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November 7, 2008

TO: Parties & Intervenors

FROM: Daniel F. Caruso, Chairman

RE: **DOCKET NO. 366** - 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 52 Stadley Rough Road, Danbury, Connecticut.

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The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) announces that the evidentiary hearing for this application will continue at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, December 8, 2008, at the Council's Office, Hearing Room One, 10 Franklin Square, New Britain, Connecticut.

Pre-hearing interrogatories are to be exchanged between parties and intervenors no later than November 24, 2008. The failure of a party or intervenor seeking information to use interrogatories may result in an opposing party or intervenor not having the desired information at the hearing. Moreover, the failure of parties or intervenors to avail themselves of the opportunity to file interrogatories shall not be an excuse for seeking an additional hearing session.

Before December 1, 2008, all parties and intervenors will file with the each other and the Council all pre-hearing interrogatory responses, pre-filed testimony, exhibits, witness lists and items to be administratively noticed.

Please note, the Council considers the use of pre-hearing interrogatories to be an important element to assuring that evidence of a technical nature is properly available to all participants sufficiently in advance of the hearing. All parties and intervenors are encouraged to resolve discrepancies of these items before the hearing. If any parties or intervenors has an objection to an interrogatory and such objection is not resolved prior to the resumption of the hearing, the objecting party or intervenor should bring the relevant information to the resumed hearing. The Council will rule upon the objection.

If you have any questions about Council procedures, please do not hesitate to contact our Staff Attorney, Melanie Bachman, at the Council office. Thank you.

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