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TO: Parties and Intervenors

FROM: Melanie Bachman, Acting Executive Director *MAB*

RE: **DOCKET NO. 454** – Tower Holdings, LLC application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility located at Farmington Tax Assessor Parcel ID Maps 25 and 26, Lots 3A and 3B, 199 Brickyard Road, Farmington, Connecticut.

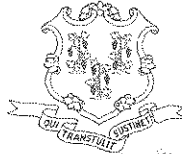
Comments have been received from Department of Public Health, Drinking Water Section, dated December 23, 2014. Copies are attached for your review.

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c: Council Members

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Dear Ms. Bachman:

The Drinking Water Section (DWS) of the Department of Public Health has reviewed the location and specific work items associated with the above noted Docket Number. This project is contained within the Aquifer Protection Area (APA) of Connecticut Water Company –Unionville (CT Sand and Stone APA) an active source of public drinking water for the Connecticut Water Company (PWSID #CT0520011). The DWS offers the following recommendations to protect this source of public drinking water:

- Erosion and sedimentation controls should be in place and properly maintained as necessary.
- A responsible party should be identified for maintenance, inspection, repair, and replacement and incorporation of new controls as may become necessary.
- Servicing of machinery should be completed outside of the public water supply watershed and Aquifer Protection Area.
- Refueling of vehicles or machinery should take place on an impervious pad with secondary containment designed to contain fuels.
- Fuel and other hazardous materials should not be stored within the public water supply Aquifer Protection Area. Any fuel or hazardous materials that must be kept within the public water supply watershed and Aquifer Protection Area during working hours should be stored on an impervious surface utilizing secondary containment.
- A fuel spill remediation kit should be stored on-site so that any spills may be contained and cleaned quickly.
- Connecticut Water Company should be contacted prior to starting this project to review the scope of this project.
- Connecticut Water Company personnel should be allowed to periodically inspect this project to ensure that drinking water quality is not being adversely impacted.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mira S. Lami of this office at 860-509-7333.

Sincerely,


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Drinking Water Section

Cc: Cindy Gaudino, Connecticut Water Company

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