

March 14, 2017

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Notice of Exempt Modification – Antenna Swap Property

Address: 151 Waterbury Rd Prospect, CT 06712

Applicant: AT&T Mobility, LLC

Dear Ms. Bachman:

On behalf of AT&T, please accept this application as notification pursuant to R.C.S.A. §16-50j-73, for construction that constitutes an exempt modification pursuant to R.C.S.A. §16- 50j-72(b) (2).

AT&T currently maintains a wireless telecommunications facility consisting of nine (9) wireless telecommunication antennas at an antenna center line height of 154-feet on an existing 150 -foot monopole tower, owned by American Tower, and located at 151 Waterbury Rd. Prospect, CT 06712. AT&T now intends to remove (2) Andrew SBNH-1D6565C panel antennas from position 4 in Alpha & Beta sector and replace them with (2) CCI TPA-65R-LCUUUU-H8 panel antennas. (1) KMW AM-X-CD-16-65-00T-RET panel antenna in position 4 Gamma sector will be replaced with (1) Quintel QS66512-2 panel antenna. AT&T also plans to install a handrail support kit on the existing equipment mount. Within the shelter AT&T intends to install (3) RRUS-11, (3) RRUS-E2, (6) 25 amp breakers, (1) XMU, and (1) IDL2 link.

This facility was permitted the Town of Prospect's building department on July, 2003 #4482 for AT&T Wireless PCS, LLC. To add antennas to an existing guy tower and erect an equipment shelter with AT&T radio cabinets as well as a concrete pat with ice bridge posts. Also, This is the only information on file and an email will be included confirming that after a search of the Land Use Office records in the Prospect Town Hall, I am unable to locate the original approval for the tower located at 151 Waterbury Road.

The following is a list of subsequent decisions by the Connecticut Siting Council:

EM-AT&T-115-020923 - AT&T Wireless, PCS, Inc., d/b/a AT&T Wireless notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 151 Waterbury Road, **Prospect**, Connecticut.

EM-CING-097-082-007-088-115-060727 - New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC notice of intent to modify existing telecommunications facilities located at 36 Janowski Road, Ashford; 239 Middle Turnpike East, Manchester; 575 Hillstown Road, Manchester; 151 Waterbury Road, **Prospect**; and 14 Booth Hill Road, a/k/a Oxford Drive, Shelton, Connecticut.

EM-CING-115-120518 - New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 151 Waterbury Road, **Prospect**, Connecticut.



EM-CING-115-140902 - New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC (AT&T) notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 151 Waterbury Road, **Prospect**, Connecticut.

EM-AT&T-115-160324 - AT&T Mobility, LLC notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 151 Waterbury Road, **Prospect**, Connecticut.

Please accept this letter pursuant to Regulation of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-73, for construction that constitutes an exempt modification pursuant to R.C.S.A. § 16-5l0j-72(b) (2). In accordance with R.C.S.A., a copy of this letter is being sent to Robert Chatfield, Mayor of Prospect, CT at 36 Center St., Prospect, CT 06712. A copy of this letter is also being sent to Richland Towers Management Parkview LLC / Clear Channel Management Inc. / American Tower Property Tax, PO Box 723597, Atlanta, GA 31139. A copy of this letter will also be sent to the Town of Prospect, CT Land Use Department, 36 Center Street, Prospect, CT 06712.

The planned modifications to AT&T's facility fall squarely within those activities explicitly provided for in R.C.S.A. §16-50j-72(b) (2).

- 1. The proposed modifications will not result in an increase in the height of the existing tower. AT&T's replacement antennas will be installed at the 154-foot level of the 150-foot monopole.
- 2. The proposed modifications will not involve any changes to ground-mounted equipment and, therefore, will not require and extension of the site boundary.
- 3. The proposed modifications will not increase the noise levels at the facility by six decibels or more, or to levels that exceed state and local criteria.
- 4. The operation of the modified facility will not increase radio frequency (RF) emissions at the facility to a level at or above the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) safety standard. A cumulative worst-case RF emissions calculation for AT&T's modified facility is provided in the RF Emissions Compliance Report, included in <u>Tab 2</u>.
- 5. The proposed modifications will not cause a change or alteration in the physical or environmental characteristics of the site.
- 6. The tower and its foundation can support AT&T's proposed modifications. (See Structural Analysis Report included in <u>Tab 3</u>).



For the foregoing reasons, AT&T respectfully submits that the proposed modifications to the above referenced telecommunications facility constitutes an exempt modification under R.C.S.A. §16-50j-72(b) (2).

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Michael Pattison

Enclosures

CC w/enclosures:

Robert Chatfield, Mayor, City of Prospect, CT

Richland Towers Management Parkview LLC / Clear Channel Management Inc. / American Tower Property Tax

Town of Prospect, CT Land Use Department