



June 10, 2014

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

RE: Notice of Exempt Modification  
1925-1931 East Main Street  
Torrington, CT 06790  
Sprint Site #: NV2.5\_CT33XC112  
N 41° 49' 23.85"  
W -73° 04' 36.03"

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 1925-1931 East Main Street, Torrington CT.

The 1925-1931 East Main Street facility consists of a 153' MONOPOLE Tower owned and operated by SBA Towers, LLC. 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 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 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 proposed changes will not increase the noise level at the existing facility by six decibels or more.
4. 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 the proposed changes at the referenced site constitute exempt modifications under R.C.S.A. Section 16-50j-72(b)(2).

Please feel free to call me at (508) 251-0720 x 3804 with any questions you may have concerning this matter.

Thank you,

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**Sprint Spectrum  
Equipment Modification**

1925-1931 East Main Street, Torrington CT  
Site number CT33XC112

**Tower Owner:** SBA Towers, LLC

**Equipment Configuration:** MONOPOLE Tower

**Current and/or approved:**

- (3) RFS APXVSP18-C-A20
- (3) ALU 1900 MHz RRUs
- (3) ALU 800 MHz RRUs
- (3) ALU 800 MHz Filters
- (4) RFS ACU-A20-N RETs
- (3) 1-1/4" Feeds

**Planned Modifications:**

- (3) RFS APXVTM14-C-I20
- (3) RFS APXVSP18-C-A20
- (3) ALU 1900 MHz RRUs
- (3) ALU 800 MHz RRUs
- (3) ALU 800 MHz Filters
- (4) RFS ACU-A20-N RETs
- (3) TD-RRH8x20-25 RRHs
- (4) 1-1/4" Feeds

**Structural Information:**

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

**Power Density:**

The anticipated Maximum Composite contributions from the Sprint facility are 0.59% of the allowable FCC established general public limit. The anticipated composite MPE value for this site assuming all carriers present is 35.63% of the allowable FCC established general public limit sampled at the ground level.

Site Composite MPE %	
Carrier	MPE %
Sprint	0.59%
Nextel	2.79%
T-Mobile	2.39%
MetroPCS	9.42%
Verizon Wireless	26.39%
Town	5.00%
AT&T	35.63%
<b>Total Site MPE %</b>	<b>82.21%</b>





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Mayor Elinor Carbone  
City of Torrington  
City Hall  
140 Main Street  
Torrington, CT 06790

RE: Telecommunications Facility @ 1925-1931 East Main Street, Torrington CT

Dear Mayor Carbone,

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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) 251-0720 x 3804.

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T.E.P. Incorporated  
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RE: Telecommunications Facility @ 1925-1931 East Main Street, Torrington CT

To Whom It May Concern,

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RADIO FREQUENCY FCC REGULATORY COMPLIANCE  
MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE) ASSESSMENT

Sprint Existing Facility

Site ID: CT33XC112

Callicoon 3 / SBA Towers

1925 - 1931 East Main Street  
Torrington, CT 06790

**May 27, 2014**

**EBI Project Number: 62143096**

May 27, 2014

Sprint  
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Re: Radio Frequency Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) Assessment for Site:  
**CT33XC112 - Callicoon 3 / SBA Towers**

**Site Total: 82.21% - MPE% in full compliance**

EBI Consulting was directed to analyze the proposed upgrades to the existing Sprint facility located at 1925 - 1931 East Main Street, Torrington, CT, for the purpose of determining whether the radio frequency (RF) exposure levels 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 (850 MHz Band) is approximately  $567 \mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$ , and the general population exposure limit for the 1900 MHz and 2500 MHz bands 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 1925 - 1931 East Main Street, Torrington, CT, using the equipment information listed below. All calculations were performed per the specifications under FCC OET 65. All calculations were performed assuming a lobe representing the maximum gain of the antenna per the antenna manufactures supplied specifications, minus 10 dB, was focused at the base of the tower. 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) 4 channels in the 1900 MHz Band were considered for each sector of the proposed installation.
- 2) 1 channel in the 800 MHz Band was considered for each sector of the proposed installation
- 3) 2 channels in the 2500 MHz Band were considered for each sector of the proposed installation.
- 4) 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.
- 5) For the following calculations the sample point was the top of a six foot person standing at the base of the tower. The maximum gain of the antenna per the antenna manufactures supplied specifications minus 10 dB was used in this direction. This value is a very conservative estimate as gain reductions for these particular antennas are typically much higher in this direction.



- 6) The antennas used in this modeling are the RFS APXVSPP18-C-A20 and the RFS APXVTMM-C-120. This is based on feedback from the carrier with regards to anticipated antenna selection. The RFS APXVSPP18-C-A20 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. The RFS APXVTMM-C-120 has a 15.9 dBd gain value at its main lobe at 2500 MHz. The maximum gain of the antenna per the antenna manufactures supplied specifications, minus 10 dB, was used for all calculations. This value is a very conservative estimate as gain reductions for these particular antennas are typically much higher in this direction.
- 7) The antenna mounting height centerline for the proposed antennas is **153feet** above ground level (AGL).
- 8) 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	CT33XC112 - Callicoon 3 / SBA Towers
Site Address	1925 - 1931 East Main Street, Torrington, CT, 06790
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 (10 db reduction)	Antenna Height (ft)	analysis height	Cable Size	Cable Loss (dB)	Additional Loss (dB)	ERP	Power Density Percentage
1a	RFS	APXVSP18-C-A20	RRH	1900 MHz	CDMA / LTE	20	4	80	1.59	153	147	1/2 "	0.5	3	51.533541	0.08574%
1a	RFS	APXVSP18-C-A20	RRH	850 MHz	CDMA / LTE	20	1	20	1.34	153	147	1/2 "	0.5	3	12.1627	0.03569%
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Sector total Power Density Value:																0.20%

**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 (10 db reduction)	Antenna Height (ft)	analysis height	Cable Size	Cable Loss (dB)	Additional Loss (dB)	ERP	Power Density Percentage
2a	RFS	APXVSP18-C-A20	RRH	1900 MHz	CDMA / LTE	20	4	80	1.59	153	147	1/2 "	0.5	3	51.533541	0.08574%
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**Sector 3**

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## Summary

All calculations performed for this analysis yielded results that were well within the allowable limits for general public Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) to radio frequency energy.

The anticipated Maximum Composite contributions from the Sprint facility are **0.59% (0.20% from sector 1, 0.20% from sector 2 and 0.20% from sector 3)** 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 **82.21%** of the allowable FCC established general public limit sampled at 6 feet above ground level. This total composite site value is based upon MPE 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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**Structural Analysis for  
SBA Network Services, Inc.**

**153' Monopole Tower**

**SBA Site Name: Torrington  
SBA Site ID: CT01499-S-01  
Sprint Site ID: CT33XC112**

FDH Project Number 1462H01400

**Analysis Results**

Tower Components	95.3%	Sufficient
Foundation	97.7%	Sufficient

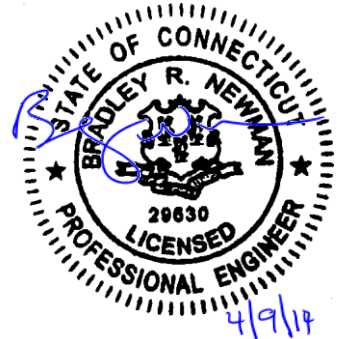
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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

At the request of SBA Network Services, Inc., FDH Engineering, Inc. performed a structural analysis of the monopole located in Torrington, 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 *2005 Connecticut Building Code*. Information pertaining to the existing/proposed antenna loading, current tower geometry, geotechnical data, foundation dimensions, and member sizes was obtained from:

- Fred A. Nudd Corporation (Project No. 7783) original design drawings dated August 18, 2000
- Vertical Structures, Inc. (Job No. 2003-007-015) structural analysis and modification drawings dated September 9, 2003
- SBA Network Services, Inc.

The *basic design wind speed* per the *TIA/EIA-222-F* standards and *2005 Connecticut Building Code* is 80 mph without ice and 28 mph with 1" radial ice. Ice is considered to increase in thickness with height.

## Conclusions

With the existing and proposed antennas from Sprint in place at 153 ft, the tower meets the requirements of the *TIA/EIA-222-F* standards and *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 Fred A. Nudd Project No. 7783), 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 *2005 Connecticut Building Code* are met with the existing and proposed loading in place, we have the following recommendations:

1. The proposed feedlines should be installed inside the pole's shaft.
2. RRU/RRH Stipulation: The proposed equipment may be installed in any configuration 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 <sup>1</sup>	Carrier	Mount Elevation (ft)	Mount Type
153	(3) RFS APXVSP18-C-A20 (3) ALU 1900 MHz RRUs (3) ALU 800 MHz RRUs (3) ALU 800 MHz Filters (4) RFS ACU-A20-N RETs	(3) 1-1/4"	Sprint	153	(1) Low Profile Platform
143	(12) Decibel DB844H90E-XY	(12) 1-1/4"	Nextel	143	(1) Low Profile Platform
133	(6) EMS RR90-17-02DP	(12) 1-5/8"	T-Mobile	133	(1) Low Profile Platform
123 <sup>2</sup>	(3) Antel BXA 70063-6CF (6) Antel LPA-80063-6CF (6) Antel LPA-171063-12CF	(12) 1-5/8"	Verizon	123	(1) Low Profile Platform
110	(1) 10' Omni	(1) 1/2"	Torrington PD	105	(1) Standoff
95 <sup>3</sup>	(3) CSS DUO1417-8686-40 (6) Powerwave 7770 (1) Kathrein 800 10764 (2) KMW AM-X-CD-16-65-001-RET (6) Powerwave LGP21401 TMAs (6) Powerwave LGP21903 Diplexers (6) Ericsson RRUS-11 RRUs (1) Andrew ABT-DF-DMADBH Surge Arrestor (1) Raycap DC6-48-60-18-8F Surge Arrestor	(12) 1-5/8 (1) 7/16 Fiber <sup>5</sup> (2) 3/4 DC <sup>5</sup>	AT&T	95	(1) Low Profile Platform
85 <sup>4</sup>	(3) RFS APXV18-206517S-C	(6) 1-5/8"	Pocket	85	(3) Pipe Mounts
70	(1) GPS	(1) 1/2"	---	70	(1) Standoff

1. The existing coax are installed inside the pole's shaft, unless otherwise noted
2. Verizon has (6) 1-5/8" coax to 123 ft installed outside the pole's shaft in a single row
3. AT&T's coax to 95 ft are installed outside the pole's shaft double stacked
4. Pocket's coax to 85 ft are installed outside the pole's shaft in a single row
5. AT&T's coax installed inside 3" Flex Conduit.

### Proposed Loading:

Antenna Elevation (ft)	Description	Coax and Lines	Carrier	Mount Elevation (ft)	Mount Type
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## 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	50 ksi
Flange Bolts	Fu = 120 ksi (assumed)
Base Plate	50 ksi
Anchor Bolts	Fu = 125 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	153 - 150	Pole	TP26.25x24x0.25	2.5	Pass
	150	Flange Bolts	(18) .5" Ø w/ 27" Ø BC	8.7	Pass
	150	Flange Plate	30" Ø x .5" thk PL	3.7	Pass
L2	150 - 110	Pole	TP35.25x26.25x0.25	40.0	Pass
L3	110 - 65	Pole	TP45.375x33.625x0.3125	69.6	Pass
L4	65 - 21	Pole	TP55.275x43.34x0.3125	95.3	Pass
L5	21 - 0	Pole	TP60x52.9791x0.375	82.9	Pass
		Anchor Bolts	(18) 2" Ø w/ 67" Ø BC	81.7	Pass
		Base Plate	73" Ø x 1.5" thk. PL w/ Stiffeners	64.5	Pass

\* Capacities include 1/3 allowable stress increase for wind.

**Table 4 - Maximum Base Reactions**

Base Reactions	Current Analysis (TIA/EIA-222-F)	Original Design (TIA/EIA-222-F)
Axial	42 k	---
Shear	35 k	31 k
Moment	3,606 k-ft	3,692 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

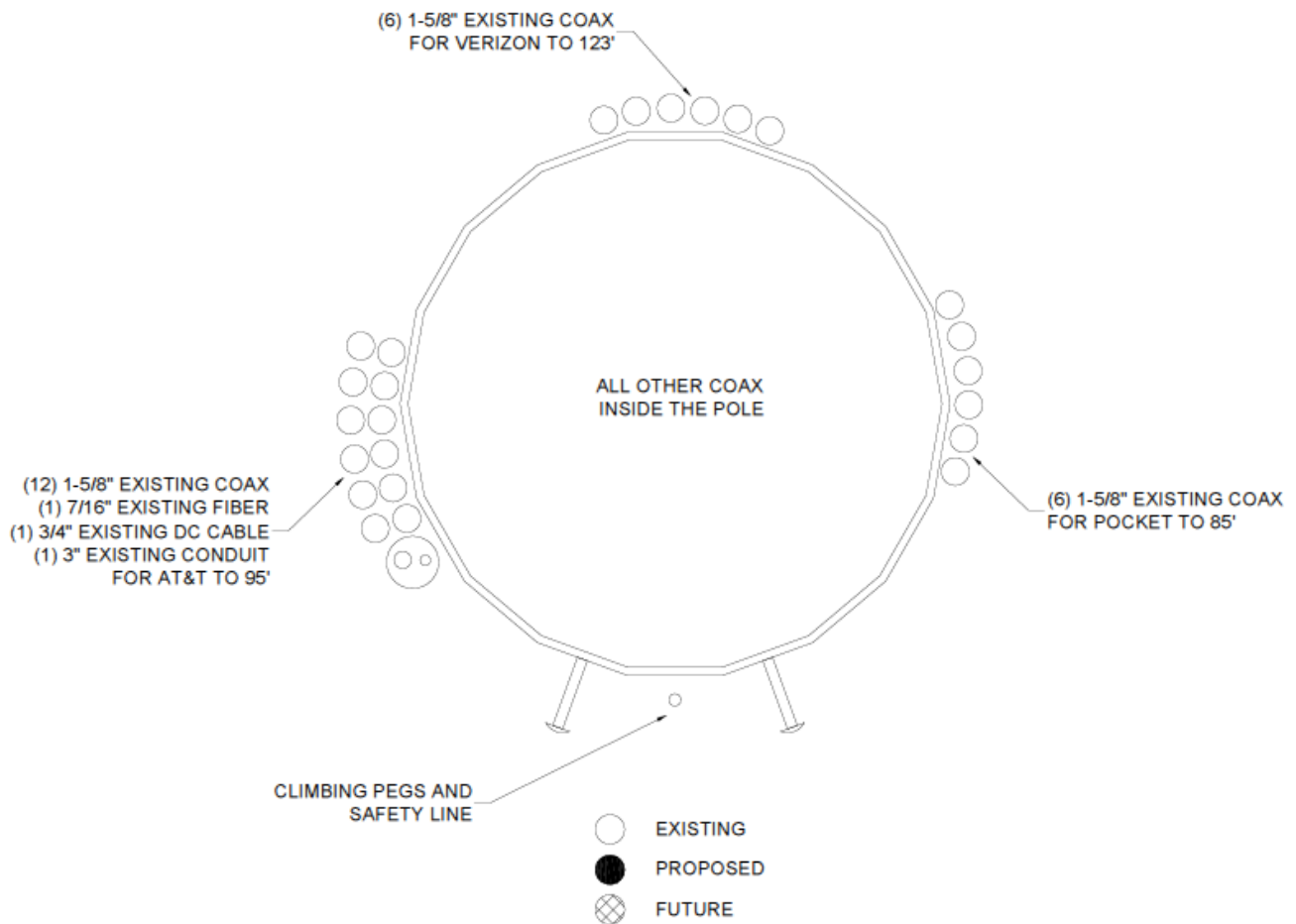
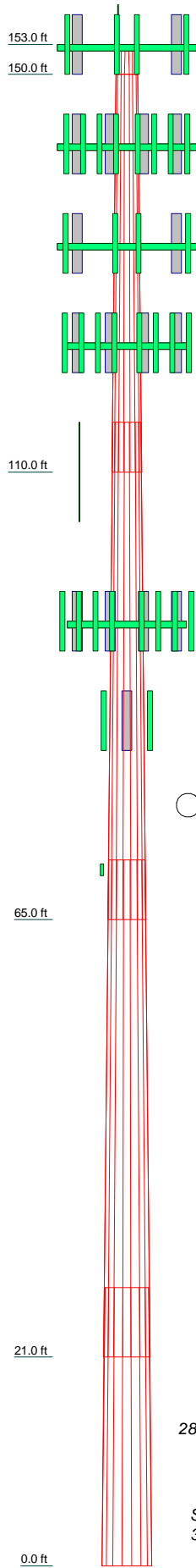


Figure 1 – Assumed Feedline Layout

Section	1	2	3	4	5
Length (ft)	3.00	40.00	50.00	50.00	28.00
Number of Sides	18	18	18	18	18
Thickness (in)	0.2500	0.2500	0.3125	0.3125	0.3750
Socket Length (ft)		5.00	6.00	7.00	
Top Dia (in)	24.0000	26.2500	33.6250	43.3400	52.9791
Bot Dia (in)	26.2500	35.2500	45.3750	55.2750	60.0000
Grade			A572-65		
Weight (K)	0.2	3.3	6.6	8.3	6.4



### DESIGNED APPURTENANCE LOADING

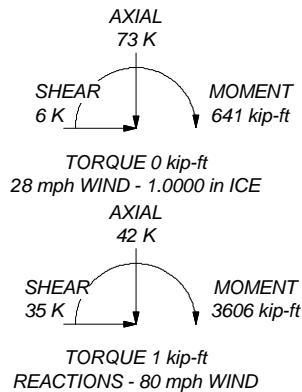
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Lightning Rod	153	(2) LPA-171063-12CF w/ Mount Pipe	123
APXVSP18-C-A20 w/Mount Pipe	153	BXA-70063/6CF w/ Mount Pipe	123
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APXVSP18-C-A20 w/Mount Pipe	153	BXA-70063/6CF w/ Mount Pipe	123
ALU 1900 RRU	153	(1) Low Profile Platform	123
ALU 1900 RRU	153	10' Omni	105
ALU 1900 RRU	153	(1) Standoff	105
ALU 800 RRU	153	CSS DUO1417-8686-40 w/ Mount Pipe	95
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ALU 800 RRU	153	CSS DUO1417-8686-40 w/ Mount Pipe	95
ALU 800 Filter	153	CSS DUO1417-8686-40 w/ Mount Pipe	95
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ALU 800 Filter	153	(2) Powerwave 7770 w/ Mount Pipe	95
ACU-A20-N RET	153	(2) Powerwave 7770 w/ Mount Pipe	95
(2) ACU-A20-N RET	153	(2) Powerwave 7770 w/ Mount Pipe	95
ACU-A20-N RET	153	(2) Powerwave 7770 w/ Mount Pipe	95
ACU-A20-N RET	153	800 10764 w/ Mount Pipe	95
(1) Low Profile Platform	153	KMW AM-X-CD-16-65-001-RET w/ Mount Pipe	95
Empty Mount Pipe	153	KMW AM-X-CD-16-65-001-RET w/ Mount Pipe	95
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APXVTM14-C-I20 w/ Mount Pipe	153	(2) LGP21401 TMA	95
APXVTM14-C-I20 w/ Mount Pipe	153	(2) LGP21401 TMA	95
APXVTM14-C-I20 w/ Mount Pipe	153	(2) LGP21401 TMA	95
TD-RRH8x20-25	153	(2) LGP21903 Diplexer	95
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(4) DB844H90E-XY w/Mount Pipe	143	(2) RRUS-11	95
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(1) Low Profile Platform	143	Andrew ABT-DF-DMADBH Surge Arrestor	95
(2) RR90-17-02DP w/Mount Pipe	133	DC6-48-60-18-8F Surge Arrestor	95
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(1) Low Profile Platform	133	(1) Low Profile Platform	95
(2) LPA-80063/6CF w/ Mount Pipe	123	APXV18-206517S-C w/Mount Pipe	85
(2) LPA-80063/6CF w/ Mount Pipe	123	APXV18-206517S-C w/Mount Pipe	85
(2) LPA-80063/6CF w/ Mount Pipe	123	APXV18-206517S-C w/Mount Pipe	85
(2) LPA-80063/6CF w/ Mount Pipe	123	GPS	70
(2) LPA-171063-12CF w/ Mount Pipe	123	Standoff	70
(2) LPA-171063-12CF w/ Mount Pipe	123	Standoff	70

### MATERIAL STRENGTH

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

### TOWER DESIGN NOTES

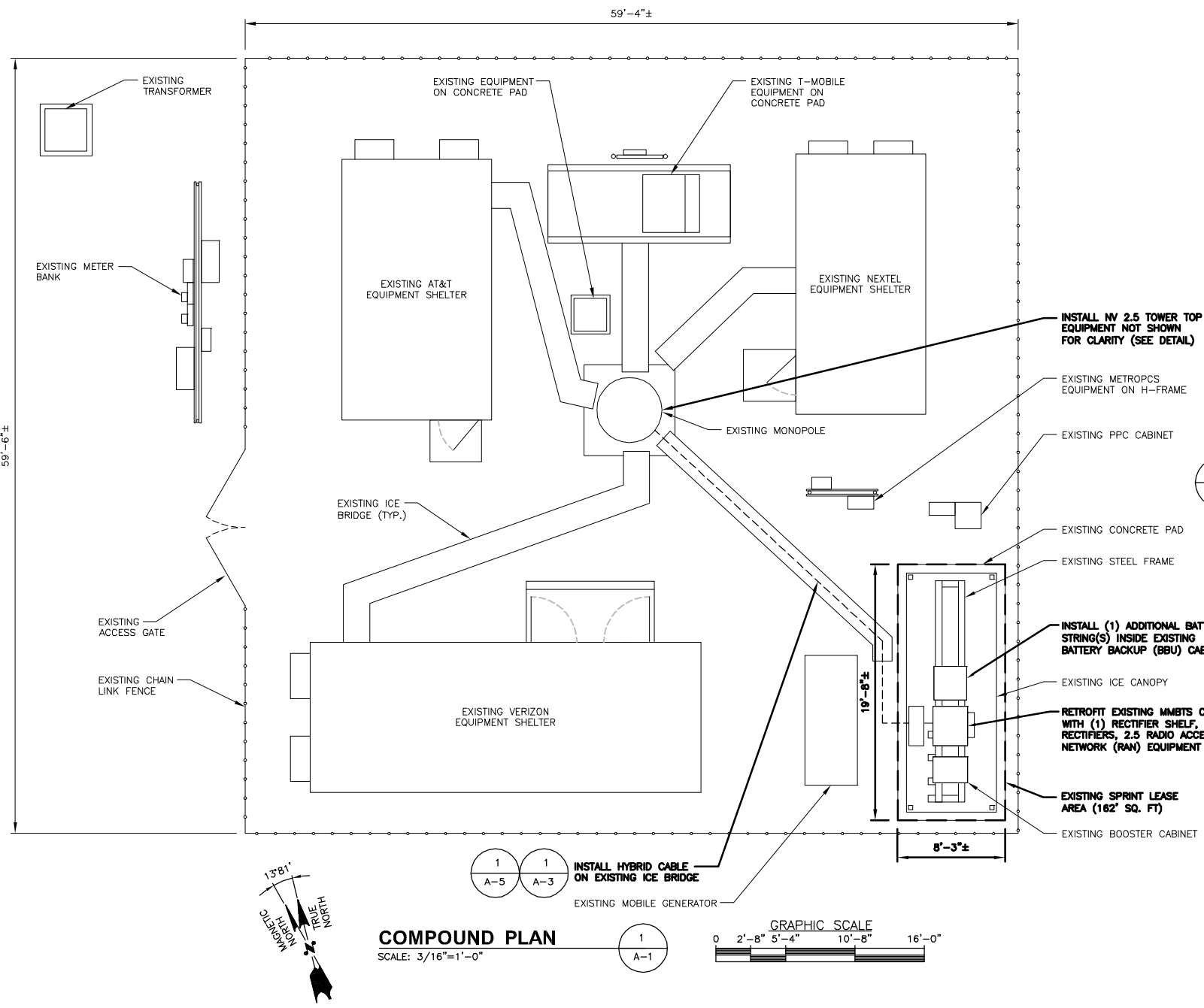
1. Tower is located in Litchfield County, Connecticut.
2. Tower designed for a 80 mph basic wind in accordance with the TIA/EIA-222-F Standard.
3. Tower is also designed for a 28 mph basic wind with 1.00 in ice. Ice is considered to increase in thickness with height.
4. Deflections are based upon a 50 mph wind.
5. TOWER RATING: 95.3%



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 Project: **1462H01400**  
 Client: **SBA** | Drawn by: **Adam Stage** | App'd:  
 Code: **TIA/EIA-222-F** | Date: **04/09/14** | Scale: **NTS**  
 Path: | Dwg No. **E-1**





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INSTALL (1) ADDITIONAL BATTERY STRING(S) INSIDE EXISTING BATTERY BACKUP (BBU) CABINET

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INSTALL (1) ADDITIONAL BATTERY STRING(S) INSIDE EXISTING BATTERY BACKUP (BBU) CABINET

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RETROFIT EXISTING MMBTS CABINET WITH (1) RECTIFIER SHELF, (3) RECTIFIERS, 2.5 RADIO ACCESS NETWORK (RAN) EQUIPMENT

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RETROFIT EXISTING MMBTS CABINET WITH (1) RECTIFIER SHELF, (3) RECTIFIERS, 2.5 RADIO ACCESS NETWORK (RAN) EQUIPMENT

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INSTALL HYBRID CABLE ON EXISTING ICE BRIDGE



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APPROVED BY: DPH

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TOWERS, INC  
SITE ADDRESS:  
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COMPOUND PLAN

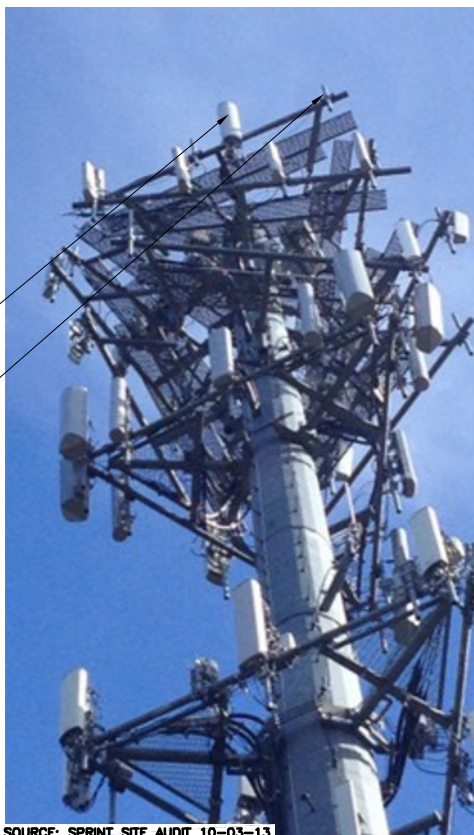
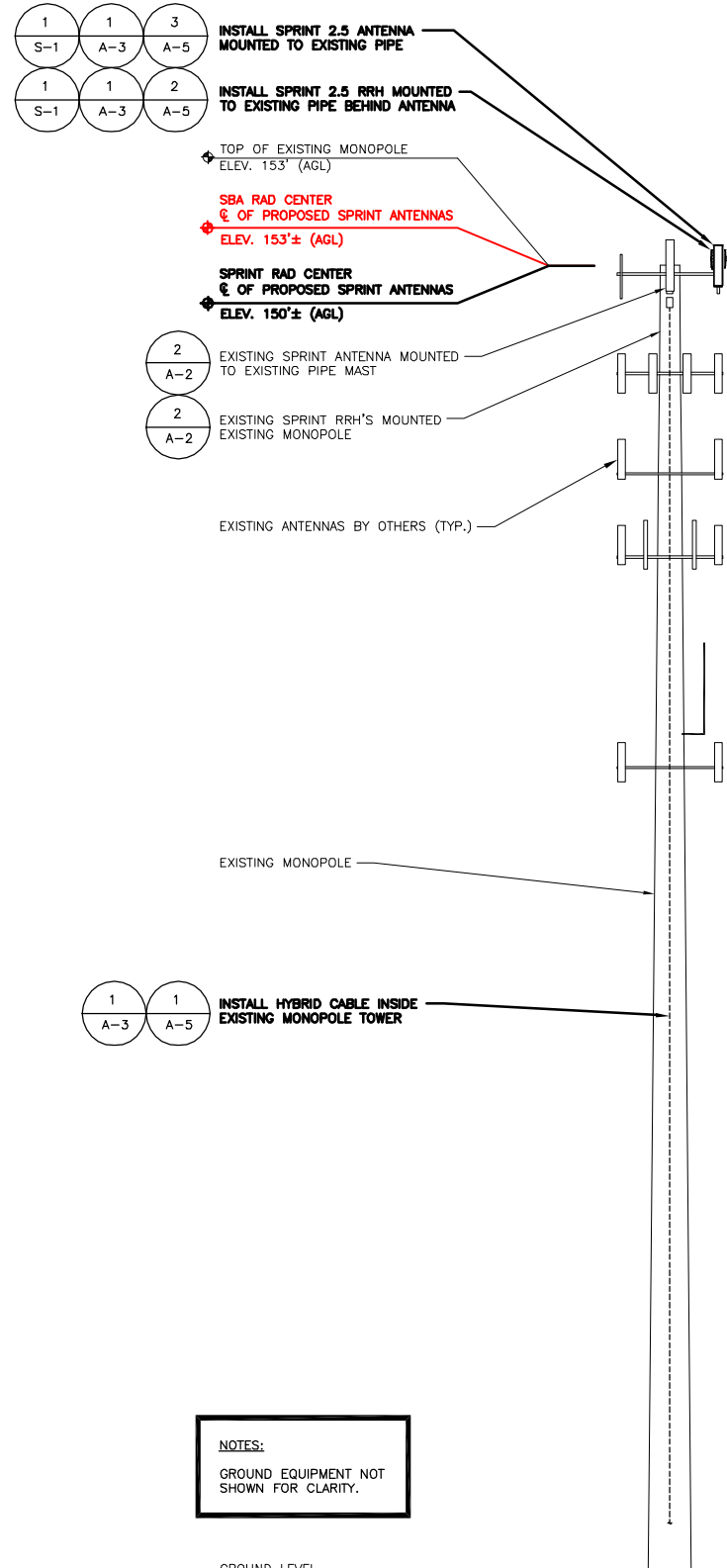
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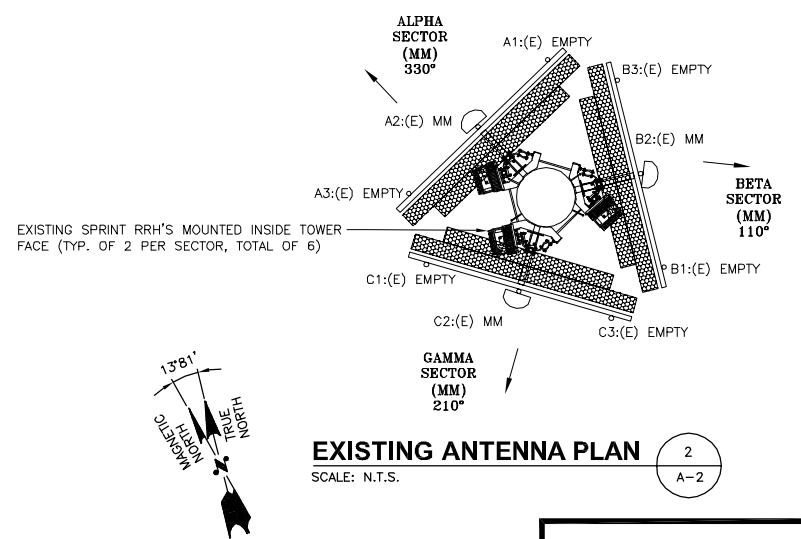
**SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION NOTE:**  
SPRINT TOWER TOP WORK IS CONTINGENT ON THE FOLLOWING:  
• COMPLETION OF A GLOBAL STRUCTURAL STABILITY ANALYSIS (PROVIDED BY TOWER OWNER).  
• COMPLETION OF AN ANTENNA/RRH MOUNT STRUCTURAL ASSESSMENT (PROVIDED BY A&E VENDOR).  
• GC SHALL FURNISH, INSTALL AND COMPLETE ALL REQUIRED STRUCTURAL MODIFICATIONS AS INDICATED IN BEFORE-MENTIONED ANALYSIS AND ASSESSMENT.  
• SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION SHALL PROVIDE WRITTEN ACCEPTANCE/APPROVAL FOR THE COMPLETION OF ALL TOWER/FOUNDATION STRUCTURAL MODIFICATIONS INCLUDING (AS NECESSARY) CONTROLLED CONSTRUCTION INSPECTIONS, SHOP-DRAWING APPROVALS, MATERIALS TEST RESULTS, AND FINAL ENGINEER'S AFFIDAVIT.

**NOTE:**  
EXISTING AZIMUTHS FROM SPRINT  
SITE AUDIT DATED 10/03/13

**NOTE:**  
SPRINT RAD CENTER SHOWN IN RED TEXT BASED ON SBA-PROVIDED COLLOCATION APPLICATION, EQUIPMENT DATABASE, AND STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS. THE SBA-PROVIDED ANTENNA RAD CENTER SHALL SUPERSEDE ANY CONFLICTING INFORMATION DERIVED FROM THE SPRINT NV 2.5 RFDS.



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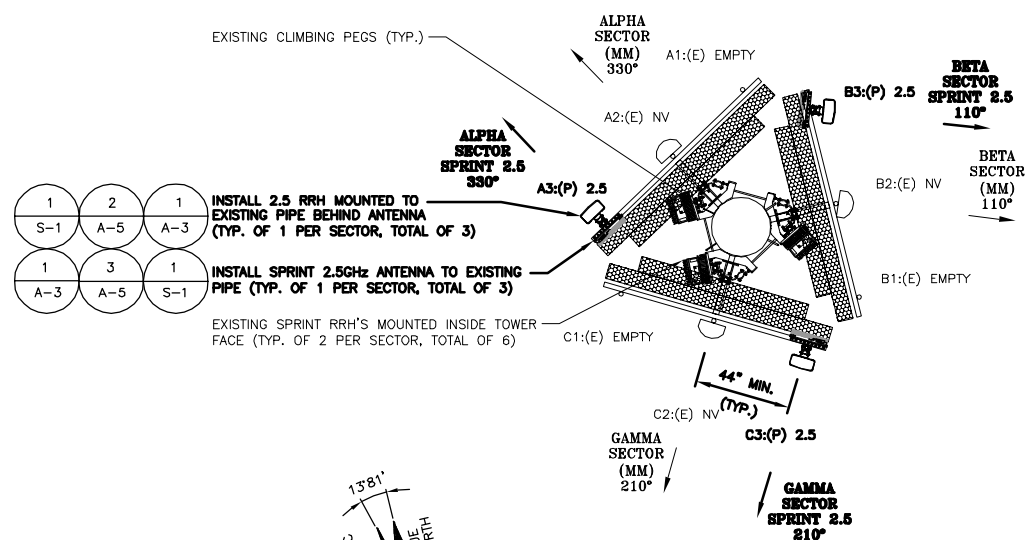


**EXISTING ANTENNA PLAN** 2  
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**ANTENNA STATUS LEGEND:**  
EMPTY - EMPTY PIPE  
(E) - EXISTING  
(P) - INSTALL  
MM - SPRINT ANTENNA MODEL APXVSP18-C-A20  
2.5 - SPRINT ANTENNA

**SPECIAL WORK NOTE:**  
JUMPERS FROM 2.5 RRH TO 2.5 ANTENNA CAN NOT EXCEED 15'. NOTIFY SPRINT CONSTRUCTION MANAGER OF ANY DISCREPANCY.

**NOTES:**  
1) VERIFY PROPOSED AZIMUTHS WITH RF ENGINEER PRIOR TO INSTALLATION.



**PROPOSED ANTENNA PLAN** 3  
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