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Ms. Linda Roberts, Exec. Director
Connecticut Siting Council
10 Franklin Square
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**RE: T-Mobile Northeast, LLC Application : DOCKET #407
for a Certificate of Environmental
Compatibility and Public Need
for a Telecommunications Facility Located :
at 77-145 Pleasant Point Road
Branford, Connecticut**

Dear Ms. Roberts:

I am writing following a meeting between the Town of Branford (intervenor) and the Applicant, T-Mobile during which significant alternatives to the proposed wireless facility location and configuration were discussed. At that meeting, the parties agreed that it would be necessary to run additional data sets to determine if these alternatives would be appropriate for submission to the Council in this docket. The nature of the change involves the identification of a ball field location in the Stony Creek area and the 21 Acorn Road existing wireless facility which the Town has requested that T-Mobile explore as alternatives to the Pleasant Point facility. The Town of Branford has discussed these alternative locations with residents and desires to offer these locations as acceptable to the community as they will likely be of a scale that is less visually intrusive than the primary proposal.

As a result the Town of Branford is requesting a 90 day continuance of these proceedings so that there is a more productive use of the Council's time and the parties' resources. Specifically, we are requesting to be relieved from the hearing date of August 16th and the associated pre-filing deadlines as we believe the evidence and pre-filings will change significantly. T-Mobile has agreed that this is the best way to proceed.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Keith R. Ainsworth
Evans, Feldman & Ainsworth, LLC for the Town of Branford, Intervenor