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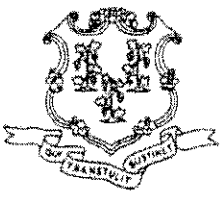
FROM: Linda Roberts, Executive Director *LR*

RE: **DOCKET NO. 419** - Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance and operation of a telecommunications facility located at 146 Old Colchester Road or 164 Old Colchester Road, Waterford, Connecticut.

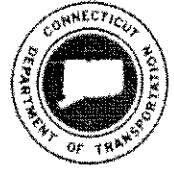
Comments have been received from Department of Transportation, dated June 27, 2011. Copies are attached for your review.

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c: Council Members



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Ms. Linda Roberts
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Dear Ms. Roberts:

**Subject: Docket 419
Telecommunications Facility -Sites 1 and 2
Town of Waterford**

The Department of Transportation (DOT) has reviewed the above-mentioned docket and offers the following comment.

In response to item # 6 of the DOT's Screening Check List

- The Leasing Section of the Rights of Way has a process for leasing property for cell tower agreements. All sites are potentially available. Any cell tower company interested in leasing a site on DOT property must first enter into a master cell tower agreement. Once this agreement is complete, the cell tower company can request specific sites for approval as cell tower locations. The Leasing Section will petition the five required offices of the DOT for Department approval to place a cell tower at that specific location.

Should you have any further questions, please contact, Mr. Kurt W. Von Hone, Utility Engineer (Utilities), @ (860) 594-3262.

Very truly yours,

Sohrab Afrazi
Transportation Principal Engineer
Bureau of Engineering and Construction