

# NEW CINGULAR WIRELESS PCS, LLC TECHNICAL REPORT PROPOSED CELLULAR TOWER FACILITY

### 111 SECOND HILL ROAD BRIDGEWATER, CONNECTICUT

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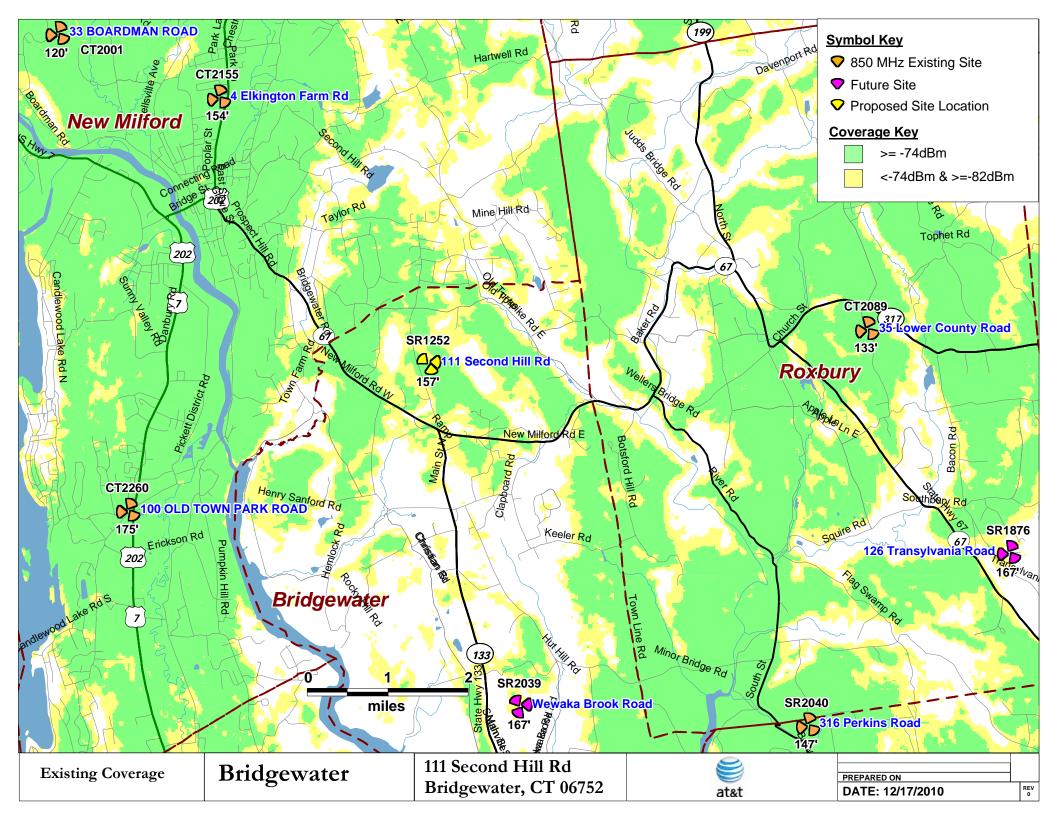
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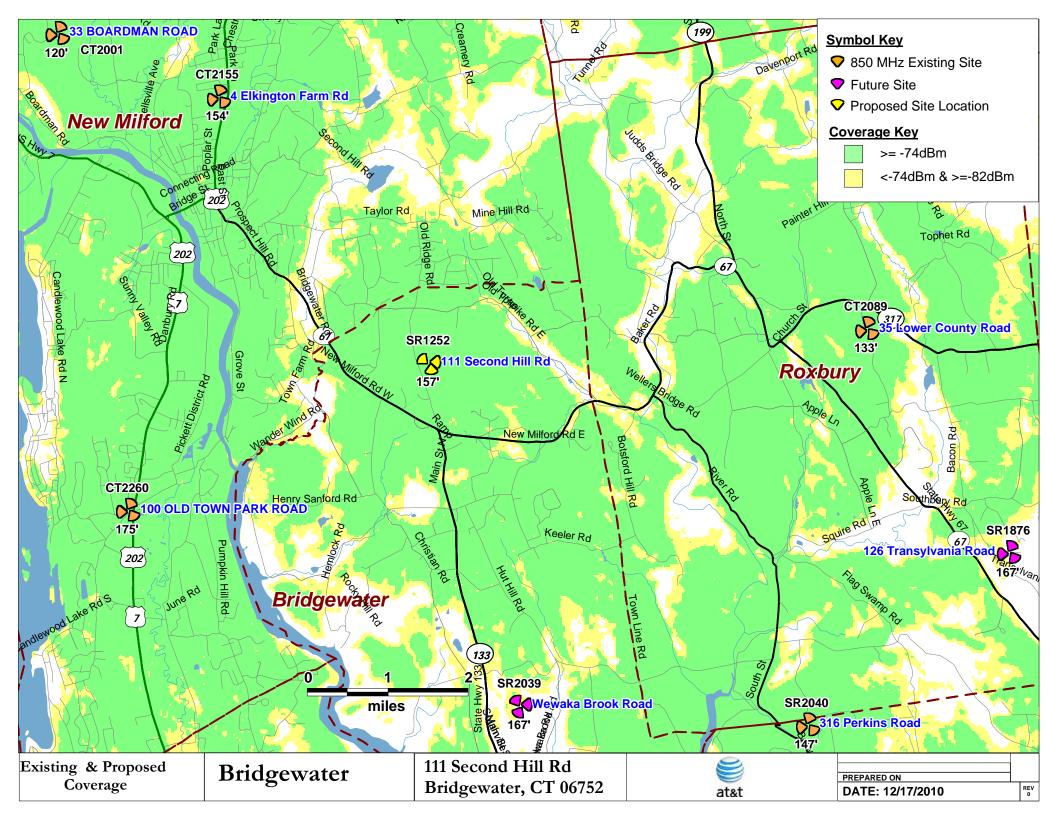
New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC ("AT&T") is pleased to submit this Technical Report to the Town of Bridgewater pursuant to Section 16-50*l* of the Connecticut General Statutes. AT&T proposes to construct a wireless telecommunications tower facility ("the Facility") on a portion of an approximately 4.5 acre parcel of land owned by Robert J. Reibe at 111 Second Hill Road (the "Parcel"). The Facility is being proposed to allow AT&T as well as other FCC licensed wireless carriers, such as Verizon, T-Mobile and Sprint/Nextel, to provide their services in this area of the State.

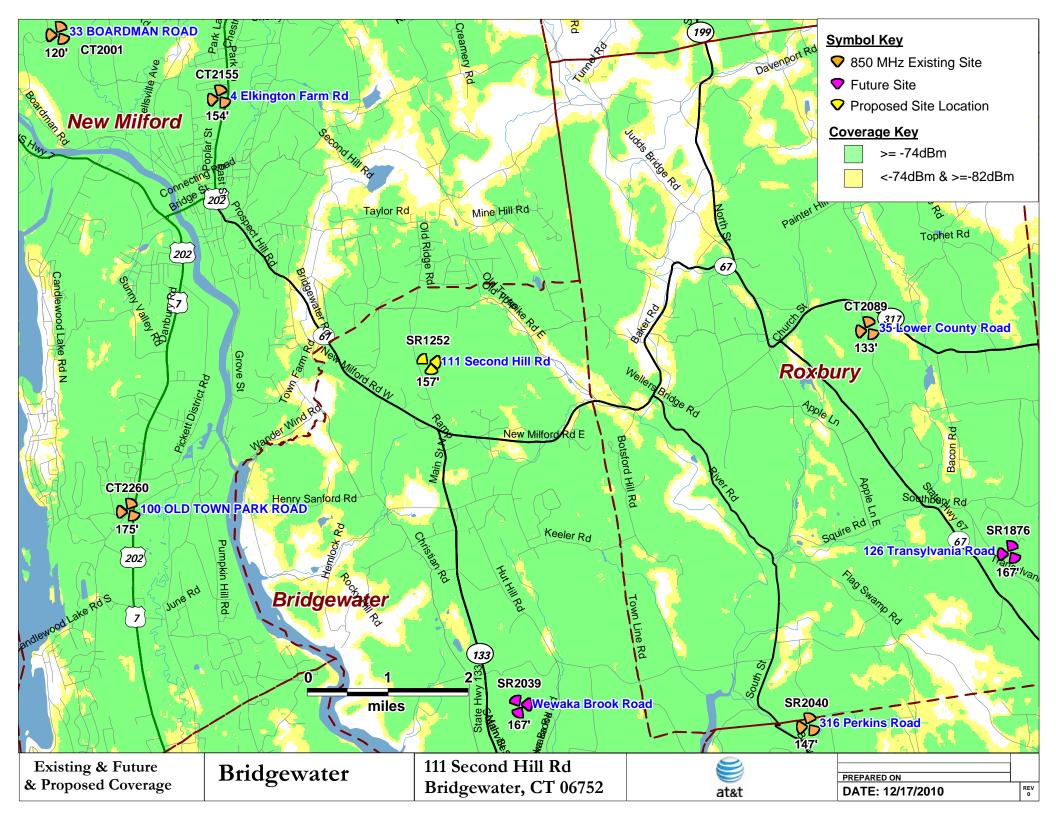
The purpose of this Technical Report is to provide the Town with information concerning the need for the proposed Facility (Section 1), the site selection process (Section 2), the Facility design (Section 3) the environmental assessment for the project (Section 4) and a Preliminary Viewshed Analysis (Section 5).

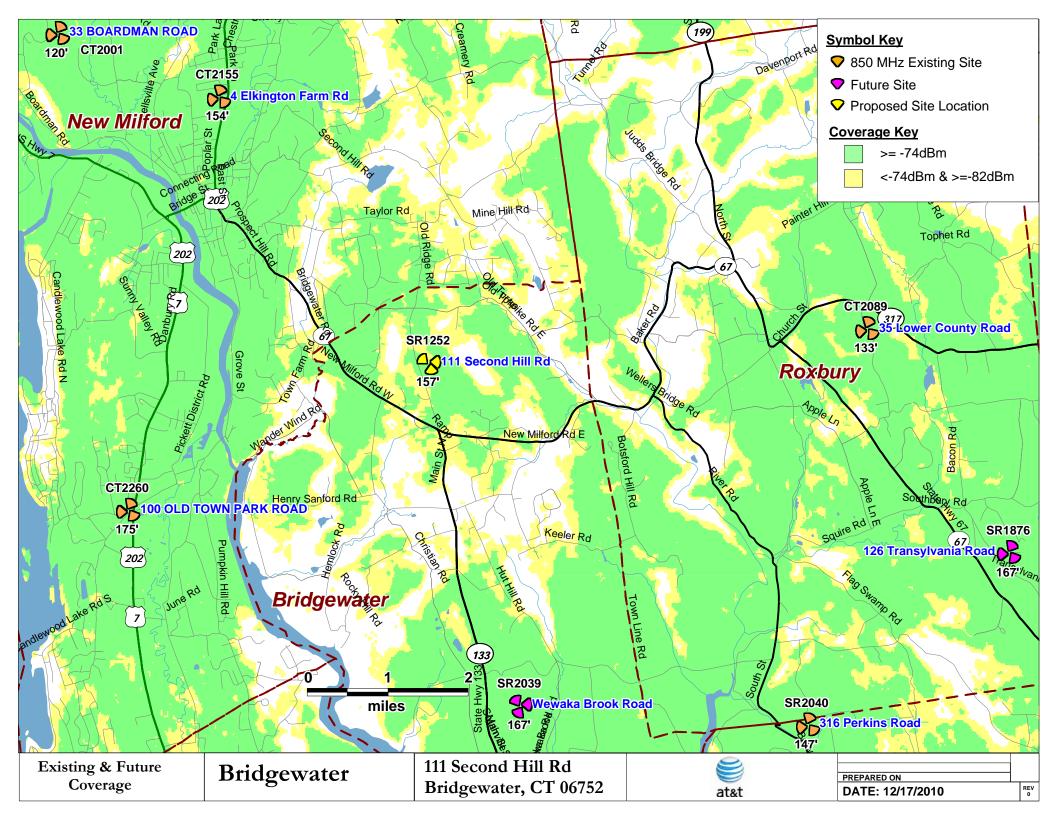
#### Statement of Public Need

The proposed facility will provide wireless communications service along Route 133, Route 67, Second Hill Road, and other roads in the surrounding areas in northern Bridgewater as well as portions of southern New Milford and western Roxbury. The facility is needed by AT&T in conjunction with other existing and proposed facilities to provide service to the public. Attached are four coverage plots which depict the "Existing Coverage" provided by AT&T's existing facilities in this area of the state and "Existing and Proposed Coverage", "Existing and Future and Proposed Coverage" and "Existing and Future Coverage" as predicted with existing coverage from adjacent sites. Additionally, a chart containing information concerning surrounding existing and proposed wireless communications sites also attached. No existing sites will serve the area of need in this part of the Town of Bridgewater. As demonstrated by these materials, a facility in this area of Bridgewater is required for AT&T to reliably serve the public.





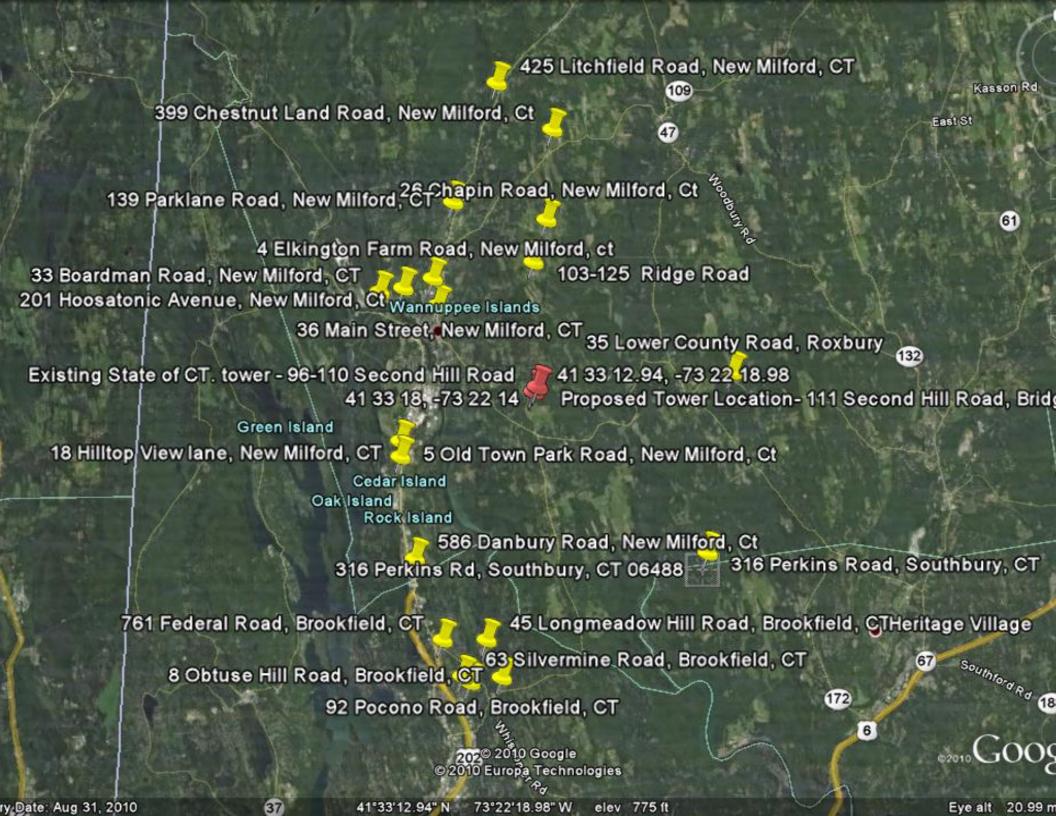




#### **Existing Tower/Cell Site Listing**

There are twenty-five (25) communications facilities located within approximately four (4) miles of the site search area for the proposed site in Bridgewater, including two (2) "lattice" towers and five (5) "power mounts" located on CL&P infrastructure. Each location is also shown on the following map. None of the existing facilities set forth below would provide adequate and reliable coverage to the target area. Indeed, many of the towers listed are currently being used or proposed for use by AT&T to provide service outside of the area targeted for service for this proposed Bridgewater Facility.

			Tower			
Tower Owner	Address	Height	Type	Lat	Long	
State of						
Connecticut						
Department of	L.		1	41 22 12 04	72 22 10 00	
Transportation	96-110 Second Hill Road	110.00	monopole	41-33-12.94	73-22-18.98	
	162 Whisconier Road	26'	rooftop	41-27-58.15	73-23-17.72	
Charter			self-supporting			
Communications	33 Carmen Hill Rd.	80.00	lattice	41-29-35	73-25-37	
Aurora of Danbury	39 Carmen Hill Road	500'	guyed lattice	41-29-36.26	73-25-43.65	
	45 Long Meadow Hill					
	Road	14'		41-28-35.84	73-23-30.88	
	63 Silvermine Road	4 @ 20'		41-28-04.04	73-24-06.68	
CL&P	761 Federal Road	91.00	power mount	41-28-43.55	73-24-29.86	
	8 Obtuse Hill Road	20'		41-28-02.5	73-23-10.18	
Town of						
Brookfield -						
Brookfield VFD	92 Pocono Road	4 @ 30'		41-27-49	73-23-50.39	
	103 Ridge Rd/125 Ridge		self-supporting			
Crown Media	Road	130.00	lattice	41-35-40.72	73-22-28.75	
CL&P (structure						
#10184)	18 Hilltop View Lane	150.00	power mount	41-32-17.32	73-25-33.1	
Nextel	201 Housatonic Avenue	61'	Rooftop	41-35-05.24	73-26-18.25	
CL&P	26 Chapin Road	247.00	ssl	41-36-18.9	73-22-1.1	
Sprint	33 Boardman Road	100.00	monopole	41-35-58	73-26-15	
Omnipoint	36 Main Street	102.3'	church steeple	41-34-46.5	73-24-40.8	
Sprint Spectrum	399 Chestnut Land Road	64.5'	monopole	41-37-55	73-22-03	
	4 Elkington Farm					
	Rd/Aspectuck Ave(Taylor					
American Tower	Terrace)	134'	monopole	41-35-28	73-24-30.9	
Optasite	425 Litchfield Road	140.00	monopole	41-38-48.2	73-23-14.1	
CL&P (pole #	5011T D 1 D 1	60.00		41 22 6 46	72 25 20 46	
10185)	5 Old Town Park Road	60.00	power mount	41-32-6.46	73-25-29.46	
VoiceStream	586 Danbury Road	204.00	flagpole	41-30-6.07	73-25-11.94	
CL&P/NU	Chapin Hill Rd.	168.9'	guyed lattice	41-36-18.79	73-22-1.05	
CL&P (structure #10183)	Hilltop View Lane	130.00	nower mount	41-32-23.96	73-25-34.28	
#10103)	rimop view Lane	130.00	power mount	41-32-23.90	13-23-34.28	
CL&P (structure	Rt. 202, Russeling Rd/139		guyed lattice			
#2069	Parklane Road	55'	power mount	41-36-38.09	73-24-15.86	
	257	100.00	self-supporting	44 22 24 55	== 1= ==	
Nextel	35 Lower County Rd.	180.00	lattice	41-33-34.52	73-17-32.1	
AT&T	316 Perkins Road	190.00	monopole	41-30-22.27	73-18-10.36	



#### Site Search Summary

To initiate its site selection process in an area where a coverage need has been identified, AT&T first establishes a "site search area". The site search area is a general geographical location where the installation of a wireless facility would address the identified coverage need and/or capacity problem, while still allowing for orderly integration of the site into AT&T's network based on the radiofrequency engineering criteria of hand-off, frequency reuse and interference. In any site search area, AT&T seeks to avoid the unnecessary proliferation of towers and to reduce the potential adverse environmental effects of a needed facility, while at the same time ensuring the quality of service provided by the site to users of its network.

As noted in "Section 1" of this Report, the State of Connecticut Department of Transportation ("DOT") operates a 110' tower facility at 96-110 Second Hill Road. This facility was originally identified as a candidate by AT&T as it is existing communications infrastructure. Subsequent review of the facility and the location revealed that the tower would require replacement and a compound and access drive would need to be constructed. In addition, the location of the DOT tower is in the open, close to Second Hill Road and very near existing homes. As such, and after discussion with local residents, the proposed candidate was identified instead. There are no other existing towers or structures within four (4) miles of the targeted search area which would sufficiently address the coverage deficiencies in AT&T's network. In addition to the DOT tower, AT&T investigated several locations where the construction of a wireless facility might be feasible prior to leasing the proposed site.

#### Sites Investigated

In addition to assessing the twenty-five (25) existing communication facilities noted in "Section 1", representatives for AT&T also identified and investigated thirty-one (31) potential new tower sites/areas for the construction of a wireless facility. A description of each site investigated is set forth below. Where applicable, the reason for eliminating the property from further consideration is also included.

- 1. Bee Brook Farm (Litton), 239 So Main St., Map 18 Lot 26. The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.
- 2. Town of Bridgewater Public Works Yard, 324 Hut Hill Rd. 41.51761 73.34841, Map 18 Lot 10. This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.
- 3. Nature Conservancy Sunny Valley Preserve Hut Hill Road., Map 18 Lot 9. *This property owner is not interested.*
- 4. Town of Bridgewater Senior Center -Hut Hill Rd., Map 18 Lot 8. *This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer*.
- 5. Valeri Rt. 133, Map 18 Lot 30 The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.

- 6. Cicarelli 278 Christian St., Map 18 Lot 32. The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.
- 7. Sproviero 260 Main St., Map 19 Lot 20. The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.
- 8. Town of Bridgewater Sarah Sanford Rd. (park), 4131'31.7-7321'40.7, Map 18 Lot 7. The Town of Bridgewater indicated it was not interested in locating a tower facility at this location.
- 9. Congregational Church 10 Clapboard Rd./Rt., 133 41 32' 06.8-73 21' 56.6, Map 38 Lot 32. This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.
- 10. St. Marks Church Rt. 133/ Main St., 41 32' 06.5 73 21' 59.7, Map 38 Lot 8, 9. This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.
- 11. Allingham/Dexter, 10 Henry Sanford Road, 41.53467 73.38106, Map 21 Lot 2/1. *This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.*
- 12. White 298 Main Street, Map 18 Lot 23. The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.
- 13. Goccia 203 Main Street, Map 18 Lot 29. *AT&T representative's were unable to reach the property owner to inquire about the use of their property.*
- 14. Von Egidy 255 Main Street, Map 18 Lot 25. The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.
- 15. Karabelas 267 Main Street, Map 18 Lot 24/1. The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.
- 16. Victoria Burke (Brunjes) 50 Warner Road, Map 35 Lot 14. AT&T representative's were unable to reach the property owner to inquire about the use of their property.
- 17. State Tower Second Hill Road, 41 33' 13 73 22' 18. This is the site of the existing Department of Transportation Tower noted above.
- 18. Holmes 28 Rock Cut Road, Map 25 Lot 32. *This property owner is not interested.*
- 19. Obine 20 Rock cut Road, Map 25 Lot 31 41 32' 38 73 22' 18. This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.
- 20. Bridgewater Commons #1, Owner interest Bridgewater Commons Condo, Map 28 Lot 70 41 32' 35.6 73 22' 00.6. This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.
- 21. Bridgewater Commons #2 Owner interest Bridgewater Commons Condo, Map 28 Lot 70 41 32' 36.9 73 22' 02.7. This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.

- 22. Garrity 52 Lane, Map 26 Lot 54. The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.
- 23. Holland Joint Adventure LLC, 137 New Milford Road, Map 26 Lot 73. This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.
- 24. Stuart Farms LLC, 199 Curtis Road, Map 25 Lot 39. *The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.*
- 25. Carr Main Street, Map 40 Lot 8. This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.
- 26. SBA Site, New Milford Road East, 41 32' 41 -73 21' 18 @ 170'. This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.
- 27. Hargrove, 79 Second Hill Road, Map 29 Lot 1. The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.
- 28. Nature Conservancy, Second Hill Road, Map 26 Lot 13. The property owner did not respond to the AT&T representative's inquires regarding the use of their property.
- 29. Homeland Towers, Route 67 & Route 133, 41 32' 55 73 22' 11, Map 28 Lot 9. *This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer*.
- 30. Bridgewater Fire Co., 100 Main St., Map 35 Lot 31/1. This site was rejected by AT&T's Radio Frequency (RF) engineer.
- 31. Riebe Current Candidate, 111 Second Hill Rd., Map 28 Lot 50, 41 33' 18 73 22' 14 RF Approved at 160'. *This property is the candidate site*.







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#### General Facility Description

111 Second Hill Road Owner: Robert J. Reibe 4.5 Acre Parcel

The main compound of the proposed telecommunications facility is located at the northerly edge of a clearing on an undeveloped portion of a 4.5 acre parcel owned by Robert J. Reibe, located at 111 Second Hill Road in Bridgewater. The proposed facility consists of a 100' by 100' leased area situated at the northeastern portion of the parcel and a new self-supporting monopole tower, 160' in height, with associated unmanned equipment at grade.

AT&T will install up to twelve (12) panel antennas at the 157' centerline height of the tower together with an associated 12' x 20' radio equipment shelter at the tower base on a concrete pad within the compound. The tower compound would consist of a 45' by 90' area to accommodate AT&T's equipment and provide for future shared use of the facility by other carriers. The tower compound would be enclosed by an 8' foot high chain link fence. Vehicle access to the facility would be provided by a new 350' long by 12' wide gravel drive extension. Utility connections will be run underground from existing CL&P pole #4777 to provide necessary power and telecommunication service to the proposed facility.

#### Site Evaluation Report

#### I. LOCATION

- A. COORDINATES: 41° 31' 57.6" N 73° 22' 02.8" W
- B. GROUND ELEVATION: 908 AMSL Elevation (in feet)
- C. USGS MAP: Roxbury Quad
- D. SITE ADDRESS: 111 Second Hill Road, Bridgewater, Connecticut 06752
- E. ZONING WITHIN 1/4 MILE OF SITE: Residential

#### II. DESCRIPTION

- A. SITE SIZE: 45' by 90'
- B. LESSOR'S PARCEL: +/-4.5 Acres
- C. TOWER TYPE/HEIGHT: Monopole/160' AGL
- D. SITE TOPOGRAPHY AND SURFACE: The proposed tower and associated compound are located on a relatively flat area of a parcel improved with an existing residence and one-car garage.
- E. SURROUNDING TERRAIN, VEGETATION, WETLANDS, OR WATER: The surrounding terrain ranges in elevation from approximately 300' AMSL to 941' AMSL. A review of the site together with available site information provided by Federal, State and local databases indicates the presence of wetlands on a small section of the property through which the existing and improved access drive are located. An unnamed tributary of Hop Brook lies approximately 1,600 feet to the east of the host property.
- F. LAND USE WITHIN 1/4 MILE OF SITE: General land use activities surrounding the subject property include residential uses, wooded and undeveloped land, agricultural fields, and various roads and highways, including State Routes 67 and 133. There are six (6) residences located within 1,000 feet of the proposed site. The closest residences are approximately 475' to the west of the proposed tower.

#### III. FACILITIES

- A. POWER COMPANY: Connecticut Light and Power
- B. POWER PROXIMITY TO SITE: Electric power will be available for use from a proposed underground power line connecting to an existing CL&P pole.
- C. TELEPHONE COMPANY: AT&T

- D. PHONE SERVICE PROXIMITY: Telephone facilities/service will be available from a proposed underground line connecting to an existing utility pole.
- E. VEHICLE ACCESS TO SITE: Access to the facility would be provided by an existing asphalt access driveway in addition to a new 350'gravel drive extension 12' in width.
- F. OBSTRUCTIONS: None
- G. CLEARING AND FILL REQUIRED: The facility will require the removal of 69 trees and clearing of brush. Detailed plans would be included in a Development and Management Plan ("D&M" plan) after any approval of the facility which may be issued by the Connecticut Siting Council.
- IV. LEGAL: Host Parcel
  - A. PURCHASE [ ] LEASE [ X ]
  - B. OWNER: Robert J. Reibe
  - C. ADDRESS: 111 Second Hill Road, Bridgewater, Connecticut 06752

#### Facilities and Equipment Specification

#### I. TOWER SPECIFICATIONS:

A. MANUFACTURER: To be determined

B. TYPE: Self-Supporting monopole

C. HEIGHT: 160' AGL

DIMENSIONS: Approximately 4½' in diameter at the base, tapering to

approximately 2' at the top.

D. LIGHTING: None as set forth in attached FCC determination

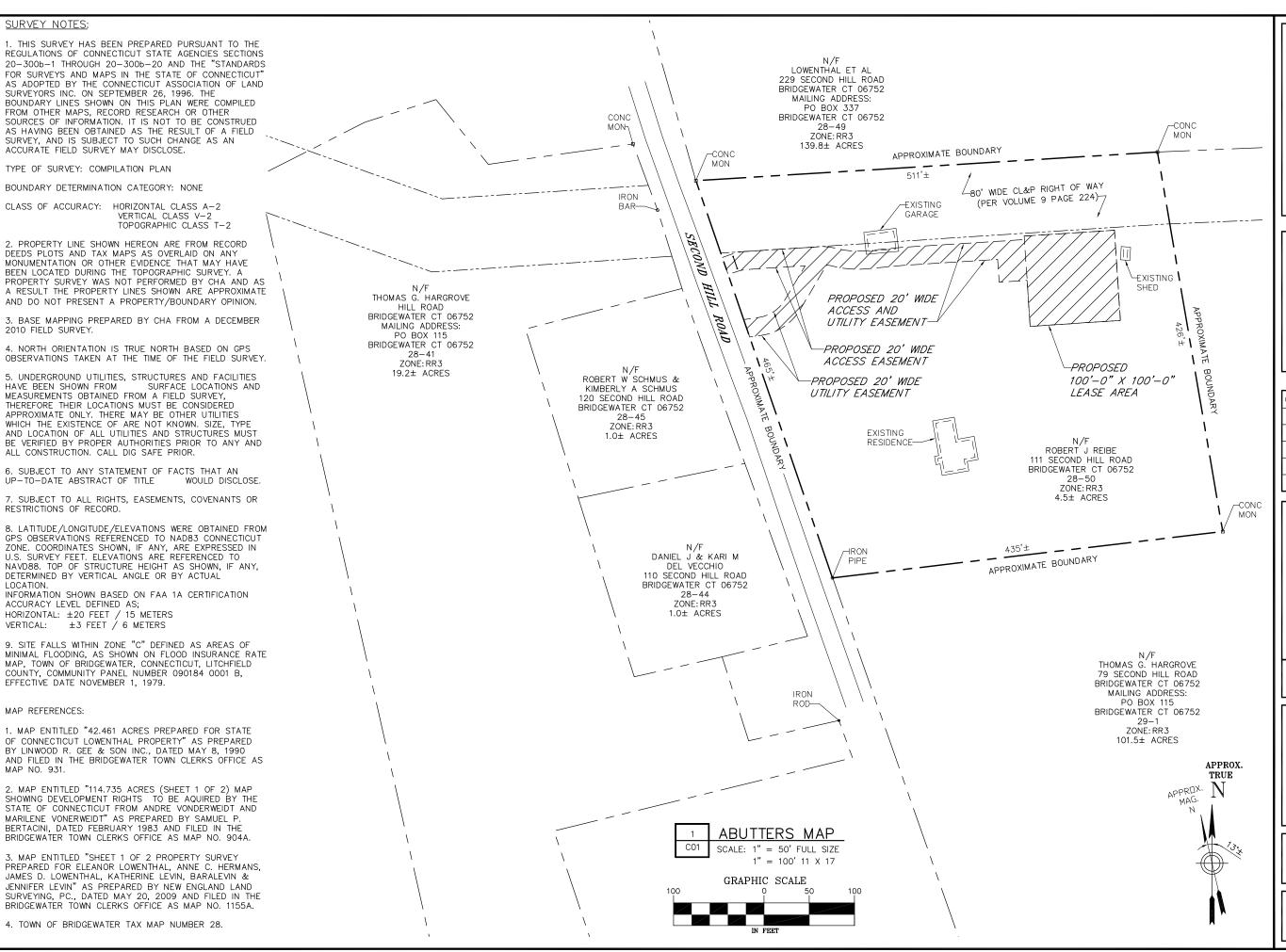
#### II. TOWER LOADING:

A. AT&T – up to 12 panel Antennas, along with up to 12 TMA/Diplexers

- a. Model Powerwave P90-14-XLH-RR or equivalent panel antenna
- b. Antenna Dimensions approximately 48"H x 12"W x 6"D
- c. Position on Tower 157' centerline AGL
- d. Transmission Lines MFG/Model: Commscope Aluminum; Size 1-5/8"
- B. Future Carriers To be determined

#### III. ENGINEERING ANALYSIS AND CERTIFICATION:

The tower will be designed in accordance with American National Standards Institute TIA/EIA-222-G "Structural Standards for Steel Antenna Towers and Antenna Support Structures" and the 2003 International Building Code with 2005 Connecticut Amendment. The foundation design would be based on soil conditions at the site. The details of the tower and foundation design will be provided as part of the final D&M plan.





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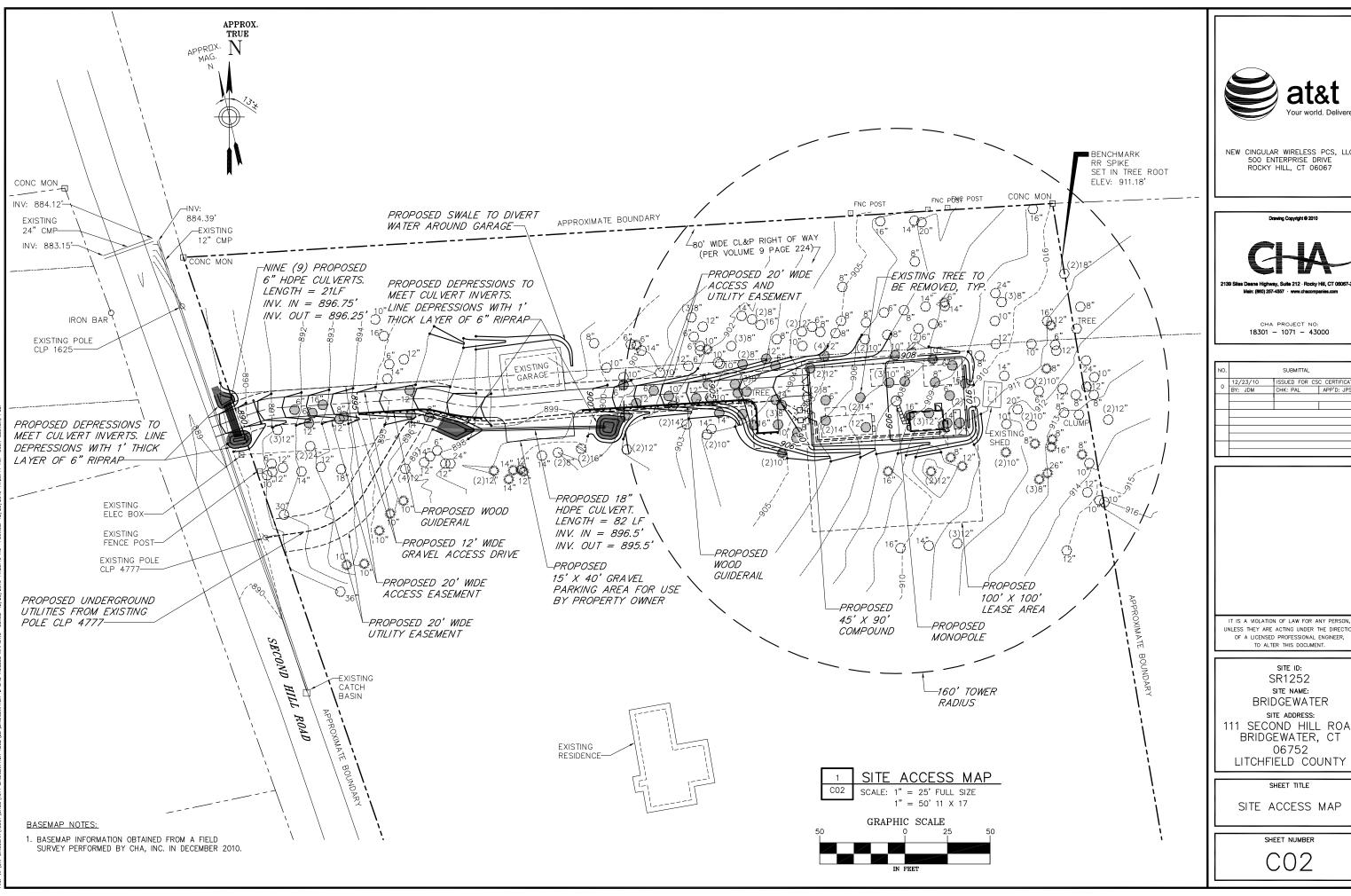
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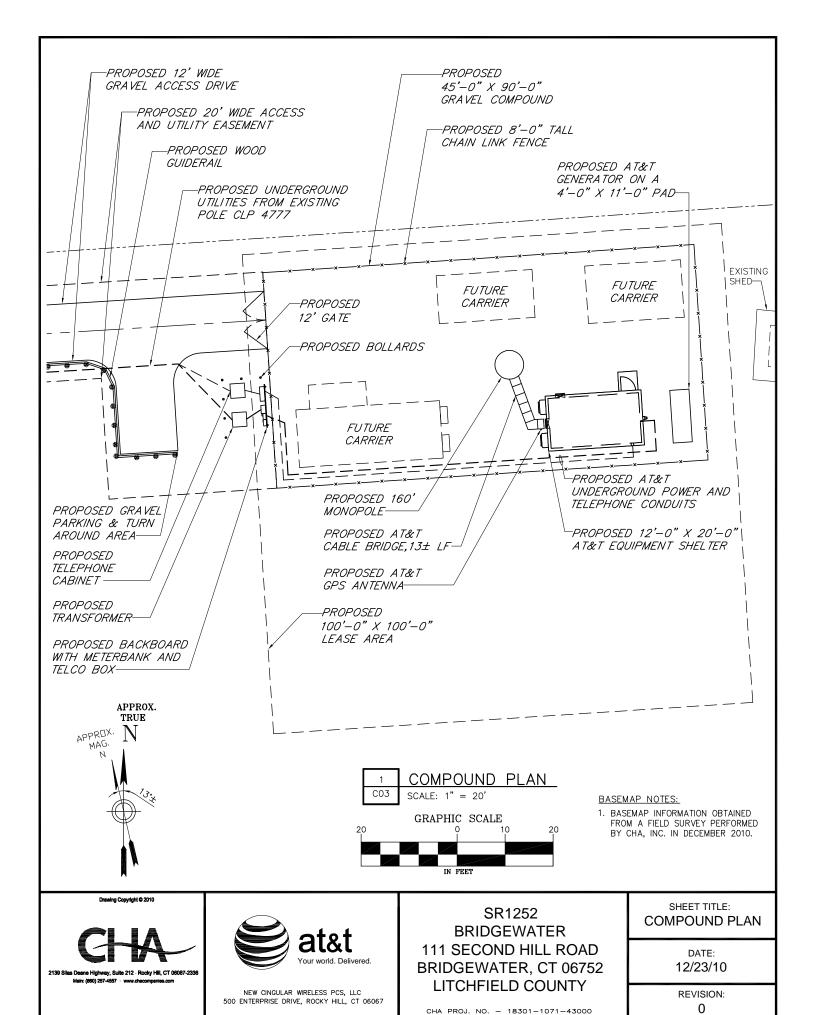
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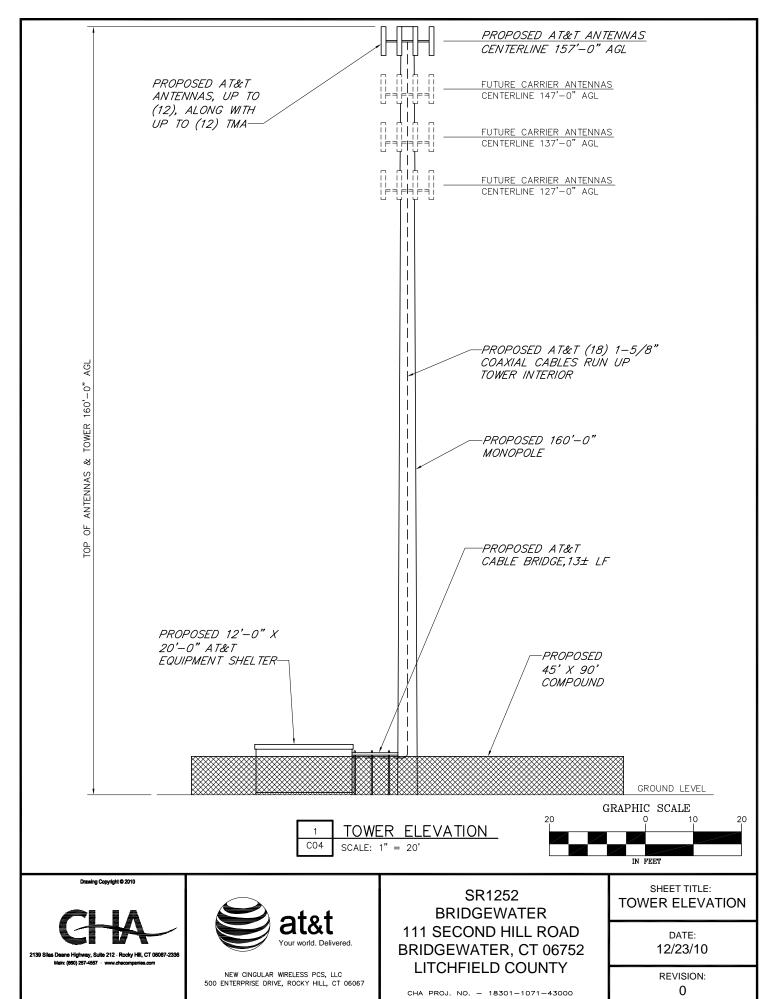


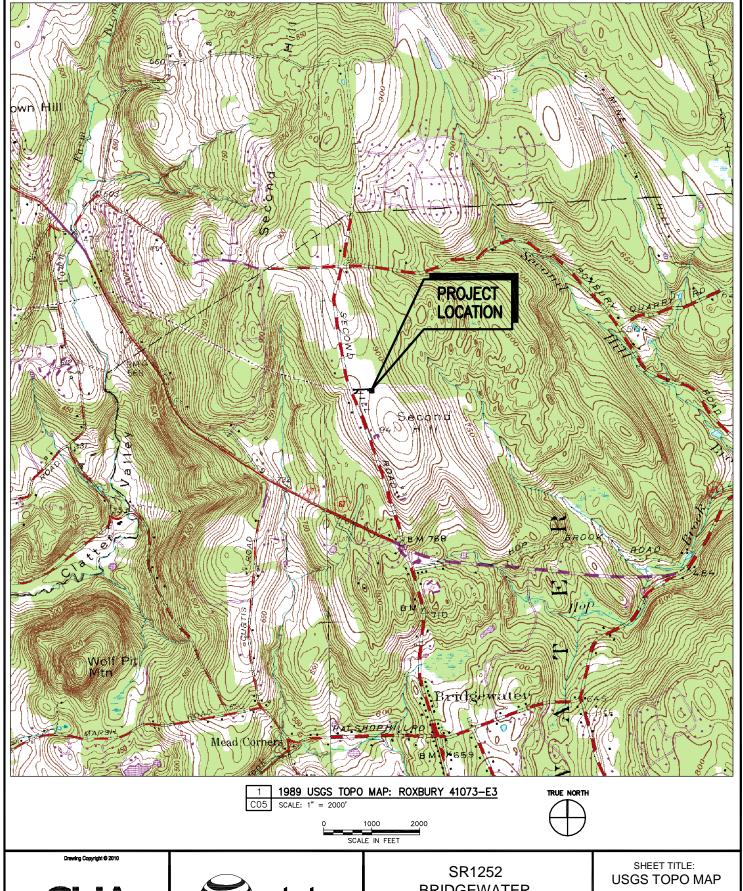
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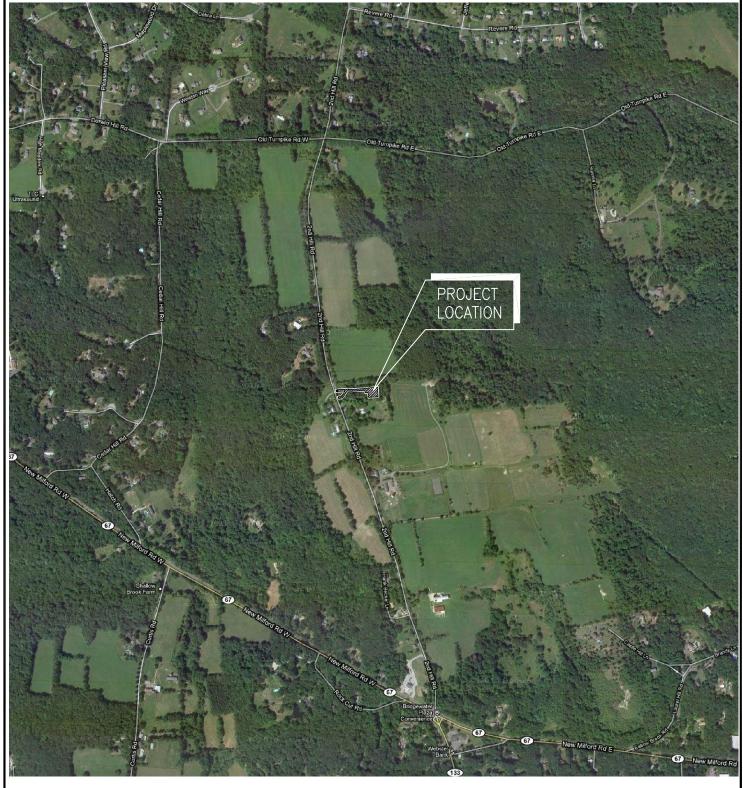


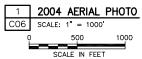
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Site Number: SR1252 Site Name: Bridgewater

Site Address: 111 Second Hill Road, Bridgewater, CT 06572

#### **Access distances:**

Distance of access over existing asphalt driveway: 0' Distance of access over new gravel driveway: 350' Total distance of site access: 350'

#### **Distance to Nearest Wetlands:**

Not applicable. No wetlands discovered during site environmental investigation.

#### **Distance to Property Lines:**

110' to the northern property boundary 320' to the southern property boundary 370' to the western property boundary 110' to the eastern property boundary

#### **Residence Information:**

There are six residences within 1,000' feet of the tower. The closest residence is 475' to the west and is owned by Robert W. and Kimberly A. Schmus and is located at 120 Second Hill Road, Bridgewater, CT.

#### **Tree Removal Count:**

See attached tree letter.

#### Distance to Nearest Town (Must notify town if less than 2,500'):

The nearest town to the proposed tower is New Milford, CT. The town boundary is 3,900 to the North.



December 23, 2010

New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC 500 Enterprise Drive Rocky Hill, CT 06067

RE: **Tree Inventory** 

> Site: SR1252 – Bridgewater 111 Second Hill Road Bridgewater, CT 06752 CHA # 18301-1071-43000

A site survey was completed at the subject site in December 2010. A requirement of the survey involved determining the location of all trees within the topographic survey area with a diameter at breast height of 6" or larger. As can be seen on the site access map, there are sixty-nine (69) trees with a diameter of 6" or larger within the area of the proposed access road and compound which need to be removed for construction of the facility. The quantity and size of trees being removed is summarized in the below table:

Tree Diameter	Number of Trees to be Removed
6"	11
8"	14
10"	11
12"	19
14"	8
16"	4
TREE	2
TOTAL	69

If you have any questions, comments or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Very truly yours,

CLOUGH HARBOUR & ASSOCIATES LLP

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Paul Lusitani **Project Engineer** 

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#### **FAA 1-A SURVEY CERTIFICATION**

Site Name: Site Number: Site Address:	Bridgewater SR1252 111 Second Hill Rd Bridgewater, CT 06752	2	
Horizontal Datum:	NAD 83	X GPS survey	☐ Ground survey
Vertical Datum:	NAVD 1988 (AMSL)	X GPS survey	☐ Ground survey
Structure Type:	X Proposed Tower	☐ Existing Tower	□ Roof Top
	□ Water Tank	☐ Smoke Stack	□ Other:
Latitude:	41°-33'-17.9" N		
Longitude:	73°-22'-15.2" W		
Average Ground Elevation:	908' AMSL Elevation	(in feet)	
Proposed Tower Height:	160' (AGL)		

(NAVD 88) and is determined to the nearest foot.

I certify that the latitude of 41°-33'-17.9"N and the longitude of 73°-22'-15.2"W

are accurate to within +/- 20 feet horizontally, and that the site elevation of 908' AMSL is accurate to within +/- 3 feet vertically. The horizontal datum (coordinated) are in terms of the North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83) and are expressed in degrees, minutes and seconds, to the nearest tenth of a second. The vertical datum is in terms of the North American Vertical Datum of 1988

Company: Clough Harbour and Associates, LLP

Project number 18301-1071

Surveyor Signature/Seal:

Certification:

William S. Lucarelli

CT L.S. 16529

Date: December 13, 2010 **TOWAIR Search Results** Page 1 of 2

#### **TOWAIR Determination Results**

A routine check of the coordinates, heights, and structure type you provided indicates that this structure does not require registration.

#### \*\*\* NOTICE \*\*\*

TOWAIR's findings are not definitive or binding, and we cannot guarantee that the data in TOWAIR are fully current and accurate. In some instances, TOWAIR may yield results that differ from application of the criteria set out in 47 C.F.R. Section 17.7 and 14 C.F.R. Section 77.13. A positive finding by TOWAIR recommending notification should be given considerable weight. On the other hand, a finding by TOWAIR recommending either for or against notification is not conclusive. It is the responsibility of each ASR participant to exercise due diligence to determine if it must coordinate its structure with the FAA. TOWAIR is only one tool designed to assist ASR participants in exercising this due diligence, and further investigation may be necessary to determine if FAA coordination is appropriate.

#### **DETERMINATION Results**

#### PASS SLOPE(50:1): NO FAA REQ-RWY 10499 MTRS OR LESS & 7502.65 MTRS (7.50269) KM AWAY

Туре	C/R	Latitude	Longitude	Name	Address	Elevation (m)	Runway Length (m)
AIRP	R	41-33- 56.00N	073-27- 35.00W	CANDLELIGHT FARMS	LITCHFIELD NEW MILFORD, CT	197.8	883.8999999999998

#### PASS SLOPE(25:1): NO FAA REQ-HELIPORT 7597.74 MTRS (7.59769 KM) AWAY

Туре	C/R	Latitude	Longitude	Name	Address	Lowest Elevation (m)	Runway Length (m)
HELI	С	41-34- 4.00N	073-27- 38.00W	CANDLELIGHT	LITCHFIELD NEW MILFORD, CT	205.7	15.199999999999999

276.8

#### **Your Specifications**

#### **NAD83 Coordinates**

Latitude	41-33-17.9 north
Longitude	073-22-15.2 west
Measurements (Meters)	
Overall Structure Height (AGL)	48.8
Support Structure Height (AGL)	NaN

#### Structure Type

Site Elevation (AMSL)

TOWER - Free standing or Guyed Structure used for Communications Purposes

<u>Tower Construction Notifications</u>
Notify Tribes and Historic Preservation Officers of your plans to build a tower.

CLOSE WINDOW

#### **Environmental Assessment Statement**

#### I. PHYSICAL IMPACT

#### A. WATER FLOW AND QUALITY

No significant water flow and/or water quality changes are anticipated as a result of the construction or operation of the proposed facility. The construction and operation of the tower and related site improvements will have no direct effect on any off-site watercourses or waterbodies, and the equipment associated with the facility will discharge no pollutants to area surface or groundwater systems. Best Management Practices to control storm water and soil erosion during construction will be implemented.

#### B. AIR QUALITY

Under ordinary operating conditions, the equipment that would be used at the proposed facility would emit no air pollutants of any kind. A diesel-powered generator for emergency power is proposed which will have compliant air emissions associated with its operation.

#### C. LAND

Clearing and grading will be necessary for the access drive and the compound area. The remaining land of the host parcel and the access parcel would remain unchanged by the construction and operation of the facility.

#### D. NOISE

The equipment to be in operation at the facility would not emit noise other than that provided by the operation of the installed heating, air-conditioning and ventilation system. Some construction related noise would be anticipated during facility construction, which is expected to take approximately six to eight weeks. Temporary power outages could involve sound from the emergency generator.

#### E. POWER DENSITY

The cumulative worst-case calculation of power density from AT&T's operations at the facility would be 5.20% of the federally promulgated emissions standard. Attached is a copy of a Power Density Report dated January 6, 2011 prepared by AT&T's radio frequency consultant C Squared Systems.

#### F. VISIBILITY

The potential visual impact of the proposed monopole was determined by preparation of the attached Preliminary Viewshed Analysis. The potential visibility was assessed within an approximate two (2) mile radius using a computer-based, predictive view shed model. The majority of year-round visibility associated with the proposed Facility occurs over portions of Second Hill Road, located to the southeast of the proposed facility. Year-round visibility would be limited to these areas due to the topography and vegetative cover in the area.

#### II. SCENIC, NATURAL, HISTORIC & RECREATIONAL VALUES

The parcel on which the facility is located and immediate surrounding areas exhibit no scenic, natural, historic or recreational characteristics that has been formally documented as unique. The Connecticut State Historic Preservation Officer ("SHPO") DEP and the US Department of the Interior have been contacted to review the project.

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January 6, 2011

Connecticut Siting Council

Subject: New Cingular Wireless, Bridgewater, CT

Dear Connecticut Siting Council:

C Squared Systems has been retained by New Cingular Wireless to investigate the RF Power Density at the proposed site located at 111 Second Hill Rd, Bridgewater, CT.

Calculations were done in accordance with FCC OET Bulletin 65. These worst-case calculations assume that all transmitters are simultaneously operating at full power and pointing directly at the ground. The calculation point is 6 feet above ground level to model the RF power density at the head of a person standing at the base of the tower.

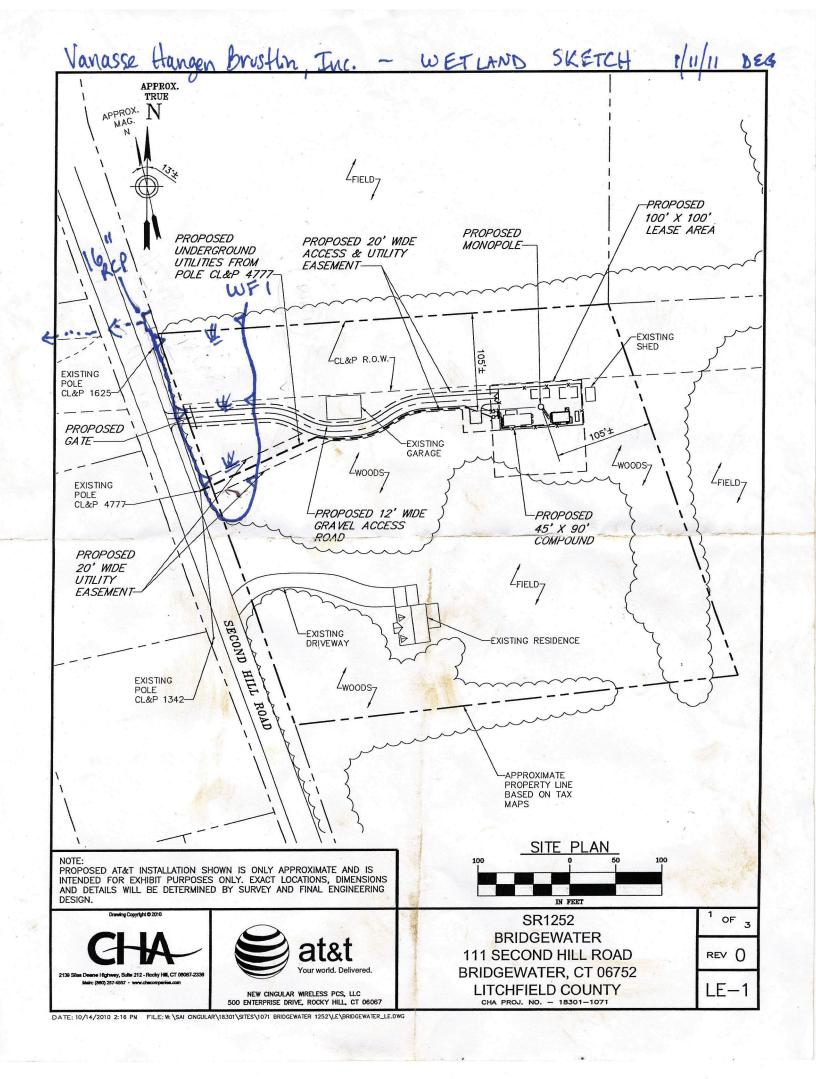
Location	Carrier	Antenna Centerline Height Above Ground Level (Ft.)	Operating Frequency (MHz)	Number of Trans.	Effective Radiated Power (ERP) Per Transmitter (Watts)	Power Density (mw/cm²)	Limit	% FCC MPE Limit General Public/ Uncontrolled
	AT&T UMTS	157	880	1	500	0.0079	0.5867	1.34%
Ground	AT&T UMTS	157	1900	1	500	0.0079	1.0000	0.79%
Level	AT&T GSM	157	880	3	296	0.0140	0.5867	2.39%
Level	AT&T GSM	157	1900	1	427	0.0067	1.0000	0.67%
							Total	5.20%

**Summary**: Under worst-case assumptions, the RF Power Density at the proposed site located at 111 Second Hill Rd, Bridgewater, CT will not exceed 5.20% of the FCC MPE limit for General Public/Uncontrolled Environments.

Sincerely,

Anthony Wells Managing Partner

anthony wells



#### Phase I Environmental Site Assessment

AT&T Site ID: SR1252 Bridgewater 111 Second Hill Road Bridgewater, Connecticut

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# **Executive Summary**

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This ESA was conducted to identify potential areas of environmental concern at the Site and within the vicinity of the host property based on a review of available environmental information and observations at the Site for overt evidence of a release or threat of a release of oil or hazardous materials (OHM). Reconnaissance of the Site was conducted on December 7, 2010, to document visual observations of accessible portions of the Site and host property.

This ESA is subject to the terms of the agreement between VHB and the Client and the Limitations included in Appendix A.

#### Host Property/Site Characteristics and Vicinity

The host property is a 4.5-acre residential parcel situated east of Second Hill Road. The host property is improved with a 2,000-square foot single family residence and two outbuildings including a garage and shed. The residence is located on the southwest portion of the host property and the shed and garage are located on the northeast and northwest corners of the property, respectively. The 100-foot by 100-foot lease area would be located on the northwest portion of the host property. The proposed 20-foot wide access and utilities easement would extend from Second Hill Road in an easterly direction to the lease and compound area. The utilities would be routed underground from the existing utility pole (SNET 4777) off of Second Hill Road.

Land use in the vicinity of the host property is a mixture of sparse residential development, woodlands and fields.

#### **Records Review**

Based on information reviewed, the host property was developed with the existing residence circa 1964. Aerial photographs reviewed indicate with the exception of the host property garage and shed, the Site area has always existed as undeveloped land or woodlands. The host property

was not identified on any of the federal and state environmental databases provided in the FirstSearch Technology Corporation (FirstSearch<sup>TM</sup>) report. According to municipal personnel, no releases of OHM or environmental issues are known for the Site/host property. Town of Bridgewater Assessor's information indicates the residence on the host property is heated via oil and is served via a septic system and private potable well.

#### Site Reconnaissance

VHB conducted a Site reconnaissance on December 7, 2010. VHB was unescorted during the Site reconnaissance. The Site area currently exists as woodlands along the northern portion of the host property. A one-car garage is located on the northwest corner of the host property and a small wooden shed is located on the northeast corner of the host property. These structures are located adjacent to the Site and appeared dilapidated with surrounding overgrown vegetation. Access to these structures was not granted at the time of the Site reconnaissance. No overt evidence of OHM dumping or other environmental concerns associated with the Site/host property were identified during the Site reconnaissance.

#### Conclusion

No significant environmental concerns were identified at the host property or Site. As a result, VHB does not believe additional investigations are warranted at the Site. If any excess soils are generated during construction and require off-site disposal, these soils should be properly characterized to ensure the material meets the planned receiving facility's criteria. This can be coordinated by the Site contractor and included as a contingency as part of the bid process.

# **Site Description**

#### **Host Property and Site Description**

The southwestern portion of the host property is developed with a single-family residence. A small wood shed is located in the proposed compound area. A detached garage is located west of the Site on the northern portion of the host property. The residence and garage are accessed via driveways from Second Hill Road. The remainder of the host property is a mixture of wooded areas surrounding a cleared field. The proposed Site is located within the northeastern portion of the host property, with the proposed access road and utilities easement to extend from Second Hill Road.

Land use in the vicinity of the host property is a mix of sparse residential development, woodlands and cleared agricultural fields.

#### **Physical Setting**

#### **Current USGS 7.5 Topographic Map Quadrangle:**

USGS 7.5-Minute Roxbury Quadrangle topographic map dated 1955 – Photo revised 1984 (see Figure 1 map).

Site elevation above mean sea level (AMSL) - 900-feet

#### **Groundwater Classification:**

GAA - Groundwater is suitable for human consumption and other domestic uses
without prior treatment.
☐ GA - Groundwater is suitable for human consumption and other domestic uses
without prior treatment.
☐ GB - Groundwater is not suitable for human consumption and other domestic uses
without prior treatment.
GC - Groundwater is believed to be suitable for human consumption and other
domestic uses without prior treatment.

#### Nearest Surface Water Body and Classification:

Surface Water Body Name - unnamed tributary of Hop Brook.

Distance and Direction – approximately 1,600 feet east of the host property.

Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection (CTDEP) Classification:

☐ Class AA, A and SA surface waters: discharges may be permitted by the Commissioner from public or private drinking water treatment systems, dredging

activity and dredge material dewatering operations, including the discharge of
dredged or fill material and clean water discharges.
Class B and SB surface waters: discharges may be permitted for all those allowed in
Class AA, A and SA surface waters, cooling water discharges, discharges from
municipal and industrial wastewater treatment systems and other discharges subject to
the provisions of Section 22a-430 of the Connecticut General Statutes.
Class C/B, D/B, SC/SB or SD/SB surface waters: shall not be a reason for
authorizing a new discharge that would prevent the attainment of Class B or Class SB
designated uses and quality criteria.
☐ The designation of a surface water as Class B/AA, B/A, C/A, SB/SA, or SC/SA
shall not be a reason for authorizing a new discharge that would prevent the
attainment of Class AA, A or SA Water Quality Criteria.
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Aquifer Protection Area:
No − The Site/host property is not located within an Aquifer Protection Area.
Yes - The Site/host property is located within an Aquifer Protection Area.
Bedrock Geology:
Type – Ratlum Mountain Schist
Description - A gray, medium-grained schist and granofels.
Terrane - Iapetos (Oceanic) Terrane / Connecticut Valley Synclinorium.
Surficial Geology:
Type – Thick Till.
Soil - Paxton and Montauk fine sandy loams, 3 to 8 percent slopes, very stony and
Woodbridge fine sandy loam, 2 to 8 percent slopes, very stony.
FEMA Map and Classification:

#### Classification - Zone C.

Map - FEMA FIRM #090184 0001B dated November 1, 1979. Classification - Zone C.

### **Description of Structures**

<u>Type</u>	<u>Dimensions</u>	Location	<b>Build Date</b>
Single-family	2 000 aguana faat	Southwestern portion	1964
residential home	2,000 square-feet	2,088 square-feet of host property	
		Northwest portion of	
Detached garage	576	host property (adjacent	Approximately
		to access/utility	1965
		easement)	
		Northeast portion of	
Shed	+/-30 square feet	the host property	Unknown
		(adjacent to lease area)	

#### **Previous Investigations**

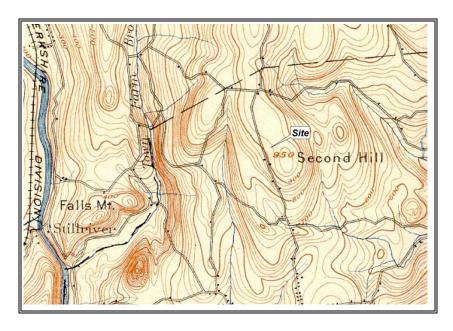
$\boxtimes$	No previous investigations or reports were identified or provided.
	Previous investigation(s) or report(s) were identified during the records review portion of
	this investigation; refer to the Records Review section of this report for details.
	Previous investigation(s) or report(s) were identified or provided for the host
	property/Site and summarized in the table below.

#### **Historical Records Review**

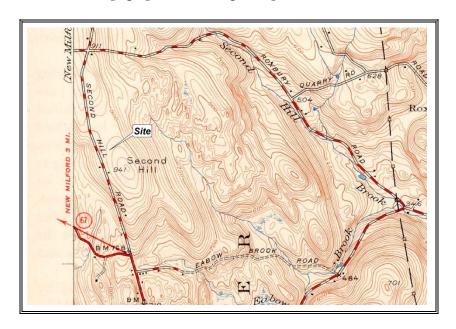
VHB reviewed the available historical USGS topographic quadrangle mapping below during the completion of this investigation.

#### **Historical Topographic Maps**

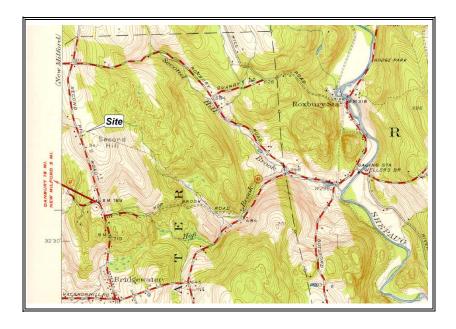
#### 1904 USGS Topographic Quadrangle Map



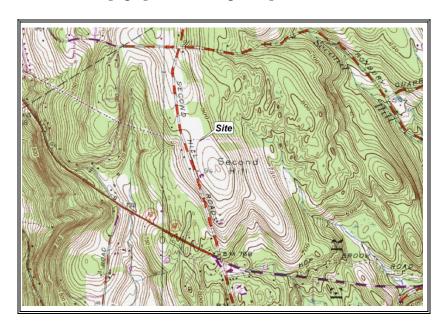
1949 USGS Topographic Quadrangle Map



1955 USGS Topographic Quadrangle Map



1984 USGS Topographic Quadrangle Map



#### Historical Aerial Photographs

VHB reviewed the following available historical aerial photographs during the completion of this investigation.

#### 1934 Aerial Photograph



#### 1965 Aerial Photograph



1991 Aerial Photograph



#### 2004 Aerial Photograph



2006 Aerial Photograph



#### 2008 Aerial Photograph



#### Historic Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps

#### Sanborn Fire Insurance Map Coverage

VHB reviewed available Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps for the Bridgewater area. The Site area is not covered on the reviewed Sanborn Maps.

#### **City Directories**

Based upon the information identified through municipal and historic sources, VHB did not find it necessary to conduct a review of City Directories at the Connecticut State Library for the host property. The host property has been developed with a residence since 1964 and existed as undeveloped land prior to that.

## **Records Review**

VHB conducted regulatory file reviews to help identify properties in the vicinity of the Site and host property that have had a release or pose a threat of release of OHM, and may potentially impact the environmental quality of the host property. VHB reviewed federal and state environmental databases summarized in the FirstSearch Technology Corporation (FirstSearch<sup>TM</sup>) report.

#### **Environmental Database Search**

VHB reviewed the following FirstSearch<sup>TM</sup> environmental databases: National Priority List (NPL) sites; Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Information System (CERCLIS); CERCLIS Archived sites (NFRAP), Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Corrective Action sites (RCRA COR ACT), RCRA Treatment, Storage, and Disposal (RCRA TSD) facilities list, RCRA hazardous waste generators (RCRA GEN), Federal Instructional Controls (IC)/Engineered Controls (EC), Emergency Response Notification System sites (ERNS), State and Tribal lands, State list of hazardous waste sites (State sites), state list of spills sites (State Spills 1980 & 1990), Active Solid Waste Landfill (SWL) facilities, Leaking Underground Storage Tanks (LUSTs), registered underground or aboveground storage tanks (USTs/ASTs), State/Tribal listed sites with Engineering Controls (State EC), State/Tribal listed sites with Institutional Controls (State IC), database of Property Transfer Program and Voluntary Remediation Program sites (State/Tribal VCP) and State listed Brownfields (State/Tribal Brownfields).

The FirstSearch<sup>TM</sup> report is attached as Appendix B. Database search radii were chosen generally in accordance with the ASTM 1527-05 Standard Practice for Environmental Site Assessments:

DATABASE	SEARCH RADIUS	NUMBER OF HOST
	(in miles)	PROPERTIES
		WITHIN SEARCH
		RADIUS
NPL	1.00	0
NPL Delisted	0.50	0
CERCLIS	0.50	0
NFRAP	0.50	0
RCRA COR ACT	1.00	0
RCRA TSD	0.50	0
RCRA GEN	0.25	0
Federal IC / EC	0.50	0
ERNS	0.12	0
Tribal Lands	1.00	0
State/Tribal Sites	1.00	1
State Spills 90	0.12	0
State/Tribal SWL	0.50	0
State/Tribal LUST	0.50	1
State/Tribal UST/AST	0.25	0
State/Tribal EC	0.50	0
State/Tribal IC	0.25	0
State/Tribal VCP	0.50	0
State/Tribal Brownfields	0.50	0
State Other	0.25	0

According to the FirstSearch $^{\text{TM}}$  report, the host property is not identified on any of the above listed environmental databases.

VHB reviewed the two listings identified above and the non-geocoded (properties with minimal or no address information) listings identified by FirstSearch<sup>TM</sup> environmental database report within the specified search radii. None of these listings reviewed within the search radii appear to be associated with the host property and none of these listings are expected to have a direct effect on environmental conditions at the host property/Site.

#### **State Record Sources**

Based upon the information identified in the FirstSearch™ report, municipal and historic sources, and our review of Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection (CTDEP) list of contaminated or potentially contaminated sites, VHB did not find it necessary to conduct a review of files at the CTDEP file room for the host property.

#### **Municipal Record Sources**

Select municipal offices were contacted in December 2010, to obtain information regarding the Site/host property history and use, zoning, and oil or hazardous materials use, storage, release, and/or disposal practices. A summary of the information collected is presented below. Copies of municipal information are provided in Appendix C.

#### Assessor's Office

Map/Block/Lot	Address	Acres	Zoning	Current Owner	Current Deed	Deed Date
Map 28 Lot 50	111 Second Hill Road	4.50	Residential (RR-3)	Robert J. Riebe	Vol 43, Page 362	12/04/1995

#### **Building/Zoning Department**

VHB contacted Ms. Lois Carreira from the Town of Bridgewater Building/Zoning Department via email on December 14, 2010 to obtain information regarding the Site/host property. According to Ms. Carreira, the host property currently has an open permit for a kitchen bathroom remodel. No other records were on file for the Site/host property.

#### **Health Department**

VHB contacted Mr. Keith Vaughn of the Town of Bridgewater Health Department on December 15, 2010 to obtain information regarding the Site/host property. According to Mr. Vaughn, there are no records on file for the Site/host property.

#### Fire Marshal's Office

VHB contacted the Town of Bridgewater Fire Marshal on December 13, 2010 via e-mail to request information on the Site/host property. According to e-mail response, no records on file for Site/host property.

## Site Reconnaissance

VHB performed host property/Site reconnaissance on December 7, 2010 that included observations of the host property and Site for overt evidence of OHM. Observations were limited to the proposed Site area and immediate surrounding vicinity of the host property. Photographs taken during the host property reconnaissance are provided below.

# Host Property Utilities

Potable Water:
Serviced by municipal water.
⊠ Serviced by a private potable well.
No water service currently exists.
Sanitary:
Serviced by municipal sanitary system
Serviced by on-site septic system.
☐ No sewerage system currently exists.
Heating:
Heated via a natural gas connection.
☐ Heated via #2 heating fuel oil.
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UST
Tank Capacity: xxx-gallons
Heated via propane.
☐ AST
UST
Tank Capacity: xxx-gallons
☐ No heating source currently exists.

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#### Site Reconnaissance Photograph Log





Photo 2: View of proposed tower location (pink ribbon).



Photo 3: View of area of proposed compound area.



Photo 4: View of detached garage adjacent to proposed access road.



**Photo 5: View of host property** 



## References

Town of Bridgewater municipal file review, December 2010.

Site Reconnaissance, December 7, 2010.

FirstSearch<sup>TM</sup> Technology Corporation (FirstSearch<sup>TM</sup>) report, dated December 6, 2010.

USGS historical topographic maps: University of New Hampshire Diamond Library Documents and Department & Data Center, Historic USGS Maps of Connecticut online website <a href="http://docs.unh.edu/towns/ConnecticutTownList.htm">http://docs.unh.edu/towns/ConnecticutTownList.htm</a>.

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), Flood Insurance Rate Mapping Panel No. 090184 0001B- effective date: November 1, 1979.

Aerial photographs: UCONN Map and Geographic Information Center available GIS aerial photography web services (1934, 1991 and 2008), and AirPhoto USA 2006 aerial photographs.

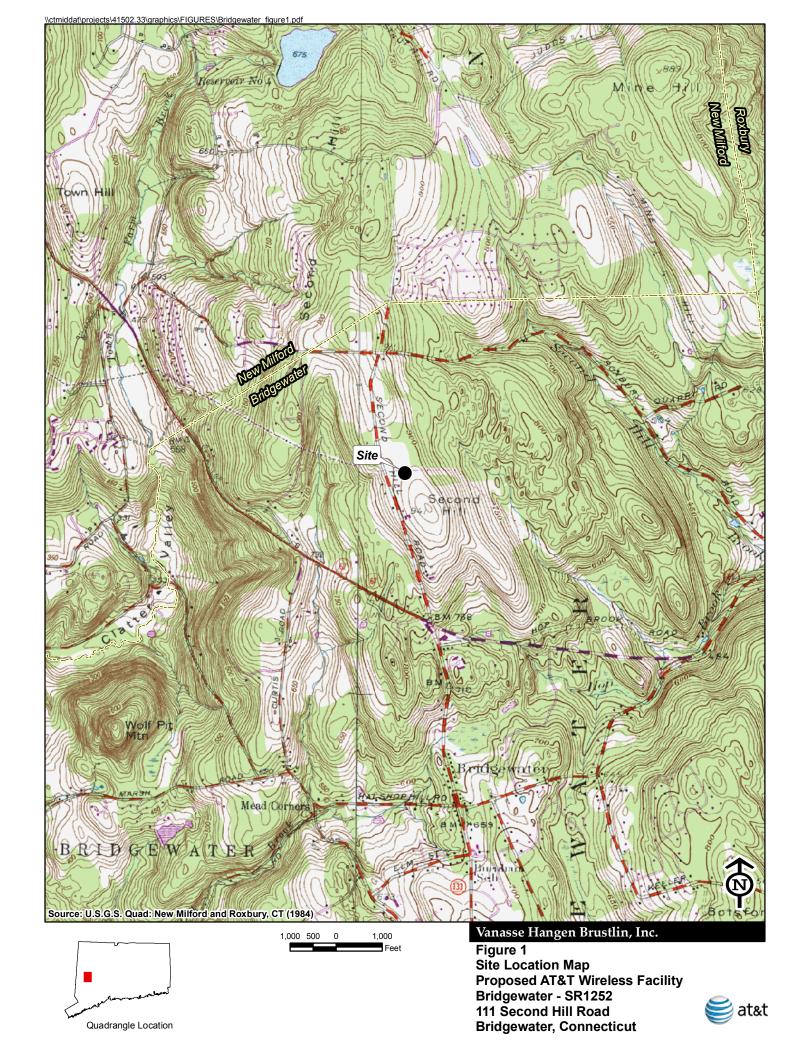
GIS data for bedrock, surficial geology, groundwater classification, and aquifer protection areas, provided and revised by CTDEP (http://www.ct.gov/dep/cwp/view.asp?a=2698&q=322898&depNav\_GID=1707).

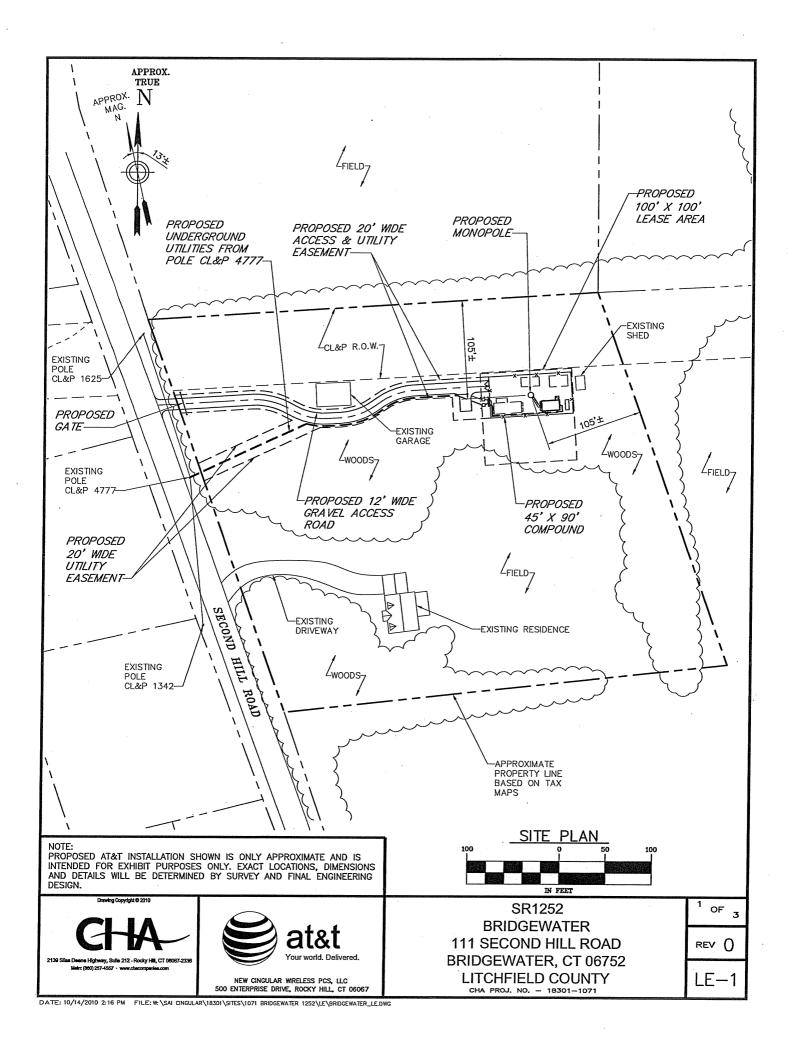
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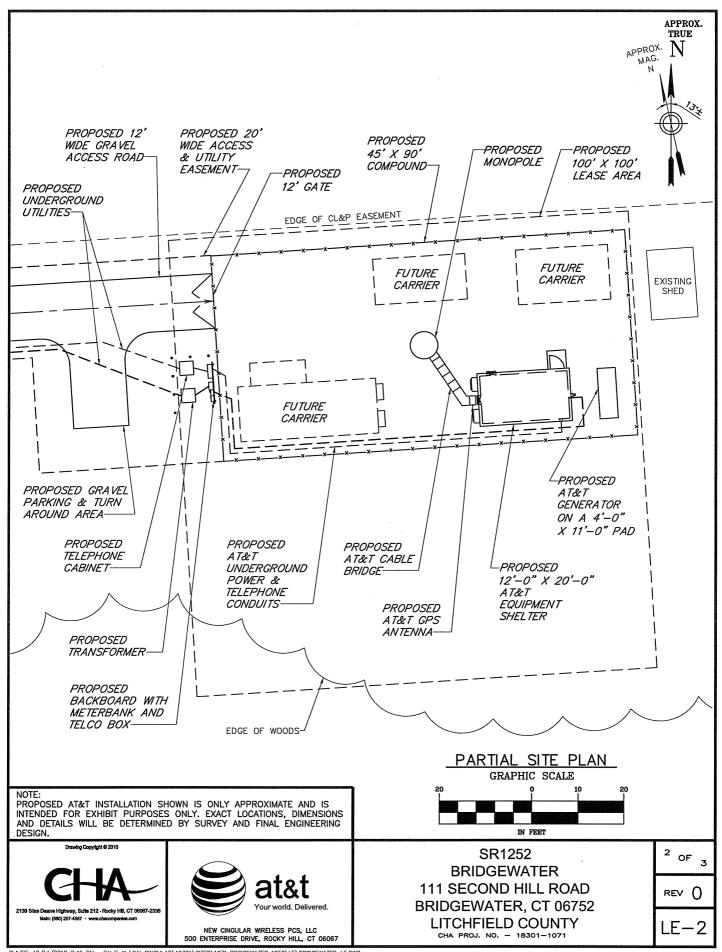
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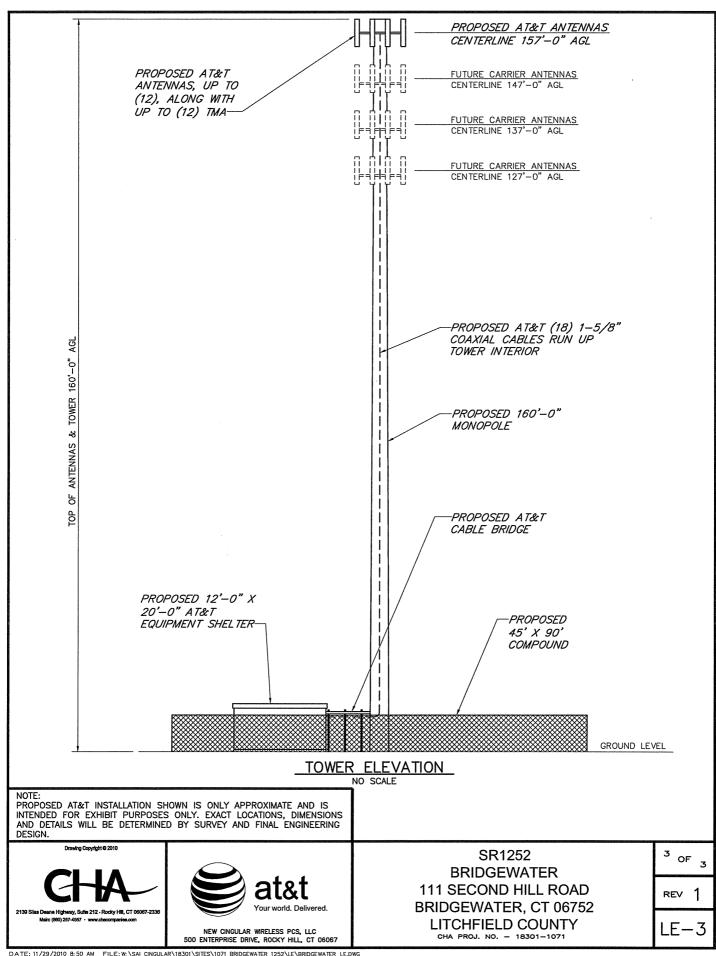
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# **Figures**









# **Appendix A Limitations**

AT&T Site ID: SR1252 111 Second Hill Road

Bridgewater, Connecticut

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- VHB was not authorized to access secured and occupied areas of the Site and/or property, including buildings, dwellings and other structures. No representation regarding current environmental conditions, other than observations made from exterior locations of the host property (including outside fenced areas of existing compounds) is provided herein.
- In conducting this assessment, VHB has obtained and relied upon information from multiple sources to form certain conclusions regarding potential environmental issues at and in the vicinity of the subject property. Except as otherwise noted, no attempt has been made to verify the accuracy or completeness of such information.
- No attempt has been made to assess the compliance status of any past or present Owner or Operator of the host property with any federal, state, or local laws or regulations.
- No attempt has been made to assess host property buildings, dwellings, and/or structures for the presence of asbestos containing materials or leadbased paint.
- 7 The findings, observations, and conclusions presented in this report are limited by the scope of services outlined in our Agreement, which reflects schedule and budgetary constraints imposed by the Client for the current phase of environmental assessment. No other warranty, expressed or implied, is made.

The assessment presented in this report is based solely upon information gathered to date. Should further environmental or other relevant information be developed at a later date, the Client should bring the information to the attention of VHB as soon as possible. Based upon an evaluation, VHB may modify the report and its conclusions.

# Appendix B Environmental Database Report

# FirstSearch Technology Corporation

# **Environmental FirstSearch™ Report**

Target Property: SR1252

#### 111 SECOND HILL ROAD

#### **BRIDGEWATER CT 06752**

Job Number: 41502.33

#### PREPARED FOR:

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#### Environmental FirstSearch Search Summary Report

**Target Site:** 111 SECOND HILL ROAD BRIDGEWATER CT 06752

FirstSearch Summary

Database	Sel	Updated	Radius	Site	1/8	1/4	1/2	1/2>	ZIP	TOTALS
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NPL	Y	10-21-10	1.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NPL Delisted	Y	10-21-10	0.50	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
CERCLIS	Y	08-31-10	0.50	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
NFRAP	Y	08-31-10	0.50	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
RCRA COR ACT	Y	09-14-10	1.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RCRA TSD	Y	09-14-10	0.50	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
RCRA GEN	Y	09-14-10	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0	0
RCRA NLR	Y	09-14-10	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0	0
Federal Brownfield	Y	10-01-10	0.50	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
ERNS	Y	10-21-10	0.15	0 -	0	0	-	-	0	0
Tribal Lands	Y	12-01-05	1.00	0	0	0	0	0	2	2 2
State/Tribal Sites	Y	04-23-10	1.00	0	0	0	0	1	1	
State Spills 90	Y	11-18-10	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	2	2
State Spills 80	Y	NA	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0	0
State/Tribal SWL	Y	12-16-09	0.50	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
State/Tribal LUST	Y	11-30-10	0.50	0	0	0	1	-	20	21
State/Tribal UST/AST	Y	10-01-10	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0	0
State/Tribal EC	Y	NA	0.50	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
State/Tribal IC	Y	01-01-05	0.25	0	0	0		-	0	0
State/Tribal VCP	Y	04-23-10	0.50	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
State/Tribal Brownfields	Y	05-01-08	0.50	0	0	0	0		0	0
State Other	Y	04-23-10	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0	0
Federal IC/EC	Y	11-04-10	0.50	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
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#### **Notice of Disclaimer**

Due to the limitations, constraints, inaccuracies and incompleteness of government information and computer mapping data currently available to FirstSearch Technology Corp., certain conventions have been utilized in preparing the locations of all federal, state and local agency sites residing in FirstSearch Technology Corp.'s databases. All EPA NPL and state landfill sites are depicted by a rectangle approximating their location and size. The boundaries of the rectangles represent the eastern and western most longitudes; the northern and southern most latitudes. As such, the mapped areas may exceed the actual areas and do not represent the actual boundaries of these properties. All other sites are depicted by a point representing their approximate address location and make no attempt to represent the actual areas of the associated property. Actual boundaries and locations of individual properties can be found in the files residing at the agency responsible for such information.

#### Waiver of Liability

Although FirstSearch Technology Corp. uses its best efforts to research the actual location of each site, FirstSearch Technology Corp. does not and can not warrant the accuracy of these sites with regard to exact location and size. All authorized users of FirstSearch Technology Corp.'s services proceeding are signifying an understanding of FirstSearch Technology Corp.'s searching and mapping conventions, and agree to waive any and all liability claims associated with search and map results showing incomplete and or inaccurate site locations.

#### Environmental FirstSearch Site Information Report

**Request Date: Requestor Name:**  12-06-10

Standard:

Phil Rydel AAI

**Search Type:** 

**COORD** 41502.33

Job Number:

Filtered Report

Target Site: 111 SECOND HILL ROAD

**BRIDGEWATER CT 06752** 

#### **Demographics**

Sites:

27

Non-Geocoded: 25

Population:

NA

Radon: 2-5 PCI/L

#### Site Location

Longitude:

**Degrees (Decimal)** -73.371723

Degrees (Min/Sec)

**Easting:** 

**UTMs** 635787.676

-73:22:18

Northing:

Latitude:

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Zone:

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#### Comment

Comment: AT T - SR1252

#### Additional Requests/Services

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			Historical Topos	No .	
			City Directories	No	
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#### Environmental FirstSearch Sites Summary Report

**Target Property:** 

111 SECOND HILL ROAD BRIDGEWATER CT 06752

**JOB:** 41502.33 AT T - SR1252

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TOTAL:

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NON GEOCODED: 25

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#### Environmental FirstSearch Site Detail Report

**Target Property:** 

111 SECOND HILL ROAD

**BRIDGEWATER CT 06752** 

JOB: AT T - SR1252

41502.33

**LUST** 

SEARCH ID: 2

**DIST/DIR:** 0.44 NW

**ELEVATION:** 

901

MAP ID:

1

NAME:

KAREN SCHWARTZCHILD

ADDRESS: 41 DEER POND WOODS RD

**BRIDGEWATER CT 06752** 

CONTACT: NO RESPONSE

SOURCE: CT DEP

**REV:** ID1:

11/30/10 200407818

ID2:

CLOSED

STATUS: PHONE:

**SITE INFORMATION** 

DATE OF RELEASE: TIME OF RELEASE: 11/12/2004

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KAREN SCHWARTZCHILD

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**DISCHARGER S PHONE:** 

ACCEPTS RESPONSIBILITY:

860 3503808

YES

**MATERIAL RELEASED (GAL):** 

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CAUSE OF INCIDENT:

OTHER:

3 - INGROUND TANK FAILURE

REPORT TIME:

REPORTED BY:

11/12/2004 12:50:42 PM

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REPORTER S PHONE:

**AGENCY NOTIFIED:** OTHER:

9 - DEP

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17 - REMOVED TANK

**EMERGENCY MEASURES:** 

REFERRED

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RELEASE CLASS:

6 - PRIVATE

MEDIA AFFECTED:

6 - OTHER

#### Environmental FirstSearch Site Detail Report

41502.33

JOB:

4/23/10

SUSPECTED

2651

**Target Property:** 

111 SECOND HILL ROAD

**BRIDGEWATER CT 06752** AT T - SR1252

**STATE** 

REV:

ID1:

ID2: STATUS:

PHONE:

SEARCH ID: 1 **DIST/DIR:** 0.66 NE **ELEVATION:** 808 MAP ID: 2

LEVENWORTH PROPERTY NAME:

ADDRESS: 6 REVESE RD

NEW MILFORD CT

CONTACT:

SOURCE: CT DEP

SITE INFORMATION

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HYDRO/OIL - HYDROCARBONS AND/OR FUEL OIL

NO

SPILLS DORAN, E.

CORE 11/8/1995

**WASTE TYPE2:** WASTE TYPE3:

DISPOSAL METHOD: UST

SAMPLE AVAILABLE:

**LOCATION METHOD:** 

OTHER DEP:

**UPDATED BY:** 

**UPDATED PROGRAM: UPDATED:** 

SW CLASSIFICATION:

GW CLASSIFICATION:

**COMMENTS:** 8/30/95. (11/95) SPILLS REC D REPORT OF CONTAMINATION DURING REMOVAV OF A 550 GAL 2 HO UST

SITE NAMES

**COMMENTS:** 

REFERRAL INFORMATION

**SOURCE:** RECEIVED: **SPILLS** 9/15/1995

STAFF: PROGRAM: ASSIGNED:

COMPLETED: **OUTCOME:** 

11/8/1995

ON RECORD

## Environmental FirstSearch Street Name Report for Streets within .25 Mile(s) of Target Property

**Target Property:** 

111 SECOND HILL ROAD BRIDGEWATER CT 06752

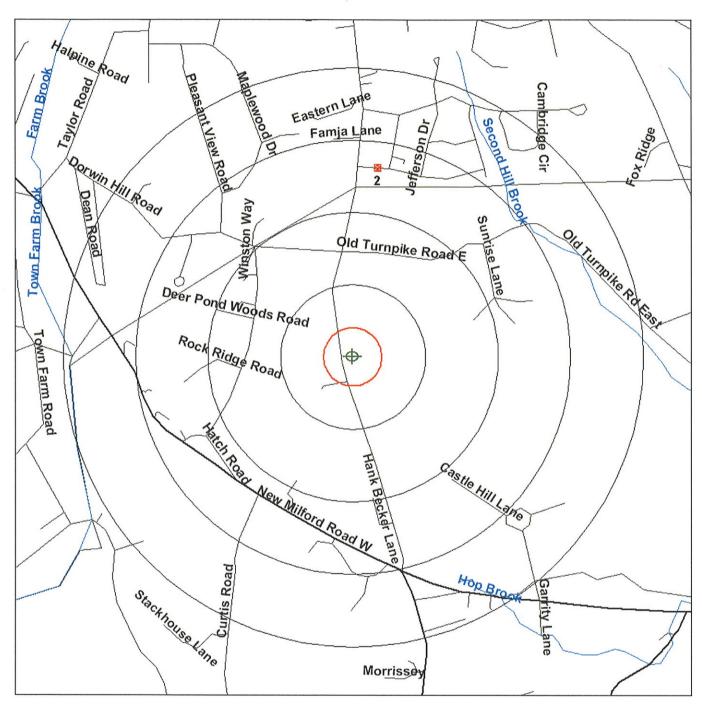
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1 Mile Radius ASTM Map: NPL, RCRACOR, STATE Sites





Source: 2005 U.S. Census TIGER Files		
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Triballand		
Railroads		
Black Rings Represent 1/4 Mile Radius: Red Ring Represents 500 ft Radius		



.5 Mile Radius ASTM Map: CERCLIS, RCRATSD, LUST, SWL



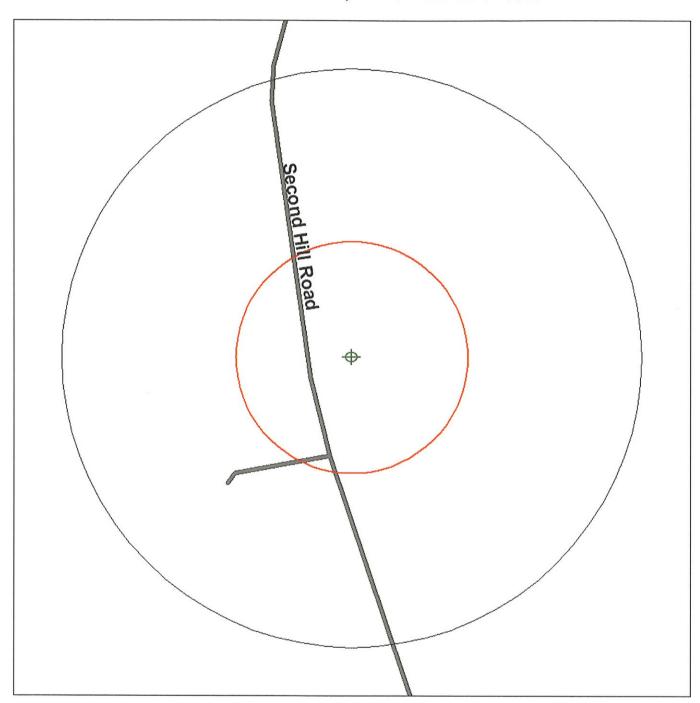


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.25 Mile Radius ASTM Map: RCRAGEN, ERNS, UST, FED IC/EC, METH LABS



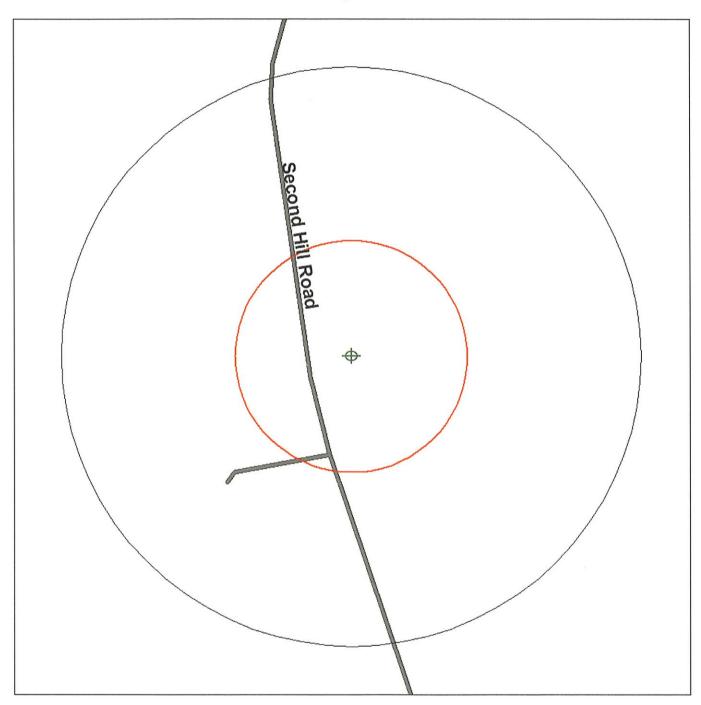


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.25 Mile Radius Non-ASTM Map: No Sites Found





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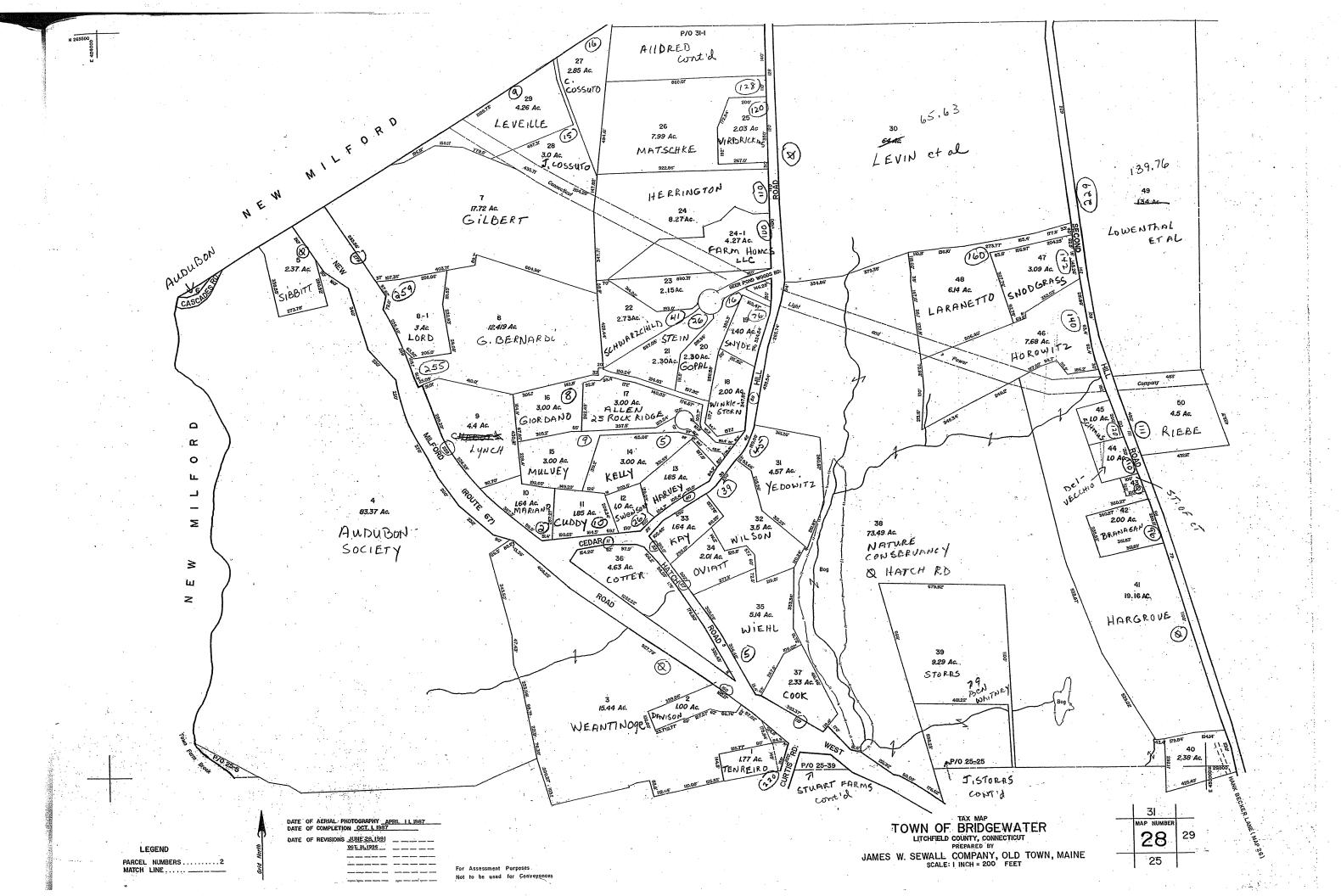
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#### INTEGRATED HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLANNING

December 14, 2010

Ms. Coreen Kelsey Environmental Coordinator Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc. 54 Tuttle Place Middletown, CT 06457-1847

RE: Preliminary Archeological Assessment of a Proposed Telecommunications Tower Located at 111 Second Hill Road, Bridgewater, Connecticut

Ms. Kelsey:

Heritage Consultants, LLC, is pleased to have this opportunity to provide Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc., with the following preliminary archeological assessment of a proposed telecommunications tower located at 111 Second Hill Road in Bridgewater, Connecticut (Figure 1). The current project entailed completion of an existing conditions cultural resources summary based on the examination of GIS data obtained from the Connecticut State Historic Preservation Office, as well as historic maps, aerial photographs, and topographic quadrangles maintained by Heritage Consultants, LLC. This investigation did not consider the effects of the proposed construction upon built resources, and it is based upon project location information provided to Heritage Consultants, LLC by Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc. The objectives of this study were: 1) to gather and present data regarding previously identified cultural resources situated within the vicinity of the Areas of Potential Effect; 2) to investigate the proposed project parcel in terms of its natural and historical characteristics; and 3) to evaluate the need for completing additional cultural resources investigations.

As Figures 2 and 3 depict, a well-developed network of roads was established in the project region by the mid to late nineteenth century. Figures 2 and 3 also show that the proposed tower location is situated to the north of Bridgewater Center in an area that can be characterized as relatively rural. This portion of Bridgewater contained a moderate amount of residences likely associated with agricultural use of the area. In addition, Figure 4, which is an aerial image dating from 1934, shows the agricultural nature of the local landscape. This image also indicates that the proposed tower location positioned along the northern edge of a farm containing plowed fields, a small orchard, and a residence and associated outbuildings. No structures are visible in the immediate vicinity of the proposed tower at this time however. Figure 5, an aerial image taken in 1951, confirms the agricultural nature of the Area of Potential Effect, and it shows that the area surrounding the proposed tower location remained relatively unchanged throughout the first half of the twentieth century, with the exception of the construction of an electrical line that runs from east to west. The right-of-way corridor is situated immediately to the north of the Area of Potential Effect. The aerial image depicted in Figure 6 demonstrates that the area containing the proposed tower location remained cleared as of 1970. This image also shows that a house was constructed to the southwest of the proposed tower location sometime between 1951 and 1970; however, the proposed tower location does not appear disturbed in Figure 6. Figure 7, an aerial image dating from 1995, confirms the interpretation

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of Figure 6; that is, this image also shows the above-referenced residence. The 1995 aerial image also reveals that a garage was built to the west of the proposed tower location sometime between 1970 and 1995. Finally, the 2008 aerial image shown in Figures 8 shows the current configuration of the parcel of land containing the proposed tower location. This image indicates that the proposed tower location has become reforested.

Finally, a review of previously recorded cultural resources on file with the Connecticut State Historic Preservation Office revealed that no archaeological sites and/or National Register of Historic Places properties have been identified within 0.8 km (0.5 mi) of the Area of Potential Effect (Figures 9 and 10). This is likely due to the fact that very few cultural resources surveys have been completed in the Town of Bridgewater, Connecticut.

A review of topographic and historic maps in Figures 1 through 3, as well as the aerial images in Figures 4 through 8, indicate that the proposed tower location is situated within a portion of Bridgewater that has always been rural in character. In addition, Figures 4 through 8 revealed that while a residence and garage have been constructed on the project parcel, no direct evidence for the proposed tower location having been disturbed was noted. As a result, it is the professional opinion of Heritage Consultants, LLC that a Phase I Cultural Resources Reconnaissance Survey with the proposed telecommunications tower location should be undertaken.

If you have any questions regarding this Technical Memorandum, or if we may be of additional assistance with this or any other projects you may have, please do not hesitate to call us at 860-667-3001 or email us info@heritage-consultants.com. We are at your service.

Sincerely.

Catherine M. Labadia, M.A.

President & Principal Investigator

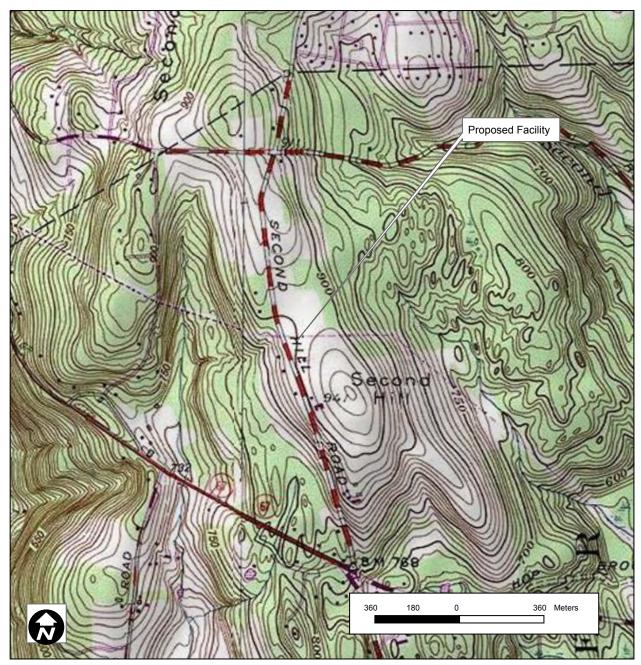


Figure 1. Excerpt from recent USGS topographic quadrangle map, depicting the proposed telecommunications tower location in Bridgewater, Connecticut.

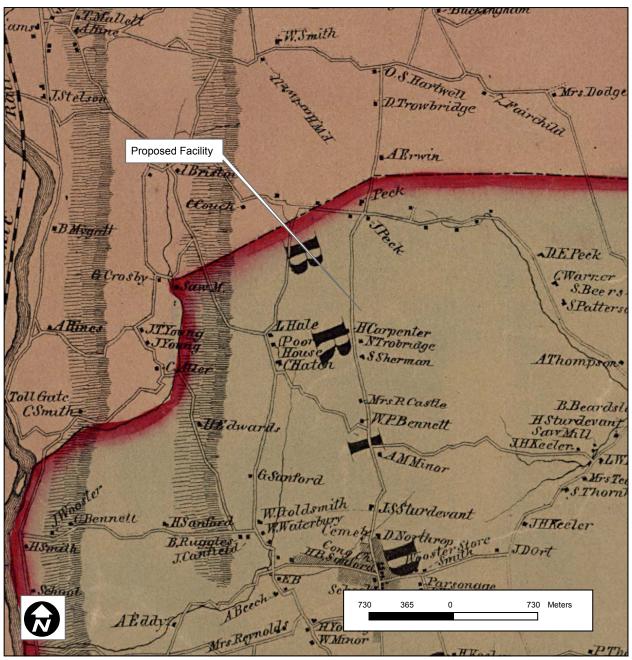


Figure 2. Excerpt from an 1859 historic map depicting the proposed telecommunications tower location in Bridgewater, Connecticut.

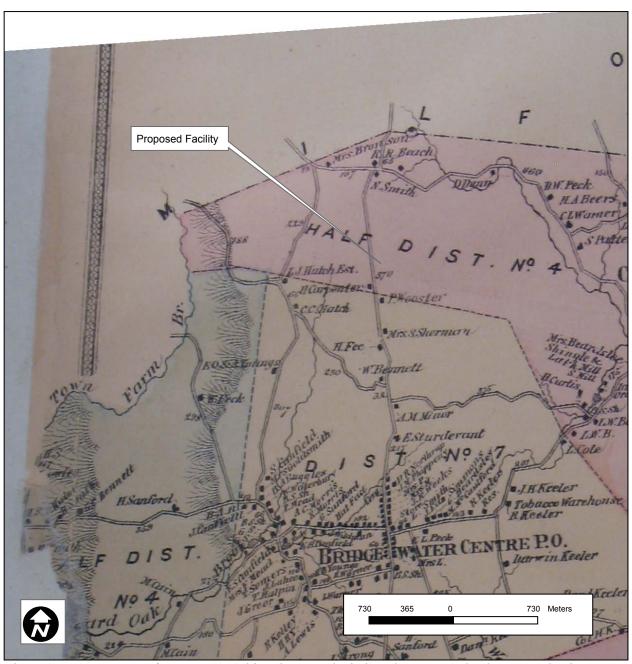


Figure 3. Excerpt from an 1874 historic map depicting the proposed telecommunications tower location in Bridgewater, Connecticut.

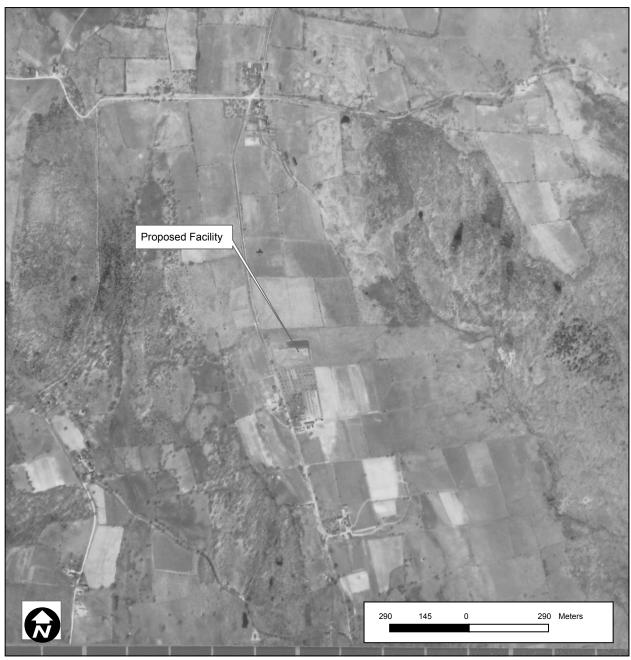


Figure 4. Excerpt from a 1934 aerial image depicting the proposed telecommunications tower location in Bridgewater, Connecticut.

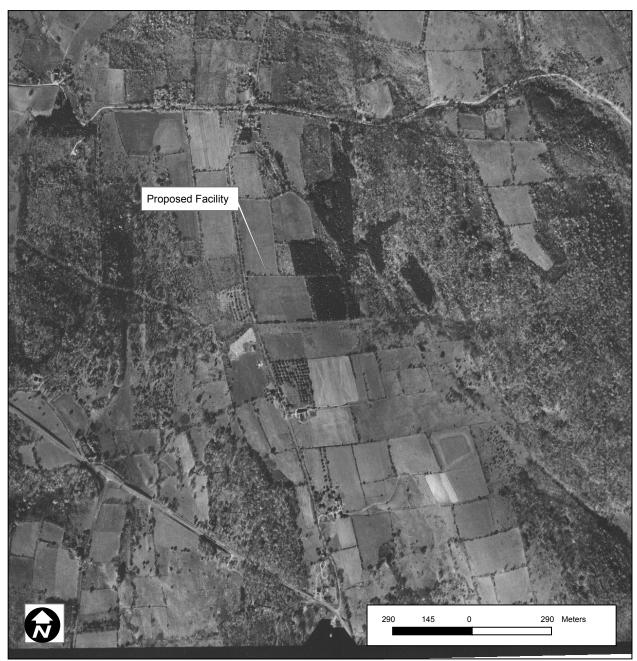


Figure 5. Excerpt from a 1951 aerial image depicting the proposed telecommunications tower location in Bridgewater, Connecticut.

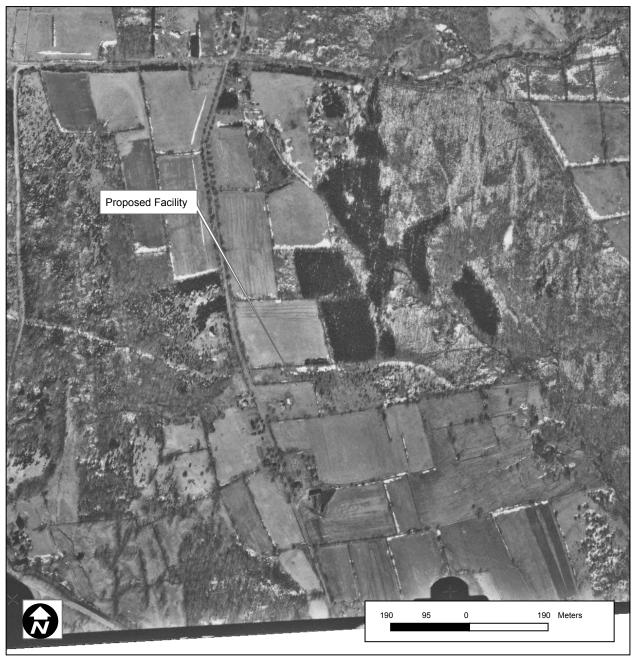


Figure 6. Excerpt from a 1970 aerial image, depicting the proposed telecommunications tower location in Bridgewater, Connecticut.

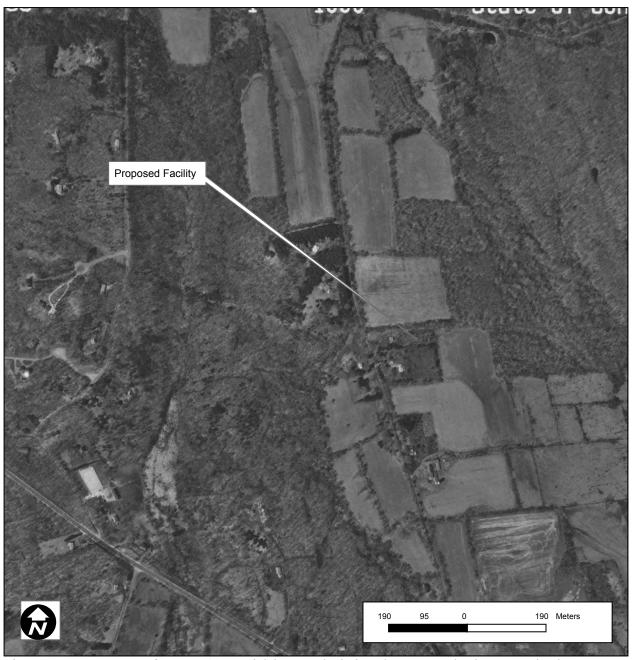


Figure 7. Excerpt from a 1995 aerial image, depicting the proposed telecommunications tower location in Bridgewater, Connecticut.

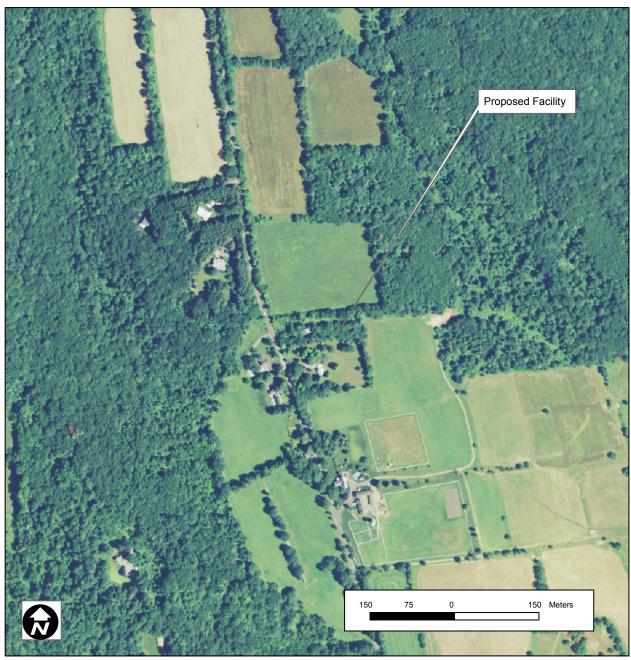


Figure 8. Excerpt from a 2008 aerial image depicting the proposed telecommunications tower location in Bridgewater, Connecticut.

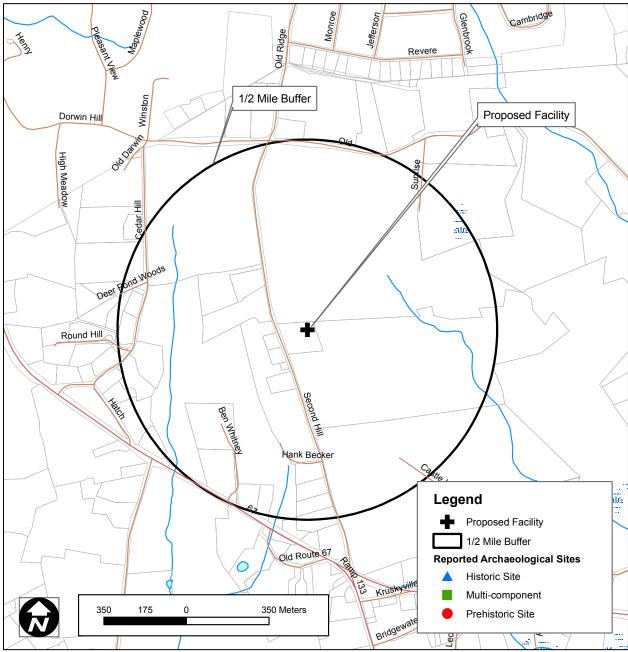


Figure 9. Digital map depicting the locations of previously recorded archaeological sites in the vicinity of the proposed telecommunications tower location in Bridgewater, Connecticut.

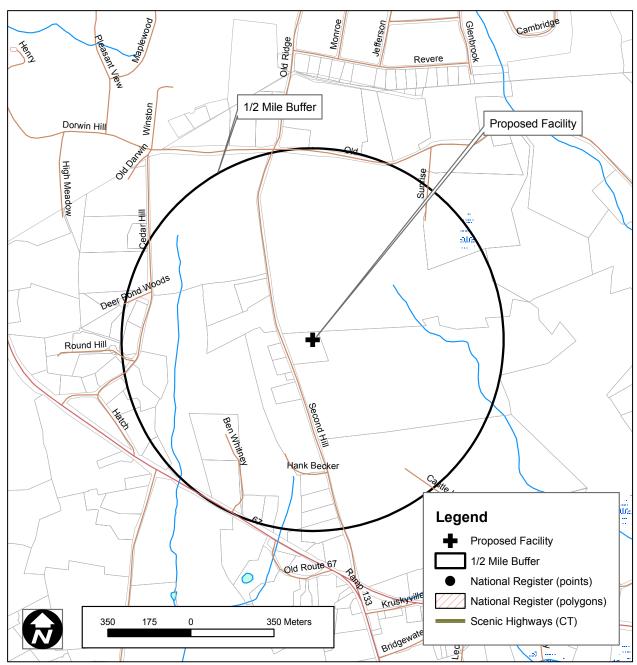
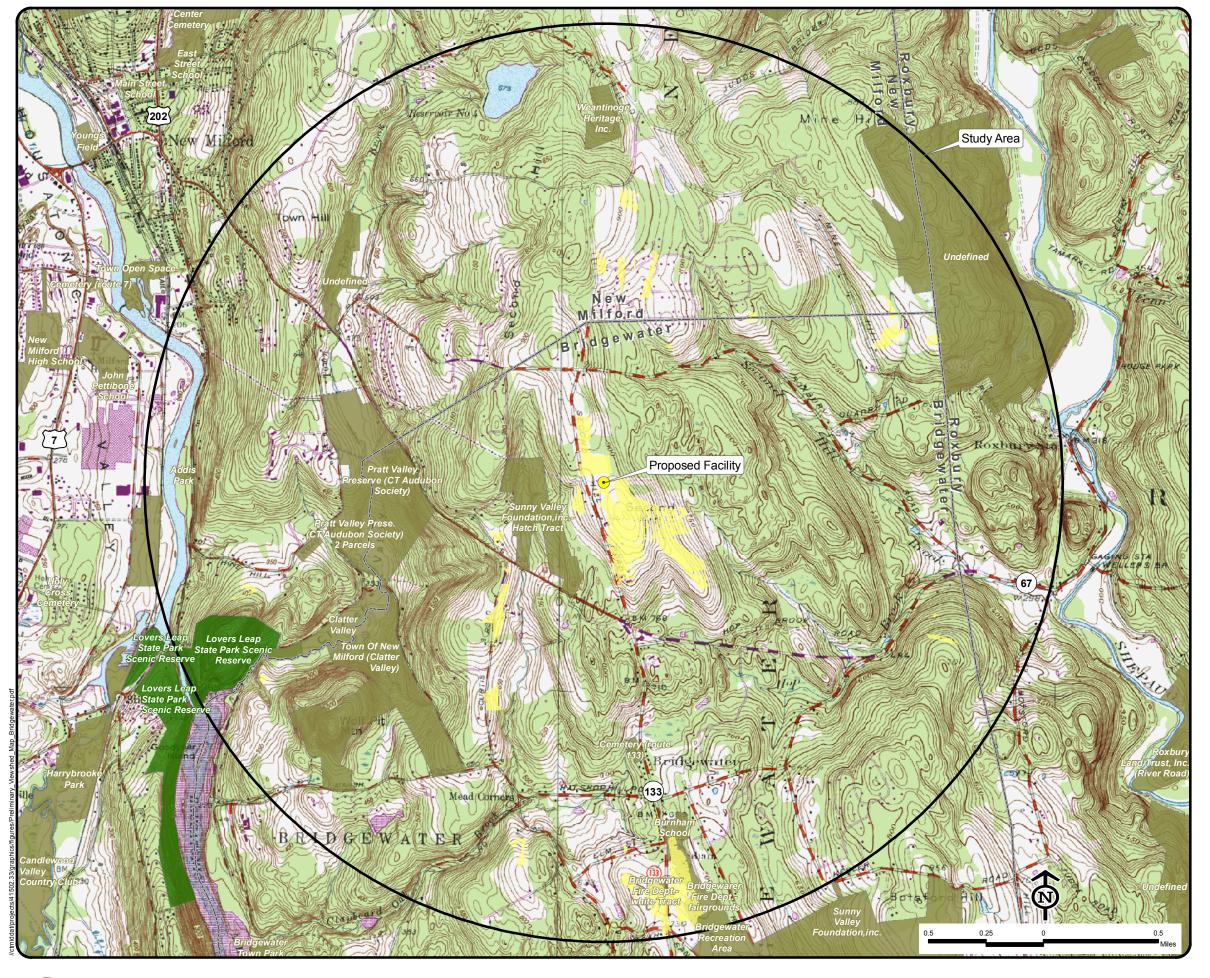


Figure 10. Digital map depicting the locations of previously recorded National Register of Historic Places properties in the vicinity of the proposed telecommunications tower location in Bridgewater, Connecticut.

# **SECTION 5**



## Preliminary Viewshed Analysis Proposed AT&T Wireless Telecommunications Facility Bridgewater - SR1252 111 Second Hill Road Bridgewater, Connecticut

- Viewshed analysis conducted using ESRI's Spatial Analyst.
  Proposed facility height is 160 feet.
- Existing tree canopy height estimated at 50 feet.
- Study Area is comprised of a two-mile radius surrounding the proposed facility and includes 8,042 acres of land.
- Results not field verified by balloon float.

#### DATA SOURCES:

- Digital elevation model (DEM) derived from Connecticut LiDAR-based Digital Elevation Data (collected in 2000) with a 10-foot spatial resolution produced by the University of Connecticut and the Center for Land Use Education and Research (CLEAR); 2007
- Forest areas derived from 2008 digital orthophotos with 1-meter pixel resolution; digitized by VHB, 2010
   Base map comprised of Roxbury (1984), and New Milford (1984)
- USGS Quadrangle Maps
- Municipal and Private Open Space data layer provided by CT DEP, 1997
  Federal Open Space data layer provided by CT DEP, 2004
  CT DEP Property data layer provided by CT DEP, April 2010
  CT DEP boat launches data layer provided by CT DEP, Dec 2009

- Scenic Roads layer derived from available State and Local listings

Map Compiled January, 2011

#### Legend

Proposed Tower Location

Approximate Year-Round Visibility (+/- 146 acres)

Protected Municipal and Private Open Space (CT DEP, 1997)

Preservation Conservation

Existing Preserved Open Space Recreation

General Recreation School

Uncategorized

CT DEP Property (CT DEP, May 2010) State Forest

State Park DEP Owned Waterbody State Park Scenic Reserve

Historic Preserve Natural Area Preserve Fish Hatchery Flood Control

Other State Park Trail

Water Access

Wildlife Area Wildlife Sanctuary

Federal Open Space (CT DEP, 2004) Boat Launches (CT DEP, Dec 2009)

Scenic Road (State and Local)

--- Town Line





