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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

September 22, 2021

Ryan Clark Real Estate Consultant Centerline Communications 750 West Center Street, Suite 301 West Bridgewater, MA 02379 rclark@clinellc.com

RE: **TS-T-MOBILE-032-210831** - T-Mobile request for an order to approve tower sharing at an existing telecommunications facility located at 138 Main Street, Coventry, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Clark:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received the tower share request for the above-referenced facility on August 31, 2021.

According to Section 16-50j-90 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies (RCSA), "no tower share application shall be approved until a complete application containing all information deemed relevant by the Council has been filed. Relevant information shall at a minimum include that listed in Section 16-50j-89 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies..."

Staff has reviewed this tower share request for completeness and has identified a deficiency in the Mount Analysis (MA) provided with the request. The MA prepared by Centerline Communications and dated August 26, 2021, does not include a percentage (%) stress capacity for the antenna mount, therefore, it is unclear whether the proposed antenna mount is capable of supporting the proposed equipment.

In addition, the Structural Analysis (SA) prepared by Centerline Communications and provided with the request is not dated or stamped and signed by a Professional Engineer licensed in the State of Connecticut.

Therefore, the tower share request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Centerline Communications provide a mount analysis that indicates the % stress capacity of the mount and a SA that is dated and stamped and signed by a Professional Engineer licensed in the State of Connecticut, on or before October 22, 2021. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to October 22, 2021. Please provide an electronic version and one hard copy of the requested information for the incomplete tower share request to be rendered complete and processed. Please include the Council's tower share identification number referenced above with the submittal

This notice of incompletion shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 60-day timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 217 of the FCC Wireless Infrastructure Report and Order issued on October 21, 2014 (FCC 14-153).

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 860-827-2951.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman Executive Director

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