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RE: **EM-VER-147-141124** – Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 53 Gallup Road and 422 Rockville Road, Voluntown, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Baldwin:

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

- The microwave dishes shall be removed once permanent backhaul service is installed; and
- The Council shall be notified once permanent backhaul service is established at the 53 Gallup Road facility.

The proposed facilities are to be developed as specified here and in your notice dated November 24, 2014 and additional information received November 25, 2014. The facilities are in compliance with the exception criteria in Section 16-50j-72 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies for cellular service. These temporary facilities have also been carefully modeled to ensure that radio frequency emissions are conservatively below State and federal standards applicable to the frequencies to be used on this tower.

This decision is under the exclusive jurisdiction of the Council. Any additional changes to these temporary facilities 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,

Melanie A. Bachman
Acting Executive Director

MAB/MP/lm

c: The Honorable Robert A. Sirpenski, First Selectman, Town of Voluntown
Peter Zvingilas, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of Voluntown
Benjamin and Byron D. Gallup, Property Owners
Cheryl Marcinko, Property Owner

