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RE: **DOCKET NO. 475** - Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility located adjacent to the maintenance building at the Skungamaug Golf Course, south of Folly Lane, at Coventry Tax Assessor's Map 006, Block 0026, Lot 0101, Coventry, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Baldwin:

The current decision deadline for the above-mentioned docket is December 17, 2017. Due to the volume and complexity of the Connecticut Siting Council's (Council) current pending matters and the fact that the second energy/telecommunications meeting in November would have fallen on Thanksgiving, the Council will need additional time to render a final decision.

Connecticut General Statutes §16-50p(a) states, in part, "The Council's decision shall be rendered... Not later than one hundred eighty days after the filing of an application... provided the Council may extend such period by not more than one hundred eighty days with the consent of the applicant."

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §16-50p(a), the Council hereby requests consent from the applicant for an extension of the decision deadline in Docket 475 until March 2, 2018. Please respond in writing by November 30, 2017.

The applicant's consent to the requested extension of time shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 150-day tower siting timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 49 of the FCC Declaratory Ruling issued on November 18, 2009 (FCC WT Docket No. 08-165).

We thank you in advance for your timely response to this matter.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

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c: Parties & Intervenors
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