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RE: **EM-SPRINT-151-190215** – Sprint notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 39 Cherry Street, Waterbury, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Bailey:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on February 15, 2019.

According to Section 16-50j-71 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "...any modification, as defined in Section 16-50j-2a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, to an existing tower site, except as specified in Sections 16-50j-72 and 16-50j-88 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, may have a substantial adverse environmental effect."

Staff has reviewed this exempt modification request for completeness and has identified inconsistencies in the quantity of proposed equipment indicated in the submittal. Table 2-1 – Proposed Final Antenna Configuration, on Page 3 of the Structural Analysis Report prepared by Westchester Services, LLC and dated April 20, 2018, indicates a total of six remote radio units being proposed as part of the modifications. However sheets T-1, A-3 and A-4 of the Construction Drawings prepared by Westchester Services, LLC and dated April 20, 2018 indicates a total of nine remote radio units being proposed as part of the modifications.

Staff also observed that the electronic copy provided with the request for exempt modification contains a Structural Analysis Report and Construction Drawings dated November 13, 2017 and November 15, 2017, respectively that depict a different plan for the facility. This is inconsistent with the hardcopies provided in the request.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Cherundolo Consulting provide clarification on the total number of remote radio units being proposed in this request and update the relevant document; and provide an updated electronic copy of the request for exempt modification that is consistent with what is being proposed, on or before March 22, 2019. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to March 22, 2019.

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,

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

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c: The Honorable Neil M. O'Leary, Mayor, City of Waterbury
Clifford C. Brammer, III, Land Use Officer, City of Waterbury

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