

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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September 19, 2012

Rick Woods
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RE: **EM-SPRINT-097-120817** – Sprint Spectrum notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 151 Berkshire Road, Newtown, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Woods:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) hereby acknowledges your notice to modify this existing telecommunications facility, pursuant to Section 16-50j-73 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies with the following conditions:

- The coax lines and accessory equipment be installed in accordance with the recommendations made in the Structural Analysis Report prepared by FDH Engineering dated May 8, 2012 and stamped by Christopher Murphy;
- Following the installation of the proposed equipment, Sprint shall provide documentation certifying that the installation complied with the engineer's recommendation;
- Any deviation from the proposed modification as specified in this notice and supporting materials with Council shall render this acknowledgement invalid;
- Any material changes to this modification as proposed shall require the filing of a new notice with the Council;
- Not less than 45 days after completion of construction, the Council shall be notified in writing that construction has been completed;
- The validity of this action shall expire one year from the date of this letter; and
- The applicant may file a request for an extension of time beyond the one year deadline provided that such request is submitted to the Council not less than 60 days prior to the expiration;

The proposed modifications including the placement of all necessary equipment and shelters within the tower compound are to be implemented as specified here and in your notice dated August 16, 2012. The modifications are in compliance with the exception criteria in Section 16-50j-72 (b) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies as changes to an existing facility site that would not increase tower height, extend the boundaries of the tower site, increase noise levels at the tower site boundary by six decibels, and increase the total radio frequencies electromagnetic radiation power density measured at the tower site boundary to or above the standard adopted by the State Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to General Statutes § 22a-162. This facility has also been carefully modeled to ensure that radio frequency emissions are conservatively below State and federal standards applicable to the frequencies now used on this tower.

This decision is under the exclusive jurisdiction of the Council. Please be advised that the validity of this action shall expire one year from the date of this letter. Any additional change to this facility will require explicit notice to this agency pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-73. Such notice shall include all relevant information regarding the proposed change with cumulative worst-case modeling of radio frequency exposure at the closest point of uncontrolled access to the tower base, consistent with Federal Communications Commission, Office of Engineering and Technology, Bulletin 65. Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,



Linda Roberts
Executive Director

LR/CDM/jbw

c: The Honorable Patricia E. Llodra, First Selectman, Town of Newtown
Gary Frenette, Ms. Cathy Mockton, Zoning Enforcement Officers, Town of Newtown
Sean Gormley, SBA



August 23, 2012

David Martin and
Members of the Siting Council
Connecticut Siting Council
Ten Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

RE: Notice of Exempt Modification
151 Berkshire Road
Newtown, CT 06470
Site # CT54XC770
N 41 ° 23' 50.55"
W 73 ° 14' 09.85"

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Dear Mr. Martin and Members of the Siting Council:

Pursuant to the exempt modification previously submitted for the above mentioned site I would like to add the following information:

1. The proposed changes will not increase the noise level at the existing facility by six decibels or more.

Thank you,

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RE: 8 Exempt Modification Packages

Dear Mr. Martin:

On behalf of Sprint Spectrum, SBA Communications is submitting 8 exempt modification applications to the Connecticut Siting council for the sites listed below. In each application package you will find five (5) copies of a passing Structural Analysis, five (5) EME studies, five (5) sets of drawings, and a check in the amount of \$625.

CT33XC604-297 North St. Plymouth, CT
CT03XC068-331 Killingworth Road Guilford, CT
CT33XC521-11 Francis J. Clarke Circle Bethel, CT
CT54XC770-151 Berkshire Road Newtown, CT
CT43XC865-39 Ciro Road North Branford, CT
CT43XC809-500 Highland Ave. Cheshire, CT
CT03XC033-108 Foxon Road North Branford, CT
CT54XC717-459 Burr Road Southbury, CT

Please let me know if you require any additional materials in order to process these applications.

Thank you,

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August 16, 2012

Honorable E. Patricia Llodra
First Selectman
Town of Newtown
3 Primrose Street
Newtown, CT 06470

RE: Telecommunications Facility-151 Berkshire Road Newtown, CT 06470

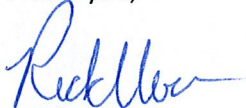
Dear Ms. Llodra,

In order to accommodate technological changes and enhance system performance in the State of Connecticut, Sprint Spectrum will be changing its equipment configuration at certain cell sites.

As required by Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies (R.C.S.A.) Section 16-50j-73, the Connecticut Siting Council has been notified of the changes and will review Sprint's proposal. Please accept this letter as notification under Section 16-50j-73 of construction which constitutes an exempt modification pursuant to R.C.S.A. Section 16-50j-72(b)(2).

The accompanying letter to the Siting Council fully describes Sprint's proposal for the referenced cell site. However, if you have any questions or require any further information on our plans or the Siting Council's procedures, please call me at (508) 614-0389.

Thank you,



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RE: Notice of Exempt Modification
151 Berkshire Road
Newtown, CT 06470
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W 73 ° 14' 09.85"

Dear Mr. Martin and Members of the Siting Council:

On behalf of Sprint Spectrum, SBA Communications is submitting an exempt modification application to the Connecticut Siting council for modification of existing equipment at a tower facility located at 151 Berkshire Road Newtown, CT.

The 151 Berkshire Road facility consists of a 149' Monopole Tower owned and operated by SBA Communications. In order to accommodate technological changes and enhance system performance in the State of Connecticut, Sprint Spectrum plans to modify the equipment configurations at many of its existing cell sites. Please accept this letter and attachments as notification, pursuant to R.C.S.A. Section 16-50j-73, of construction which constitutes an exempt modification pursuant to R.C.S.A. Section 16-50j-72(b)(2). In compliance with R.C.S.A. Section 16-50j-73, a copy of this letter and attachments is being sent to the chief elected official of the municipality in which the affected cell site is located.

As part of Sprint's Network Vision modification project, Sprint desires to upgrade their equipment to meet the new standards of 4G technology. The new antennas and associated equipment will allow customers to download files and browse the internet at a high rate of speed while also allowing their phones to be compatible with the latest 4G technology.

Attached is a summary of the planned modifications, including power density calculations reflecting the change in Sprint's operations at the site. Also included is documentation of the structural sufficiency of the tower to accommodate the revised antenna and equipment configuration along with the required fee of \$625.

The changes to the facility do not constitute modifications as defined in Connecticut General Statutes ("C.G.S.") Section 16-50i(d) because the general physical characteristics of the facility will not be significantly changed or altered. Rather, the planned changes to the facility fall squarely within those activities explicitly provided for in R.C.S.A. Section 16-50j-72(b)(2).



1. The overall height of the structure will be unaffected.
2. The proposed changes will not extend the site boundaries. There will be no effect on the site compound other than the new equipment cabinets.
3. The changes in radio frequency power density will not increase the calculated "worst case" power density for the combined operations at the site to a level at or above the applicable standard for uncontrolled environments as calculated for a mixed frequency site.

For the foregoing reasons, SBA Communications on behalf of Sprint Spectrum, respectfully submits that he proposed changes at the referenced site constitute exempt modifications under R.C.S.A. Section 16-50j-72(b)(2).

Please feel free to cal me at (508) 614-0389 with any questions you may have concerning this matter.

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Sprint Spectrum Equipment Modification

151 Berkshire Road Newtown, CT
Site number CT54XC770

- Tower Owner:** SBA Communications Corporation
- Equipment Configuration:** Monopole Tower
- Current and/or approved:** Six (6) Decibel Antennas @ 109'
Six (6) lines of 1-1/4" coax
Two (2) equipment cabinets
- Planned Modifications:** Remove all existing antenna and coax
Install Three (3) Network Vision antennas & Six (6) RRHs @ 109'
Install Three (3) Filters
Install Four (4) RETs
Install One (1) Equipment Cabinet
Install Three (3) Hybriflex fiber cables
Install One (1) Fiber Distribution Box
Replace One (1) Equipment cabinet with One (1) new cabinet

Structural Information:

The attached structural analysis demonstrates that the tower and foundation will have adequate structural capacity to accommodate the proposed modifications.

Power Density:

Calculations for Sprint's proposed operations at the site indicate a radio frequency electromagnetic radiation power density, of approximately 28.980% of the standard adopted by the FCC. The total site composite MPE is 75.260% of the allowable FCC established general public limit sampled at the ground level.

Site Composite MPE %	
Carrier	MPE %
Sprint	28.980%
T-Mobile	10.900%
AT&T	14.030%
Verizon Wireless	19.750%
Town of Newtown	1.600%
Total Site MPE %	75.260%

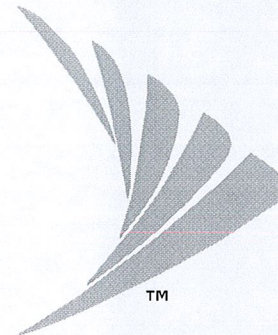
STRUCTURAL NOTE:

STRUCTURAL DESIGNS AND DETAILS FOR ANTENNA MOUNTS AND RRH MOUNTS COMPLETED BY HUDSON DESIGN GROUP LLC ON BEHALF OF ALCATEL-LUCENT ARE INCLUSIVE OF THE ENTIRE ANTENNA FRAME/PLATFORM/ANTENNA/RRH MOUNTS SECURED TO THE TOWER STRUCTURE.

STRUCTURAL NOTE:

G.C. TO REFER TO SPECIAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS AND/OR MODIFICATIONS RECOMMENDED IN STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS REPORT PREPARED BY FDH ENGINEERING, INC. DATED: MAY 8, 2012

SBA SITE #: CT13057-A
SBA SITE NAME: NEWTOWN



NOTE:

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NEWTOWN EAST - DWYER

SITE ADDRESS:

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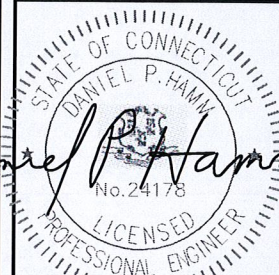
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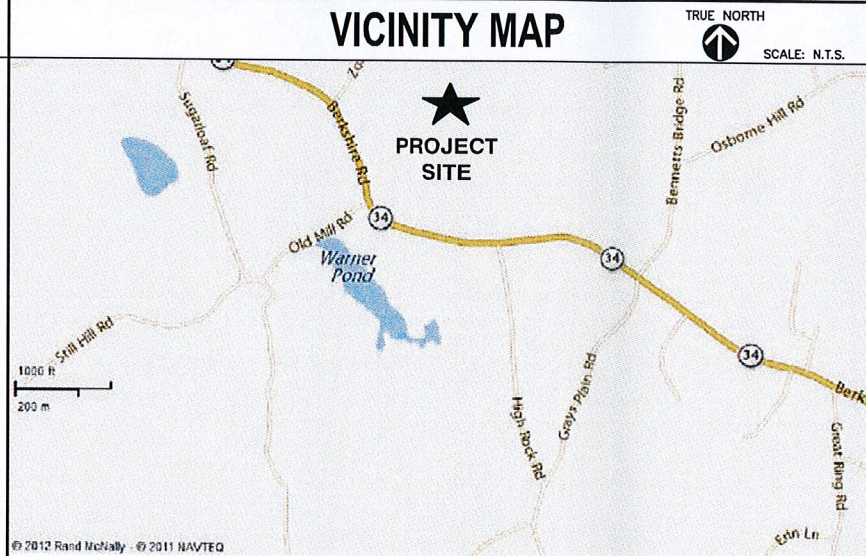


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SITE INFORMATION

SITE NUMBER:	CT54XC770	LOCAL POWER COMPANY:	NORTHEAST UTILITIES SERVICE COMPANY
SITE NAME:	NEWTOWN EAST - DWYER	LOCAL TELCO COMPANY:	VERIZON
SITE ADDRESS:	151 BERKSHIRE ROAD NEWTOWN, CT 06470	APPLICANT:	SPRINT 1 INTERNATIONAL BLVD, SUITE 800 MAHWAH, NJ 07495
COUNTY:	FAIRFIELD	APPLICANT REPRESENTATIVE:	ALCATEL-LUCENT TODD AMANN 600 MOUNTAIN AVENUE MURRAY HILL, NJ 07974
ZONING:	R2 - RESIDENTIAL	SITE ACQUISITION CONSULTANT:	SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORP. ONE RESEARCH DRIVE SUITE 200C WESTBOROUGH, MA 01581
PARCEL ID:	50-9-16	A&E CONSULTANT:	HUDSON DESIGN GROUP LLC 1600 OSGOOD STREET BLDG 20 NORTH, SUITE 2-101 NORTH ANDOVER, MA 01845 TEL: (978) 557-5553 FAX: (978) 336-5586
COORDINATES(*):	N 41° 23' 50.55" W 73° 14' 09.85"	(**) NOTE: NETWORK VISION ANTENNA RADIATION CENTERLINE AGL (FEET) BASED ON SBA EQUIPMENT DATABASE AND SBA TOWER STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS AND WILL SUPERSEDE ANY CONFLICTING INFORMATION DERIVED FROM ALU/SPRINT DATABASE.	
GROUND ELEV. (*):	600± (AMSL)		
STRUCTURE TYPE:	MONOPOLE		
STRUCTURE HEIGHT:	149± (AGL)		
ANTENNA RAD CENTER (**):	109.0± (AGL)		
PROPERTY OWNER:	KEVIN & KELLY FRIEDMAN 151 BERKSHIRE ROAD SANDY HOOK, CT 06482		
STRUCTURE OWNER:	SBA INFRASTRUCTURE, LLC 5900 BROKEN SOUND PKWY BOCA RATON, FL 33487		

VICINITY MAP



DIRECTIONS FROM 1 INTERNATIONAL BLVD, MAHWAH, NJ 07495:
START OUT GOING WEST ON INTERNATIONAL BLVD TOWARD CHURCHILL RD. TAKE THE 3RD RIGHT ONTO LEISURE LN. MERGE ONTO RT-17 N/STATE HIGHWAY 17. RT-17 N/STATE HIGHWAY 17 BECOMES I-287 N/RT-17 N. MERGE ONTO I-87 S/NEW YORK STATE THRUWAY S TOWARD TAPPAN ZEE BR/NEW YORK CITY (PORTIONS TOLL). TAKE EXIT 8A TOWARD RT-119/SAW MILL PKWY NORTH/ELMSFORD. MERGE ONTO SAW MILL PKY N/SAW MILL RIVER PKY N VIA THE RAMP ON THE LEFT TOWARD KATONAH. MERGE ONTO I-684 N VIA THE EXIT ON THE LEFT TOWARD BREWSTER. MERGE ONTO I-84 E VIA EXIT 9E TOWARD DANBURY. TAKE EXIT 11 TOWARD CT-34/DERBY/NEW HAVEN. TURN RIGHT ONTO MILE HILL RD/WASSERMAN WAY. TURN RIGHT ONTO CT-34/BERKSHIRE RD. SITE WILL BE ON THE LEFT.

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E-1	TYPICAL POWER & GROUNDING ONE LINE DIAGRAM

APPROVALS

THE FOLLOWING PARTIES HEREBY APPROVE AND ACCEPT THESE DOCUMENTS AND AUTHORIZE THE CONTRACTOR TO PROCEED WITH THE CONSTRUCTION DESCRIBED HEREIN. ALL DOCUMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO REVIEW BY THE LOCAL BUILDING DEPARTMENT AND MAY IMPOSE CHANGES OR MODIFICATIONS.

CONSTRUCTION: _____ DATE: _____

LEASING/ SITE ACQUISITION: _____ DATE: _____

RF ENGINEER: _____ DATE: _____

LANDLORD/ PROPERTY OWNER: _____ DATE: _____

APPROVED
By Bryan Bakis, P.E. for SBA Communications Corp. at 10:10 am, Jul 31, 2012

GENERAL NOTES

- THIS IS AN UNMANNED TELECOMMUNICATION FACILITY AND NOT FOR HUMAN HABITATION:
-HANDICAPPED ACCESS NOT REQUIRED
- POTABLE WATER OR SANITARY SERVICE IS NOT REQUIRED
- NO OUTDOOR STORAGE OR ANY SOLID WASTE RECEPTACLES REQUIRED
- CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ALL PLANS, EXISTING DIMENSIONS, AND CONDITIONS ON JOB SITE. CONTRACTOR SHALL IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER IN WRITING OF ANY DISCREPANCIES BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH THE WORK. FAILURE TO NOTIFY THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER PLACE THE RESPONSIBILITY ON THE CONTRACTOR TO CORRECT THE DISCREPANCIES AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.
- DEVELOPMENT AND USE OF THE SITE WILL CONFORM TO ALL APPLICABLE CODES AND ORDINANCES. BUILDING CODE: 2003 IBC WITH 2005 CT SUPPLEMENT & 2009 CT AMENDMENT ELECTRICAL CODE: 2005 NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE STRUCTURAL CODE: TIA/EIA-222-F STRUCTURAL STANDARDS FOR ANTENNA SUPPORTING STRUCTURES AND ANTENNAS

SCOPE OF WORK

- RETROFIT EXISTING BTS CABINET WITH RETRO FIT KIT & INSTALL FIBER DISTRIBUTION BOX WITHIN EXISTING LEASE AREA. EXISTING BATTERY CABINET TO BE REPLACE WITH (2) BBU CABINETS.
 - REMOVE (6) EXISTING CDMA ANTENNAS AND REPLACE WITH (3) NETWORK VISION ANTENNAS & (6) RRH'S.
 - REMOVE EXISTING CDMA COAX CABLES & INSTALL (3) HYBRIFLEX CABLES FROM EQUIPMENT CABINET TO ANTENNA
 - REMOVE EXISTING GPS ANTENNA AND REPLACE WITH NEW GPS ANTENNA
- CALL BEFORE YOU DIG
1-800-922-4455 OR DIAL 811
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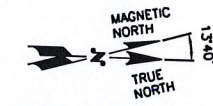
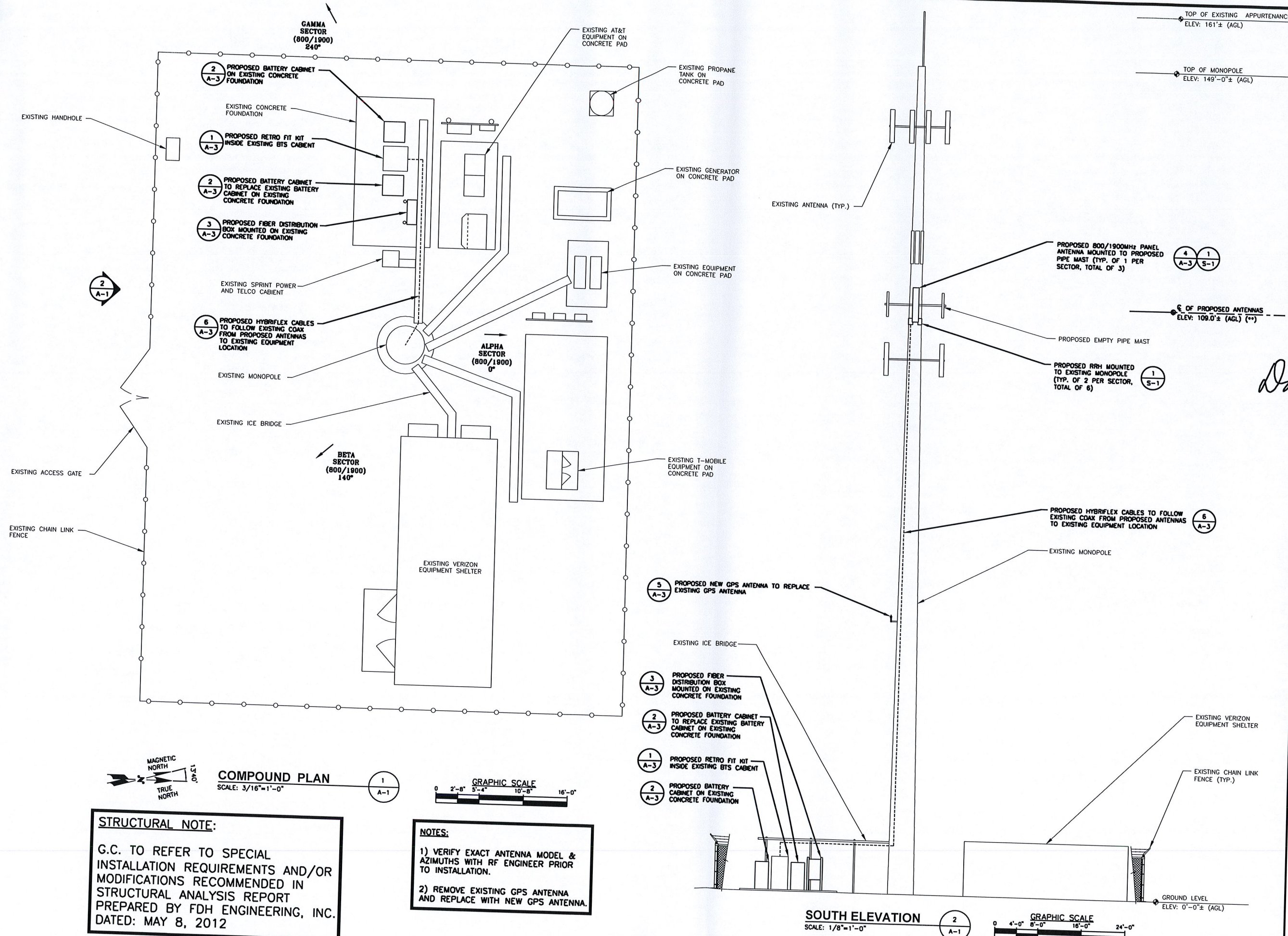
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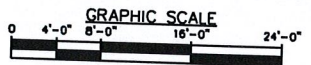
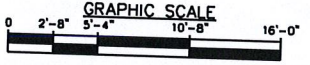
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TITLE SHEET

SHEET NUMBER
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COMPOUND PLAN
SCALE: 3/16"=1'-0"



SOUTH ELEVATION
SCALE: 1/8"=1'-0"

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NOTES:
1) VERIFY EXACT ANTENNA MODEL & AZIMUTHS WITH RF ENGINEER PRIOR TO INSTALLATION.
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SHEET NUMBER
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FDH Engineering, Inc., 6521 Meridien Drive Raleigh, NC 27616, Ph. 919.755.1012

**Structural Analysis for
SBA Network Services, Inc.**

149' Monopole Tower

**SBA Site Name: Newtown
SBA Site ID: CT13057-A
Sprint Site ID: CT54XC770
Sprint Site Name: Newtown East/Dwyer**

FDH Project Number 12-04786E S1

Analysis Results

Tower Components	90.2%	Sufficient
Foundation	63.5%	Sufficient

Prepared By:

Daniel Chang, EI
Project Engineer

Reviewed By:

Christopher M Murphy, PE
President
CT PE License No. 25842

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May 8, 2012

Prepared pursuant to TIA/EIA-222-F Structural Standards for Steel Antenna Towers and Antenna Supporting Structures and the 2005 Connecticut Building Code

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

At the request of SBA Network Services, Inc., FDH Engineering, Inc. performed a structural analysis of the monopole located in Newtown, CT to determine whether the tower is structurally adequate to support both the existing and proposed loads pursuant to the *Structural Standards for Steel Antenna Towers and Antenna Supporting Structures, TIA/EIA-222-F* and the *2005 Connecticut Building Code*. Information pertaining to the existing/proposed antenna loading, current tower geometry, foundation dimensions, and member sizes was obtained from:

- Sabre Communications Corp. (Job No. 06-07285) Structural Design Report dated July 28, 2005
- Paul J. Ford & Company (Job No. 29203-0081) Foundation Drawing dated April 28, 2003
- FDH, Inc. (Job No. 08-07122T) TIA Inspection Report dated September 10, 2008
- SBA Network Services, Inc.

The *basic design wind speed* per the *TIA/EIA-222-F* standards and the *2005 Connecticut Building Code* is 85 mph without ice and 38 mph with 3/4" radial ice. Ice is considered to increase in thickness with height.

Conclusions

With the existing and proposed antennas from Sprint in place at 109 ft, the tower meets the requirements of the *TIA/EIA-222-F* standards and the *2005 Connecticut Building Code* provided the **Recommendations** listed below are satisfied. Furthermore, provided the foundation was designed and constructed to support the original design reactions (see Paul J. Ford Job No. 29203-0081), the foundation should have the necessary capacity to support the existing and proposed loading. For a more detailed description of the analysis of the tower, see the **Results** section of this report.

Our structural analysis has been performed assuming all information provided to FDH Engineering, Inc. is accurate (i.e., the steel data, tower layout, existing antenna loading, and proposed antenna loading) and that the tower has been properly erected and maintained per the original design drawings.

Recommendations

To ensure the requirements of the *TIA/EIA-222-F* standards and the *2005 Connecticut Building Code* are met with the existing and proposed loading in place, we have the following recommendations:

1. The proposed coax should be installed inside the pole's shaft.
2. RRU/RRH Stipulation: The equipment may be installed in any arrangement as determined by the client.

APPURTENANCE LISTING

The proposed and existing antennas with their corresponding cables/coax lines are shown in **Table 1**. If the actual layout determined in the field deviates from the layout, FDH Engineering, Inc. should be contacted to perform a revised analysis.

Table 1 - Appurtenance Loading

Existing Loading:

Antenna Elevation (ft)	Description	Coax and Lines	Carrier	Mount Elevation (ft)	Mount Type
153	(1) Decibel - TDD6492A-A Dipole	(2) 7/8	Town of Newtown	149	(1) 2' Standoff
147	(1) Telewave ANT150D				
137.5	(3) Antel BXA-171063-8BF w/ Mount Pipe (3) Swedcom SLCP 2X6014 w/ Mount Pipe (6) Swedcom SC-E 6014 Rev 2 w/ Mount Pipe (6) RFS FD9R6004/2C-3L Dplxers	(12) 1 5/8	Verizon	137.5	(1) 13' Low Profile Platform
118.5	(3) Powerwave 7770.00 w/ Mount Pipe (3) Powerwave P65-16 w/ Mount Pipe (6) Powerwave LGP21401 TMAs (6) Ericsson RRUS-11 RRUs (1) Raycap DC6-48-60-18-8F Surge Arrestor	(6) 1 5/8 (1) 3/8 (2) 5/8	AT&T	118.5	(1) Low Profile Platform
109	(6) Decibel DB980F90E-M w/ Mount Pipe	(6) 1 1/4	Sprint	109	(3) T-Arms w/ Working Platforms
99.5	(6) EMS RR65-18-02DPL2 w/ Mount Pipe (6) Remec 520057A1 TMAs	(12) 1 1/4	T-Mobile	99.5	(1) 14' Low Profile Platform
50.5	(1) Decibel 260B GPS	(1) 1/2	Sprint	50.5	(1) 3' Standoff

Proposed Loading:

Antenna Elevation (ft)	Description	Coax and Lines	Carrier	Mount Elevation (ft)	Mount Type
109	(3) RFS APXVSP18-C-A20 w/ Mount Pipe (3) Alcatel Lucent 1900 MHz RRHs (3) Alcatel Lucent 800 MHz RRHs (3) Alcatel Lucent 800 MHz Filters (4) RFS ACU-A20-N RETs	(3) 1 1/4	Sprint	109	(3) T-Arms w/ Working Platforms

RESULTS

The following yield strength of steel for individual members was used for analysis:

Table 2 - Material Strength

Member Type	Yield Strength
Tower Shaft Sections	65 ksi
Flange Plate	60 ksi
Flange Bolts	Fu = 120 ksi
Base Plate	60 ksi
Anchor Bolts	75 ksi

Table 3 displays the summary of the ratio (as a percentage) of force in the member to their capacities. Values greater than 100% indicate locations where the maximum force in the member exceeds its capacity. **Table 4** displays the maximum foundation reactions.

If the assumptions outlined in this report differ from actual field conditions, FDH Engineering, Inc. should be contacted to perform a revised analysis. Furthermore, as no information pertaining to the allowable twist and sway requirements for the existing or proposed appurtenances was provided, deflection and rotation were not taken into consideration when performing this analysis.

See the **Appendix** for detailed modeling information

Table 3 - Summary of Working Percentage of Structural Components

Section No.	Elevation ft	Component Type	Size	% Capacity*	Pass Fail
L1	149 - 139	Pole	TP19.85x17.5x0.1875	2.4	Pass
	139	Flange Bolts	(8) 1" Ø w/ BC = 22.75"	3.2	Pass
	139	Flange Plate	27" Ø x 0.75" thk.	5.5	Pass
L2	139 - 129	Pole	TP22.2x19.85x0.1875	15.7	Pass
	129	Flange Bolts	(8) 1" Ø w/ BC = 25.25"	23.7	Pass
	129	Flange Plate	29.5" Ø x 0.75" thk.	41.6	Pass
L3	129 - 97.75	Pole	TP29.54x22.2x0.1875	61.2	Pass
L4	97.75 - 48	Pole	TP40.86x28.2842x0.3125	74.2	Pass
L5	48 - 0	Pole	TP51.51x39.0009x0.3125	90.2	Pass
		Anchor Bolts	(12) 2.25" Ø w/ BC = 58"	83.0	Pass
		Base Plate	56" SQ. x 2.75" thk.	66.7	Pass

* Capacities include 1/3 allowable stress increase for wind per TIA/EIA-222-F.

Table 4 - Maximum Base Reactions

Base Reactions	Current Analysis (TIA/EIA-222-F)	Original Design (TIA/EIA-222-F)
Axial	29 k	38 k
Shear	24 k	35 k
Moment	2,381 k-ft	3,750 k-ft

GENERAL COMMENTS

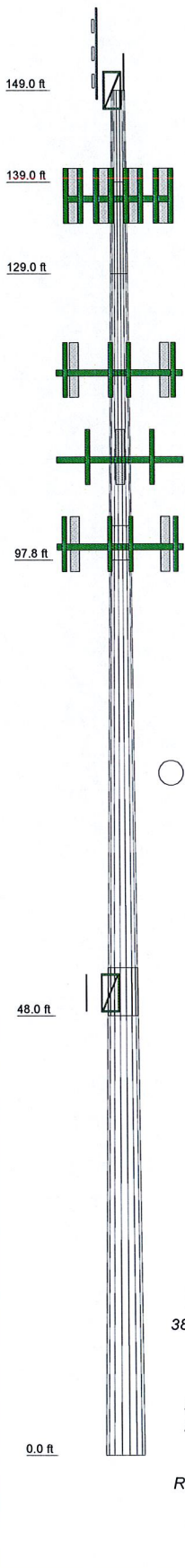
This engineering analysis is based upon the theoretical capacity of the structure. It is not a condition assessment of the tower and its foundation. It is the responsibility of SBA Network Services, Inc. to verify that the tower modeled and analyzed is the correct structure (with accurate antenna loading information) modeled. If there are substantial modifications to be made or the assumptions made in this analysis are not accurate, FDH Engineering, Inc. should be notified immediately to perform a revised analysis.

LIMITATIONS

All opinions and conclusions are considered accurate to a reasonable degree of engineering certainty based upon the evidence available at the time of this report. All opinions and conclusions are subject to revision based upon receipt of new or additional/updated information. All services are provided exercising a level of care and diligence equivalent to the standard and care of our profession. No other warranty or guarantee, expressed or implied, is offered. Our services are confidential in nature and we will not release this report to any other party without the client's consent. The use of this engineering work is limited to the express purpose for which it was commissioned and it may not be reused, copied, or distributed for any other purpose without the written consent of FDH Engineering, Inc.

APPENDIX

Section	1	2	3	4	5	16.7
Length (ft)	10.00	10.00	31.25	53.50	53.25	
Number of Sides	18	18	18	18	18	
Thickness (in)	0.1875	0.1875	0.1875	0.3125	0.3125	
Socket Length (ft)			3.75	5.25	39.0009	
Top Dia (in)	17.5000	19.8500	22.2000	28.2842	51.5100	
Bot Dia (in)	19.8500	22.2000	29.5400	40.8600		
Grade						A572-65
Weight (K)	0.4	0.4	1.6	6.2	8.1	



DESIGNED APPURTENANCE LOADING

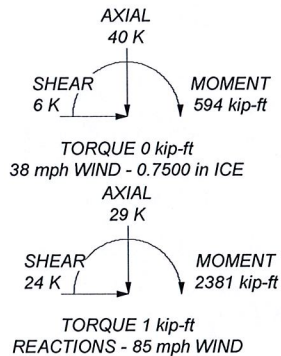
TYPE	ELEVATION	TYPE	ELEVATION
Lightning Rod	149	APXVSP18-C-A20 w/Mount Pipe	109
6"x2.38" Pipe Mount	149	APXVSP18-C-A20 w/Mount Pipe	109
ANT150D	149	APXVSP18-C-A20 w/Mount Pipe	109
Decibel - TDD6492A-A Dipole	149	1900 MHz RRH	109
2' Standoff	149	1900 MHz RRH	109
13' Low Profile Platform	137.5	1900 MHz RRH	109
Antel BXA-171063-8BF w/ Mount Pipe	137.5	800 MHz RRH	109
Antel BXA-171063-8BF w/ Mount Pipe	137.5	800 MHz RRH	109
Antel BXA-171063-8BF w/ Mount Pipe	137.5	800 MHz RRH	109
Antel BXA-171063-8BF w/ Mount Pipe	137.5	800 MHz RRH	109
SLCP 2X6014 w/Mount Pipe	137.5	800 MHz Filter	109
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(2) SC-E 6014 Rev 2 w/ Mount Pipe	137.5	(2) ACU-A20-N RET	109
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(2) FD9R6004/2C-3L Diplexer	137.5	(3) T-Arms w/ Working Platforms	109
(2) FD9R6004/2C-3L Diplexer	137.5	(2) Empty Mount Pipe	109
(2) FD9R6004/2C-3L Diplexer	137.5	(2) Empty Mount Pipe	109
7770.00 w/Mount Pipe	118.5	(2) Empty Mount Pipe	109
7770.00 w/Mount Pipe	118.5	(2) RR65-18-02DPL2 w/Mount Pipe	99.5
7770.00 w/Mount Pipe	118.5	(2) RR65-18-02DPL2 w/Mount Pipe	99.5
P65-16 w/Mount Pipe	118.5	(2) RR65-18-02DPL2 w/Mount Pipe	99.5
P65-16 w/Mount Pipe	118.5	(2) Remec - 520057A1	99.5
P65-16 w/Mount Pipe	118.5	(2) Remec - 520057A1	99.5
(2) LGP21401	118.5	(2) Remec - 520057A1	99.5
(2) LGP21401	118.5	14' Low Profile Platform	99.5
(2) LGP21401	118.5	(2) Empty Mount Pipe	99.5
(2) RRUS-11	118.5	(2) Empty Mount Pipe	99.5
(2) RRUS-11	118.5	(2) Empty Mount Pipe	99.5
(2) RRUS-11	118.5	Decibel 260B GPS	50.5
DC6-48-60-18-8F Surge Arrestor	118.5	3' Standoff	50.5
Low Profile Platform	118.5		

MATERIAL STRENGTH

GRADE	Fy	Fu	GRADE	Fy	Fu
A572-65	65 ksi	80 ksi			

TOWER DESIGN NOTES

- Tower is located in Fairfield County, Connecticut.
- Tower designed for a 85 mph basic wind in accordance with the TIA/EIA-222-F Standard.
- Tower is also designed for a 38 mph basic wind with 0.75 in ice. Ice is considered to increase in thickness with height.
- Deflections are based upon a 50 mph wind.
- TOWER RATING: 90.2%



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RADIO FREQUENCY EMISSIONS ANALYSIS REPORT
EVALUATION OF HUMAN EXPOSURE POTENTIAL
TO NON-IONIZING EMISSIONS

Sprint Existing Facility

Site ID: CT54XC770

Newtown East - Dwyer
151 Berkshire Road
Newtown, CT 06482

August 08, 2012



August 8, 2012

Sprint

Attn: RF Engineering Manager
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Mahwah, NJ 07495

Re: Emissions Values for Site **CT54XC770 – Newtown East - Dwyer**

EBI Consulting was directed to analyze the proposed upgrades to the existing Sprint facility located at 151 Berkshire Road, Newtown, CT, for the purpose of determining whether the emissions from the proposed Sprint equipment upgrades on this property are within specified federal limits.

All information used in this report was analyzed as a percentage of current Maximum Permissible Exposure (% MPE) as listed in the FCC OET Bulletin 65 Edition 97-01 and ANSI/IEEE Std C95.1. The FCC regulates Maximum Permissible Exposure in units of microwatts per square centimeter ($\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$). The number of $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$ calculated at each sample point is called the power density. The exposure limit for power density varies depending upon the frequencies being utilized. Wireless Carriers and Paging Services use different frequency bands each with different exposure limits, therefore it is necessary to report results and limits in terms of percent MPE rather than power density.

All results were compared to the FCC (Federal Communications Commission) radio frequency exposure rules, 47 CFR 1.1307(b)(1) – (b)(3), to determine compliance with the Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) limits for General Population/Uncontrolled environments as defined below.

General population/uncontrolled exposure limits apply to situations in which the general public may be exposed or in which persons who are exposed as a consequence of their employment may not be made fully aware of the potential for exposure or cannot exercise control over their exposure. Therefore, members of the general public would always be considered under this category when exposure is not employment related, for example, in the case of a telecommunications tower that exposes persons in a nearby residential area.

Public exposure to radio frequencies is regulated and enforced in units of microwatts per square centimeter ($\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$). The general population exposure limit for the cellular band is approximately $567 \mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$, and the general population exposure limit for the PCS band is $1000 \mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$. Because each carrier will be using different frequency bands, and each frequency band has different exposure limits, it is necessary to report percent of MPE rather than power density.

Occupational/controlled exposure limits apply to situations in which persons are exposed as a consequence of their employment and in which those persons who are exposed have been made fully aware of the potential for exposure and can exercise control over their exposure. Occupational/controlled exposure limits also apply where exposure is of a transient nature as a result of incidental passage through a location where exposure levels may be above general population/uncontrolled limits (see below), as long as the exposed person has been made fully aware of the potential for exposure and can exercise control over his or her exposure by leaving the area or by some other appropriate means.

Additional details can be found in FCC OET 65.

CALCULATIONS

Calculations were done for the proposed upgrades to the existing Sprint Wireless antenna facility located at 151 Berkshire Road, Newtown, CT, using the equipment information listed below. All calculations were performed per the specifications under FCC OET 65. All calculations were performed assuming the main lobe of the antenna was focused at the base of the tower to present a worst case scenario. Actual values seen from this site will be dramatically less than those shown in this report. For this report the sample point is the top of a 6 foot person standing at the base of the tower.

For all calculations, all emissions were calculated using the following assumptions:

- 1) 3 CDMA Carriers (1900 MHz) were considered for each sector of the proposed installation.
- 2) 1 CDMA Carriers (850 MHz) were considered for each sector of the proposed installation
- 3) All radios at the proposed installation were considered to be running at full power and were uncombined in their RF transmissions paths per carrier prescribed configuration. Per FCC OET Bulletin No. 65 - Edition 97-01 recommendations to achieve the maximum anticipated value at each sample point, all power levels emitting from the proposed antenna installation are increased by a factor of 2.56 to account for possible in-phase reflections from the surrounding environment. This is rarely the case, and if so, is never continuous.
- 4) For the following calculations the sample point was the top of a six foot person standing at the base of the tower. The actual gain in this direction was used per the manufactures supplied specifications.
- 5) The antenna used in this modeling is the RFS APXVSP18-C-A20. This is based on feedback from the carrier with regards to anticipated antenna selection. This antenna has a 15.9 dBd gain value at its main lobe at 1900 MHz and 13.4 dBd at its main lobe for 850 MHz. All calculations were performed assuming the main lobe of the antenna was focused at the base of the tower to present a worst case scenario.



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- 6) The antenna mounting height centerline of the proposed antennas is **107.5 feet** above ground level (AGL)
- 7) Emissions values for additional carriers were taken from the Connecticut Siting Council active database. Values in this database are provided by the individual carriers themselves.

All calculation were done with respect to uncontrolled / general public threshold limits

Site ID	CT154XC770
Site Address	151 Berkshire Road, Newtown, CT 06482
Site Type	Monopole

Sector 1																	
Antenna Number	Antenna Make	Antenna Model	Radio Type	Frequency Band	Technology	Power Out Per Channel (Watts)	Number of Channels	Composite Power	Antenna Gain in direction of sample point (dBi)	Antenna Height (ft)	analysis height	Cable Size	Cable Loss (dB)	Additional Loss	ERP	Power Density Value	Power Density Percentage
1a	RFS	APXVSP18-C-A20	RRH	1900 MHz	CDMA / LTE	20	3	60	15.9	107.5	101.5	1/2"	0.5	0	2080.4211	72.59808	7.25981%
1a	RFS	APXVSP18-C-A20	RRH	850 MHz	CDMA / LTE	20	1	20	13.4	107.5	101.5	1/2"	0.5	0	389.96892	13.6083	2.40005%
												Sector total Power Density Value: 9.6599%					

Sector 2																	
Antenna Number	Antenna Make	Antenna Model	Radio Type	Frequency Band	Technology	Power Out Per Channel (Watts)	Number of Channels	Composite Power	Antenna Gain in direction of sample point (dBi)	Antenna Height (ft)	analysis height	Cable Size	Cable Loss (dB)	Additional Loss	ERP	Power Density Value	Power Density Percentage
2a	RFS	APXVSP18-C-A20	RRH	1900 MHz	CDMA / LTE	20	3	60	15.9	107.5	101.5	1/2"	0.5	0	2080.4211	72.59808	7.25981%
2a	RFS	APXVSP18-C-A20	RRH	850 MHz	CDMA / LTE	20	1	20	13.4	107.5	101.5	1/2"	0.5	0	389.96892	13.6083	2.40005%
												Sector total Power Density Value: 9.6599%					

Sector 3																	
Antenna Number	Antenna Make	Antenna Model	Radio Type	Frequency Band	Technology	Power Out Per Channel (Watts)	Number of Channels	Composite Power	Antenna Gain in direction of sample point (dBi)	Antenna Height (ft)	analysis height	Cable Size	Cable Loss (dB)	Additional Loss	ERP	Power Density Value	Power Density Percentage
3a	RFS	APXVSP18-C-A20	RRH	1900 MHz	CDMA / LTE	20	3	60	15.9	107.5	101.5	1/2"	0.5	0	2080.4211	72.59808	7.25981%
3a	RFS	APXVSP18-C-A20	RRH	850 MHz	CDMA / LTE	20	1	20	13.4	107.5	101.5	1/2"	0.5	0	389.96892	13.6083	2.40005%
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Site Composite MPE %	
Carrier	MPE %
Sprint	28.980%
T-Mobile	10.900%
AT&T	14.030%
Verizon Wireless	19.750%
Town of Newtown	1.600%
Total Site MPE %	75.260%



Summary

All calculations performed for this analysis yielded results that were well within the allowable limits for general public exposure to RF Emissions.

The anticipated Maximum Composite contributions from the Sprint facility are **28.980% (9.660% from each sector)** of the allowable FCC established general public limit considering all three sectors simultaneously sampled at the ground level.

The anticipated composite MPE value for this site assuming all carriers present is **75.260%** of the allowable FCC established general public limit sampled at the ground level. This is based upon values listed in the Connecticut Siting Council database for existing carrier emissions

FCC guidelines state that if a site is found to be out of compliance (over allowable thresholds), that carriers over a 5% contribution to the composite value will require measures to bring the site into compliance. For this facility, the composite values calculated were well within the allowable 100% threshold standard per the federal government

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August 22, 2012

The Honorable Patricia E. Llodra
First Selectman
Town of Newtown
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Newtown, CT 06470-5307

RE: **EM-SPRINT-097-120817** – Sprint Spectrum notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 151 Berkshire Road, Newtown, Connecticut.

Dear First Selectman Llodra:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received this request to modify an existing telecommunications facility, pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-72.

If you have any questions or comments regarding this proposal, please call me or inform the Council by September 5, 2012.

Thank you for your cooperation and consideration.

Very truly yours,

Linda Roberts
Executive Director

LR/jbw

Enclosure: Notice of Intent

c: Gary Frenette, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of Newtown