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S. Derek Phelps **Executive Director** Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Docket No. 350 - Application of Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Construction, Maintenance and Operation of a Wireless Telecommunications Facility Off Route 198 in the Town of Woodstock, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Phelps:

I write on behalf of Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("Cellco") to withdraw the Docket No. 350 application from further Council consideration. As you know, since the February 7, 2008 hearing in Woodstock, Cellco has been investigating the potential use of an alternative cell site off Sherman Road. Cellco has completed its pre-application investigation, negotiated a lease and now intends to pursue the alternative site in lieu of the site originally proposed off Route 198 and Old Turnpike Road. On June 24, 2008, Cellco formally commenced the local input process for the new alternative cell site location by submitting certain technical information to the Woodstock First Selectman. We have asked the Town of Woodstock to waive the 60 day local input period and if they agree to do so, we will file our application for the Sherman Road cell site immediately.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Kenneth C. Baldwin

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