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January 23, 2008

TO:

Council Members

FROM: S. Derek Phelps, Executive Directo

RE:

DOCKET NO. 351 - Optasite Towers LLC and Omnipoint Communications, Inc. application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance and operation of a telecommunications facility located at 93 Lake Street, Manchester, Connecticut.

The Connecticut Siting Council has scheduled a field review for this docket for Tuesday, January 29, 2008. Council members will meet at the site at 93 Lake Street in Manchester, Connecticut at 2:00 p.m.

A public hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, January 29, 2008, beginning at 3:00 p.m. at the Lincoln Center Hearing Room, 494 Main Street (Intersection of Routes 6/44 and 83), Manchester.

A map with directions is enclosed.

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Enclosure

c: Secretary of the State Parties and Intervenors



To Site

Site is located at 93 Lake Street in the eastern section of Manchester.

From West of Connecticut River

- Take I-84 eastbound and switch to I-384 eastbound
- Take I-384 to exit 5 (Route 85 Bolton/Colchester);
- Turn left at end of exit ramp onto Route 85 (Bolton Center Road);
- Turn left at next traffic light onto Routes 6/44 (New Bolton Road);
- Turn right onto Lake Street immediately after green Welcome to Manchester sign;
- Turn left into first driveway after blue house on left.

From Stonington:

- Take Route 2 westbound to Exit 10 (Route 83);
- Follow Route 83 northbound to I-384:
- Get onto I-384 to travel eastbound;
- Take I-384 to exit 5 (Route 85 Bolton/Colchester);
- Turn left at end of exit ramp onto Route 85 (Bolton Center Road);
- Turn left at next traffic light onto Routes 6/44 (New Bolton Road);
- Turn right onto Lake Street immediately after green Welcome to Manchester sign;
- Turn left into first driveway after blue house on left.

To Hearing

Hearing is in the Hearing Room of Manchester's Lincoln Center, 494 Main Street (Route 83), which is at the intersection of Routes 83 and 6 and 44.

From Site

- Turn right onto Lake Street;
- Continue right onto Middle Turnpike (Routes 6/44);
- Follow 6/44 to center of Manchester;
- Turn right at intersection with Route 83 Main Street;
- Take first left into Lincoln Center driveway.

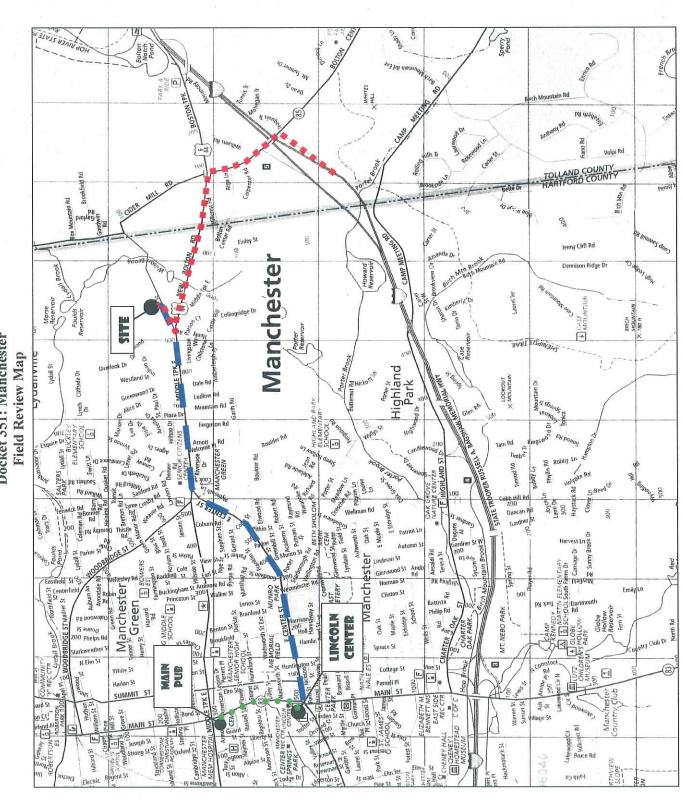
General directions

- From I-384 take exit 3 (Route 83);
- Take Route 83 (Main Street) northbound from exit ramp;
- Follow Route 83 northbound to intersection with Routes 6/44;
- Just beyond intersection, turn left into Lincoln Center driveway.

To Restaurant

Dinner will be at Main Pub at 306 Main Street, Manchester (860/647-1551). It is located a few blocks north of Lincoln Center.

From Lincoln Center, turn left onto Main Street; Restaurant will be a few blocks on the left.



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