

# STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

July 25, 2023

Kenneth C. Baldwin, Esq. Robinson & Cole LLP 280 Trumbull Street Hartford, CT 06103 kbaldwin@rc.com

RE: **DOCKET NO. 484** - Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility at one of three locations at 72 Ragged Hill Road, Pomfret, Connecticut.

### Dear Attorney Baldwin:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your correspondence dated July 25, 2023, regarding the withdrawal and surrender of the above-referenced Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need (Certificate). Pursuant to Condition No. 16 of the Decision and Order dated November 8, 2018, the Council hereby acknowledges the withdrawal and surrender of the Certificate.

The Council declares this matter to no longer be pending before this agency. Please note that if Cellco Partnership decides to pursue the 72 Ragged Hill Road site in the future that such a request will need to be submitted as a new application that must follow the applicable statutory and regulatory requirements for a new application for a Certificate.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Council's office.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

#### MAB/RDM/laf

c: Council Members
Service List, dated July 10, 2018
The Honorable Maureen A. Nicholson, First Selectperson, Town of Pomfret
(Maureen.Nicholson@pomfretct.gov)

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Re: Docket No. 484 – Application of Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Construction, Maintenance and Operation of a Wireless Telecommunications Facility Located at 72 Ragged Hill Road, Pomfret, Connecticut

Notice of Surrender of the Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need ("Certificate")

Dear Ms. Bachman:

Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("Cellco") received Siting Council ("Council") approval for the above-referenced telecommunications facility in November of 2018. Cellco has received several extensions to the deadline for construction and activation of this facility. With these extensions, the Docket No. 484 Certificate is due to expire on November 9, 2023.

Due to recent changes in project development budgets and tower development priorities, Cellco will not proceed with the construction of the approved Pomfret Center facility and hereby surrenders the Docket No. 484 Certificate.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Kenneth C. Baldwin

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Maureen A Nicholson, First Selectwoman Tim Parks