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September 9, 2022

TO: Council Members

FROM: Melanie Bachman, Executive Director

RE: **DOCKET NO. 512** - Homeland Towers, LLC and New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC d/b/a AT&T application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility located at 60 Vale Road, Brookfield, Connecticut.

I. Introduction

The application is from Homeland Towers, LLC and New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC d/b/a AT&T for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility and associated equipment at 60 Vale Road, Brookfield, Connecticut.

II. Technical

The application conforms to the Council's *Application Guide for Community Antenna Television and Telecommunication Facilities*, includes relevant maps, descriptions of the site, costs, a description of the environmental effects of the proposed construction, and health and safety information. The application meets statutory technical requirements for processing the application. This project would not require an outside consultant.

III. Administrative Review

All service and filing requirements pursuant to General Statutes § 16-50l (b) have been fulfilled. Notice to the general public was published in the Danbury News-Times.

IV. Procedural

Pursuant to CGS §16-50m, the Council must schedule a public hearing not less than 30 days and no more than 150 days after receipt of an application. At least one public hearing session shall be held after 6:30 PM for the convenience of the general public. The Council must also designate a place for the deposition of the transcript. In accordance with CGS § 16-50m and Public Act No. 22-3, staff recommends holding a remote public hearing via Zoom conferencing on November 3, 2022 and depositing the transcript in the Brookfield Town Hall.

Siting Analyst: Michael Perrone

Enclosure: Schedule

SCHEDULE

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Application received	08/10/2022
Completeness review (with extension)	09/15/2022
Council Interrogatories <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Set-One Filed• Set-One responses due	TBD TBD
Pre-hearing conference via Zoom conferencing – 11:00 a.m.	10/12/2022
Deadline for Exchange of Interrogatories between Parties and Intervenor	10/20/2022
Deadline for Pre-filed testimony and Responses to Interrogatories	10/27/2022
Deadline to request Party/Intervenor status	10/27/2022
Public Hearing 2:00 p.m. evidentiary session and 6:30 p.m. public comment session via Zoom conferencing (refer to Hearing Information section on Docket 512 project webpage for Zoom conferencing log in/call in)	11/03/2022
Continued Evidentiary Session(s)	TBD
Close of Evidentiary Record	11/03/2022
Close of Public Comment Period	12/03/2022
Draft Findings of Fact	12/08/2022
Draft Findings of Fact, Opinion & Decision & Order	12/22/2022
Deadline for Decision	01/07/2023

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