

### STATE OF CONNECTICUT

#### CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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January 4, 2012

TO:

Council Members

FROM:

Linda Roberts, Executive Director

RE:

**DOCKET NO. 423** – North Atlantic Towers, LLC, and New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility located off

of Route 198, Woodstock, Connecticut.

The Connecticut Siting Council has scheduled a field review for this Docket on Tuesday, January 10, 2012 beginning at 2:00 p.m. There is limited parking at the entrance of the access drive to the proposed site. Also, the access road is rugged and may be difficult for some cars to drive on. Therefore, Council members should meet at the town hall parking lot at 415 Route 169 in Woodstock and carpool to the site entrance at 530 Route 198 in Woodstock.

The access road is approximately 4,700 feet long and will require proper footwear for walking in a forested and potentially wet area. Please note: If you would like to hike along the access road to the proposed site please allow about two and a half hours round-trip and meet at the town hall parking lot no later than 12:30 p.m. This hike will require good physical condition. If you are interested in hiking to the site, please contact Christina Walsh at (860) 827-2944 or by e-mail at Christina.walsh@ct.gov by 12:00 p.m. on Monday, January 9, 2012.

A public hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, January 10, 2012, beginning at 3:00 p.m., and continued at 7:00 p.m., at the Woodstock Town Hall, 415 Route 169, in Woodstock.

#### Enclosure

c: Secretary of the State (via e-mail)
 Parties and Intervenors (via e-mail)
 Ruth Girolomo, Post Reporting Service
 Joseph Reese, Tech Theatrical Services, LLC



#### **DIRECTIONS – DOCKET 423: WOODSTOCK**

Field Review Location:

530 Route 198, Woodstock

Hearing Location:

Woodstock Town Hall - lower level

415 Route 169, Woodstock

Dinner Location:

Sherwood's - 35 Route 171, South Woodstock 860.963.2080

#### TO FIELD REVIEW - if you intend to go straight to the site

#### Via Interstate 84 (Hartford)

Follow I-84 to Exit 69.

At end of ramp, turn right onto Route 74 east.

Follow Route 74 east to Route 44.

Turn left onto Route 44 east.

Follow Route 44 into Eastford.

Turn left onto Route 198 north (traffic light).

Route 171 joins Route 198 from left—continue on Route 198 north/ Route 171 east.

Continue to follow Route 198 north

The access road begins at 530 Route 198, which will be on the left.

An orange cone will be at the end of the driveway.

The driveway is steep and rocky in parts.

#### Via Interstate 395 (Norwich)

Proceed on I-395 North.

Take Exit 97 and follow Route 44 west to Route 171 west.

Follow Route 171 to intersection with Route 198.

Turn right onto Route 198 north

The access road begins at 530 Route 198, which will be on the left.

An orange cone will be at the end of the driveway.

The driveway is steep and rocky in parts.

## TO TOWN HALL – <u>Carpool meeting location</u> and <u>hearing location</u>

#### From Site

Turn right onto Route 198.

Turn left onto Route 171.

Travel via Route 171 to intersection with Route 169 (approximately 6.8 miles).

Turn left onto Route 169 north.

Town Hall will be on right after South Woodstock Village.

#### Via I-84 (Hartford)

Follow I-84 to Exit 69, Route 74.
Follow Route 74 east to Route 44 east.
Follow Route 44 east to Route 169 in Pomfret.
Follow Route 169 north to Town Hall on right after South Woodstock Village.

#### Via Interstate 395 (Norwich)

Proceed on I-395 North.

Take Exit 97 and follow Route 44 west to Route 171 west.

Follow Route 171 west to Route 169 north.

Town Hall is on right after South Woodstock Village.

#### To Dinner Location- Sherwood's

From Town Hall, turn left onto Route 169. Bear left onto Route 171 east and follow for approx 1 mile to Little River Plaza on left (Sherwood's)

#### After hearing

#### To I-84 from Town Hall

Turn left onto Route 169 south and follow past Route 171 to Route 44 west in Pomfret. Follow Route 44 west to Route 74 west in Ashford. Follow Route 74 west to I-84.

#### To I-395 from Town Hall

Turn left onto Route 169 south to Route 171 east. Follow Route 171 east to Route 44 east. Follow Route 44 east to I-395.

# bing Maps

# 530 Black Pond Rd, Woodstock Valley, CT 06282





