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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

November 30, 2022

Evan Renwick
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RE: **EM-AT&T-077-221115** – AT&T notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 63 Elm Street, Manchester, Connecticut.

Dear Evan Renwick:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on November 15, 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 the following deficiencies:

- a) The Structural Analysis dated May 13, 2022 does not include a reference to the 2022 Connecticut State Building Code (CSBC), also, it does not provide a listing of existing and proposed equipment on the facility or a percent loading on the structure; therefore, it is unclear if the required structural analysis testing was conducted; and
- b) The Mount Analysis dated May 2, 2022 and the construction drawings dated March 31, 2022 cite the 2015 International Building Code (IBC) and 2018 CSBC; however, the State of Connecticut has adopted the 2022 CSBC effective October 1, 2022 (which incorporates the 2021 IBC).

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that AT&T provide an updated Mount Analysis, Structural Analysis and construction drawings that comport with the current 2022 CSBC/2021 IBC on or before January 3, 2023. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to January 3, 2023. **Please provide an electronic version 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, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director