

## STATE OF CONNECTICUT

## CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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## VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

December 9, 2021

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**RE:** TS-DISH-146-211112 - Dish Wireless LLC request for an order to approve tower sharing at an existing telecommunications facility located at 777 Talcottville Road, Vernon, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Hoogasian:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received the tower share request for the above-referenced facility on November 12, 2021.

According to Section 16-50j-90 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "no tower share application shall be approved until a complete application containing all information deemed relevant by the Council has been filed. Relevant information shall at a minimum include that listed in Section 16-50j-89 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies..."

Staff has reviewed this tower share request for completeness and has identified the following deficiencies:

- 1. The Construction Drawings (CD) prepared by Fullerton Engineering and last revised September 9, 2021, and provided with the tower share request is not stamped and signed by a Professional Engineer Licensed in the State of Connecticut;
- 2. The tower share request lacks documentation of the original facility approval and any conditions of such approval or correspondence with the Town of Vernon stating that the Town no longer retains records of its decision; and
- 3. No municipal parcel map was provided.

Therefore, the tower share request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that NB+C, LLC provide a CD that is stamped and signed by a Professional Engineer Licensed in the State of Connecticut, documentation showing the original facility approval with conditions, if any, or correspondence with the municipality stating that there are no records of the original facility approval and a parcel map for the underlying parcel, on or before January 10, 2022. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to January 10, 2022. Please provide an electronic version and one hard copy of the requested information for the incomplete tower share filing to be rendered complete and processed. Please include the Council's tower share identification number referenced above with the submittal.

This notice of incompletion 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,

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

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