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June 16, 2014

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Project: MCM Wireless Telecommunications Facility #CT-507on Candlewood Road in Glastonbury, Connecticut NDDB Determination No.: 201406053

Dear Dean,

I have reviewed Natural Diversity Data Base maps and files regarding the area delineated on the map you provided for the proposed wireless telecommunications facility #CT-507 located on Candlewood Road in Glastonbury, Connecticut. According to our information we have records for State Special Concern *Terrapene carolina carolina* (eastern box turtle) from the vicinity of this project. Thank you for including protection strategies and protocols that will be in place to protect this species from project impacts. These protection strategies will help avoid unintentional mortality as a result of construction activities. This determination is good for one year. Please resubmit an NDDB Request for Review if the scope of work changes or if work has not begun on this project by June 16, 2015.

Natural Diversity Data Base information includes all information regarding critical biological resources available to us at the time of the request. This information is a compilation of data collected over the years by the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection's Natural History Survey and cooperating units of DEEP, private conservation groups and the scientific community. This information is not necessarily the result of comprehensive or site-specific field investigations. Consultations with the Data Base should not be substitutes for on-site surveys required for environmental assessments. Current research projects and new contributors continue to identify additional populations of species and locations of habitats of concern, as well as, enhance existing data. Such new information is incorporated into the Data Base as it becomes available.

Please contact me if you have further questions at (860) 424-3592, or <a href="mailto:dawn.mckay@ct.gov">dawn.mckay@ct.gov</a>. Thank you for consulting the Natural Diversity Data Base. Also be advised that this is a preliminary review and not a final determination. A more detailed review may be conducted as part of any subsequent environmental permit applications submitted to DEEP for the proposed site.

Sincerely,

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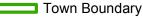
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## Natural Diversity Data Base Areas GLASTONBURY, CT

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State and Federal Listed Species & Significant Natural Communities



NOTE: This map shows general locations of State and Federal Listed Species and Significant Natural Communities. Information on listed species is collected and compiled by the Natural Diversity Data Base (NDDB) from a number of data sources. Exact locations of species have been buffered to produce the general locations. Exact locations of species and communities occur somewhere in the shaded areas, not necessarily in the center. A new mapping format is being employed that more accurately models important riparian and aquatic areas and eliminates the need for the upstream/downstream searches required in previous versions.

This map is intended for use as a preliminary screening tool for conducting a Natural Diversity Data Base Review Request. To use the map, locate the project boundaries and any additional affected areas. If the project is within a shaded area there may be a potential conflict with a listed species. For more information, complete a Request for Natural Diversity Data Base State Listed Species Review form (DEP-APP-007), and submit it to the NDDB along with the required maps and information. More detailed instructions are provided with the request form on our website.

www.ct.gov/deep/nddbrequest

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