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**VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

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Jack Andrews  
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RE: **EM-AT&T-052-220804** – AT&T notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 199 Town Farm Road, Farmington, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Andrews:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on August 4, 2022.

According to Section 16-50j-71 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "...any modification, as defined in Section 16-50j-2a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, to an existing tower site, except as specified in Sections 16-50j-72 and 16-50j-88 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, may have a substantial adverse environmental effect."

Staff has reviewed this exempt modification request for completeness and has identified a deficiency in the Structural Analysis Report and RF Analysis Report provided with the filing. The Structural Analysis Report and RF Analysis Report provided in the exempt modification request are dated March 17 and June 17, 2022, respectively. The Council received a tower share request from T-Mobile for the same facility on June 21, 2022 and approved such request on July 22, 2022. The above-referenced request for exempt modification does not include T-Mobile's approved equipment. Please see T-Mobile's tower share filing for this facility, which may be found on the Council's website under the Decisions page in Farmington under the filing number TS-T-MOBILE-052-220621.

In addition, the submitted Site Plans in the exempt modification request depict the proposed antennas in an area of faux branches and extending beyond the existing branch pattern of the monopine. There are no notations on the Site Plans regarding how the antennas will be concealed within the existing branch pattern or notes specifying what branches are to be removed/and or replaced. This information is required to ensure the proposed installation complies with Condition No. 1 of the Council's Decision and Order in Docket No. 374.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that AT&T provide an updated Structural Analysis Report and RF Analysis Report for the facility that includes AT&T's proposed equipment and approved equipment by T-Mobile and other entities that are located at this facility and revised Site Plans that detail how the proposed antenna installation will be

concealed within the faux branch pattern of the monopine on or before September 26, 2022. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to September 26, 2022. **Please provide an electronic version and one hard copy of the requested information for the incomplete exempt modification to be rendered complete and processed. Please include the Council's exempt modification identification number referenced above with the submittal.**

This notice of incompleteness 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,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Melanie Bachman". The signature is fluid and cursive, written over a light blue horizontal line.

Melanie Bachman  
Executive Director

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