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The Honorable Timothy Slocum
Chairman, Cheshire Town Council
Town of Cheshire
84 South Main Street
Cheshire, CT 06410

RE: **DOCKET NO. 451** – Homeland 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 at the Cheshire Wastewater Treatment Plant, Cheshire Tax Assessor Map 38, Lot 180, 1325 Cheshire Street, Cheshire, Connecticut.

Dear Chairman Slocum:

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50f, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received an application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for a telecommunications facility located in the Town of Cheshire. This matter will be placed on a future Council meeting agenda to adopt a schedule that will include a public hearing in your town. A copy of the Council meeting agenda will be sent to you.

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50gg, municipalities may provide to the Council location preferences or other criteria for the siting of telecommunications towers that are to be considered by the Council in its deliberations. The Council requests submission of these comments by September 4, 2014.

Please be advised that your involvement in the Council process may occur in various ways, such as through formal party or intervenor status, which provides full participation at the public hearing that includes submission of testimony and cross examination of witnesses, or through a limited appearance that includes submission of written comments at any time up to 30 days after the public hearing or oral comments during the 7 PM public comment session of the public hearing.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 860-827-2951. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman
Acting Executive Director/Staff Attorney

MAB/cm

c: William S. Voelker, AICP, Town Planner, Town of Cheshire
Mr. Michael A. Milone, Town Manager, Town of Cheshire
Parties and Intervenors (VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL)