any proceeding, nor make the Confidential Information available to any party,

intervenor or interested individual or entity in any proceeding.

8. The Confidential Information shall remain confidential and proprietary after the

conclusion of all proceedings in this docket.

9. All copies of the Confidential Information shall be returned to Diamond no later

than thirty (30) days after the expiration of all appeal periods applicable to the final decision

rendered in this proceeding.

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By: Melanie Bachman

Dated: May 6, 2021