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**CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL**  
INTERVENOR STATUS REQUEST FORM

**Docket/Petition No.** 427

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**1. Manner in which petitioner claims to be substantially and specifically affected:**

The proposed tower just off Short Beach Road in East Haven is approximately 400 feet from my property and a large portion of the proposed tower will always be in direct view from my deck and yard. I purchased my property specifically for the scenic views of the Farm River state park. Over the years I have cherished the changing seasons and the views from my yard. I wouldn't have considered buying this property if there had been a ghastly looming tower always in view. It will be more difficult for me to sell my property if the proposed tower is located in such close proximity to my home.

**2. Manner and extent to which petitioner proposes to participate:**

I understand the need for cell towers, but I don't fully understand the need for this industrial strength tower in a residential area where there is already cell phone coverage. There may not be need for a stronger cell phone signal within residences in this area of East Haven. The high data use fees on cell phones has continued to steadily rise and these fees are very prohibitive. Most people use or have the option to use Wi-Fi in their residences for cell phone data access. I receive a strong enough signal at my home from Verizon that allows me to make and receive phone calls. My son has ATT and also can receive and send calls, though not in all areas of my property. It's apparent that Hilton Ave is near the edge of the cell reception circle, so what is the reason for a tower within an area that already has existing coverage? This seems like an ineffective distribution of a cell towers.



I would like to participate because I am very familiar with the area, I am very interested in emerging technology and the benefits for everyone. I have reviewed the older plans but I would like to see the latest plans for these proposed towers and the relationships to all the other cell towers in the area. This does directly impact me, but I will be a strong proponent if this site proves to be the best location for our area.

Copies of this request shall be mailed to all participants at least five (5) business days before the date of the hearing.

Signed Richard Moreland

Date: 7/3/2012