

STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

IN RE:

APPLICATION OF NEW CINGULAR WIRELESS  
PCS, LLC (AT&T) FOR A CERTIFICATE OF  
ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC  
NEED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE  
AND OPERATION OF A TELECOMMUNICATIONS  
TOWER FACILITY AT THE FIRSTLIGHT HYDRO  
GENERATING COMPANY PROPERTY AT KENT  
ROAD IN THE TOWN OF NEW MILFORD,  
CONNECTICUT

DOCKET NO. 444

March 25, 2014

APPLICANT'S PRE-FILED STATEMENT OF FACTS IN LIEU OF DIRECT TESTIMONY

- AT&T requires a new wireless facility in the northwestern portion of New Milford to address the identified lack of reliable wireless service in this area.
- On July 10, 2013, AT&T filed a Technical Report with the Mayor of the Town of New Milford and provided copies of the Technical Report to the New Milford Planning Commission, Zoning Commission, Inland Wetlands Commission and Conservation Commission.
- AT&T's 16-507 municipal consultation with the Town of New Milford included a public information meeting held on August 27, 2014 where members of the community and town officials had an opportunity to discuss the proposed facility with representatives of AT&T.
- The Town of New Milford did not provide any specific recommendations or suggest any other alternative sites to AT&T.
- On November 11, 2013, AT&T commenced municipal consultation with the Town of Sherman by submission of copies of AT&T's Docket 444 Certificate Application in accordance with Section 16-507 of the Connecticut General Statutes.
- In December 2013, the Town of Sherman requested that AT&T review a parcel located on Evans Hill Road in Sherman as a potential alternative tower site. AT&T evaluated this suggested alternative site and determined that it was not a viable alternative to AT&T's New Milford tower project.

- On January 17, 2014, copies of AT&T's correspondence with Sherman, including the results of AT&T's evaluation of the Evans Hill Road parcel, were submitted into the official record in Docket 444.
- No significant adverse environmental impacts associated with AT&T's proposed Facility were identified by AT&T's consultants as part of federal, state and local reviews to date.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this day, an original and fifteen copies of the foregoing were sent electronically and by overnight mail to the Connecticut Siting Council and:

Dated: March 25, 2014



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