

February 28, 2024

Via Electronic Mail

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Connecticut Siting Council
10 Franklin Square
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Re: **Notice of Exempt Modification – Facility Modification
215 Coatney Hill Road, Woodstock, Connecticut**

Dear Attorney Bachman:

Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless (“Cellco”) currently maintains an existing wireless telecommunications facility at the above-referenced property address (the “Property”). The facility consists of antennas on an existing tower and related equipment on the ground, near the base of the tower. The tower was approved by the Town of Woodstock (“Town”) in January of 2001. Cellco’s shared use of the tower was approved by the Siting Council (“Council”) in October of 2007 (EM-VER-169-070831). A copy of the Town’s tower approval and Council’s EM-VER-169-070831 approval are included in Attachment 1.

Cellco now intends to modify its facility by removing nine (9) antennas and six (6) remote radio heads (“RRHs”) and installing nine (9) new antennas and six (6) new RRHs on its existing antenna platform and antenna mounts. A set of project plans showing Cellco’s proposed facility modifications and the specifications for Cellco’s new antennas and RRHs are included in Attachment 2.

Please accept this letter as notification pursuant to R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-73, for construction that constitutes an exempt modification pursuant to R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-72(b)(2). In accordance with R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-73, a copy of this letter is being sent to Woodstock’s Chief Elected Official and Land Use Officer. The Town of Woodstock is the owner of the Property.

The planned modifications to the facility fall squarely within those activities explicitly provided for in R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-72(b)(2).

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