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March 13, 2017

Burton C. Cohen, Esq. Murtha Cullina LLP One Century Tower 265 Church Street New Haven, CT 06510

RE: **EM-T-MOBILE-025-170228** - T-Mobile notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 1119 Summit Road, Cheshire, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney. Cohen:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the Town of Cheshire's request for an extension of time to submit comments on the above-referenced request for an exempt modification submitted by T-Mobile. The current deadline for comments is March 15, 2017.

The Council hereby grants the Town of Cheshire's request for an extension of time to submit comments on the above-referenced request for an exempt modification to April 14, 2017.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

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Enclosure

cc: Denise Sabo, Northeast Site Solutions

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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

Attorney Melanie Bachman
Staff Attorney/Acting Executive Director
Connecticut Siting Council
Ten Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

Re:

EM-T-Mobile-025-170228 – T-Mobile of Notice of Intent to Modify an Existing Telecommunications Facility Located at 1119 Summit Road, Cheshire, Connecticut

Dear Attorney Bachman:

Our firm represents the Town of Cheshire in various matters, including proceedings involving the Connecticut Siting Council (the "Council"). The Town is in receipt of your letter, dated March 1, 2017, directed to Robert Oris, Jr. in his capacity as Chairman of the Cheshire Town Council, concerning the above referenced submission by T-Mobile claiming that its modifications to the telecommunications facility located at 1119 Summit Road qualify as an exempt modification under the Council's regulations. Based on the records of the Town, the chief elected official did not receive or was not provided with written notification from T-Mobile of its proposed modifications as required under R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-73. But for your March 1, 2017, letter, the Town would not have been aware of the proposed modifications or T-Mobile's contention that such modifications constituted an exempt modification.

In order to allow the Town sufficient time to evaluate T-Mobile's submission, the Town respectfully requests that the Council allow the Town to provide its written comments by April 14, 2017.

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Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned if you have questions regarding this letter. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

Burton B. Cohen

Attorney for Town of Cheshire



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March 1, 2017

The Honorable Robert Oris, Jr. Chairman Town of Cheshire Town Hall 84 South Main Street Cheshire, CT 06410

RE:

EM-T-MOBILE-025-170228 - T-Mobile notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 1119 Summit Road, Chesire, Connecticut.

Dear Chairman Oris:

Pursuant to the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-72, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of a request to modify an existing telecommunications facility located in the Town of Cheshire.

In accordance with Section 16-50j-73 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, on February 24, 2017, written notice of the intent to modify the existing telecommunications facility was provided to the Council, the property owner of record and the chief elected official of the municipality in which the existing telecommunications facility is located.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding the above-referenced request, please feel free to call me at 860-827-2951 or submit written comments to the Council by March 15, 2017.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman **Executive Director**

MB/RDM/bm

c: Michael A. Milone, Town Manager, Town of Cheshire William S. Voelker, AICP, Town Planner, Town of Cheshire



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