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**VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

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RE: **TS-DISH-106-210621** - DISH Wireless LLC request for an order to approve tower sharing at an existing telecommunications facility located at 430 Middlesex Turnpike, Old Saybrook, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Zajac:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received the tower share request for the above-referenced facility on June 21, 2021. On July 2, 2021, the Council issued a letter stating that the tower share request was incomplete because no mount analysis was included with the request. The Council recommended that Crown Castle provide a passing ( $\leq 100\%$ ) mount analysis (MA) for the proposed equipment that is stamped and signed by a professional engineer duly licensed in the State of Connecticut and, if applicable, an updated Structural Analysis Report accounting for any required antenna mount modifications, on or before August 2, 2021.

On August 2, 2021, the Council received an electronic mail with a passing MA prepared by Trylon, dated July 23, 2021, and stamped and signed by Jinshan Wang. However, staff observed further deficiencies with the request. The cover letter and the construction drawings (CD) reference three T-arm antenna mounts model no. MC-K6MHDX-9-96. This is inconsistent with the platform antenna mount model no. MC-PK8-DSH referenced in the MA and the structural analysis (SA).

Therefore, the tower share request remains incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Crown Castle provide a CD that is consistent with the MA and SA or a revised MA and SA that is consistent with the antenna mounts referenced in the CD, on or before September 3, 2021. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to September 3, 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 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,

*s/ Melanie A. Bachman*

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