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August 21, 2025

Via Email
Cliff Rabuffo, Chairman
Planning Board
Town of Shandaken
7209 Rte. 28
Shandaken, NY 12480

RE: Application of Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless for Special Use Permit and Site Plan Approval – 5681 NYS Route 28, Tax Map Parcel No.: 14.13-3-32

#### Dear Chairman Rabuffo:

In furtherance of our July 29, 2025 letter, please be advised that Verizon Wireless hereby amends its pending application to install and operate a new communications facility at the referenced address as follows. In light of the Zoning Board of Appeals' denial of the height and setback variances, Verizon Wireless proposes to lower the height of the tower to 175' (179' with 4' lightning rod).

We note that the proposed tower also complies with the setback required by §116-62(I) of the Code, which requires only that telecommunications facilities comply with existing setbacks of the specific zoning district in which the facility is proposed to be located. The maximum setbacks required in the HR zoning district are: (i) front -40'; (ii) side -25'; and (iii) rear -40'. Sheet SB-1 of the revised plans illustrates that the proposed tower meets and exceeds these setback requirements by a larger margin.

To ensure that the fall zone of the tower will remain limited to the property upon which the tower is proposed as set forth in §116-62.4(H) of the Code, Verizon Wireless will design the tower to "break" at the 100' height in the unlikely event of a tower failure. This will ensure that the tower, should it fail, will remain on the property and not encroach on any adjacent property, habitable structures, public streets, utility lines and public property.

In support of the amended application, Verizon Wireless encloses the following supporting materials:

1. Revised site plans; and

2. Tectonic Engineering letter dated August 19, 2025 which describes the hinge point design being incorporated into the tower design.

Based on the foregoing, we believe that the amended application can proceed without the need for any area variances from the ZBA.

Ulster County is in the process of upgrading its existing emergency communications system to eliminate system gaps in coverage in its existing radio system. The proposed system overhaul will involve new County facilities in Shandaken, Kingston, Sams Point, Tonche, Saugerties, Rosendale and Marlboro. For more information concerning this important public project, please visit the County website at www.participate.ulstercountyny.gov/public-radio-system.

The County of Ulster radio communications upgrade project is critically important to local emergency service providers in the Town of Shandaken and other municipalities in the County of Ulster. A robust and redundant radio system is essential to ensure instant, reliable, and coordinated communications during both routine operations and major emergencies.

Unfortunately, reducing the tower height to 175' will not accommodate the County antennas which are critical for the public safety communication network being designed to serve the Town of Shandaken.

To meet the County's critical need for reliable radio communications in support of emergency service providers in the Town of Shandaken, the County submits that the Planning Board has lawful authority to: (i) approve the amended application for Verizon Wireless, and (ii) immediately thereafter permit the tower to be extended above 180 feet to accommodate the County's antennas. Such approval may be authorized under either (x) the County of Monroe balancing test established in *In re County of Monroe v City of Rochester*, 72 N.Y.2d 338, or (y) the 2012 Spectrum Act.

The County of Monroe test is specifically designed to allow a governmental entity—in this case, the County of Ulster—limited immunity from local land use regulations, such as the applicable height restriction, where necessary to fulfill essential public functions. While the Planning Board may not be familiar with the County of Monroe balancing test, it has been sanctioned by the Court of Appeals since the late 1980s and is routinely utilized in situations like this. Moreover, use of the County of Monroe balancing test will lawfully avoid the need for a height variance under existing zoning. Application of the County of Monroe balancing test would require the Planning Board to consider a nine (9) part test established by the Court of Appeals to determine whether application of the balancing test to the County's request to extend the proposed tower (without the need for an area variance) is appropriate.

Alternatively, the Planning Board could move forward to accommodate the County's need under the Spectrum Act. According to the Spectrum Act, a "local government may not deny and shall approve any eligible facilities request for modification of an eligible support structure that does not substantially change the physical dimensions of such structure." 47 CFR §1.6100(C). Such application must be approved within sixty (60) days of the date upon which the applicant submits the eligible facilities request.

The Spectrum Act and its implementing regulations define what constitutes a substantial change. For example, 47 CFR §1.6100(b)(1) specifically allows the height of existing towers to be extended by the greater of: (i) ten percent (10%) of the tower height; or (ii) twenty feet (20').

Under this approach, although the tower will not be constructed at the time of the County of Ulster's eligible facilities request, the Spectrum Act defines "existing" as a constructed tower that "has been reviewed and approved under the applicable zoning or siting process...." 47 CFR §1.6100(b)(5).

We believe that upon the Planning Board's review (and hopefully approval) of the amended application for a 175' tower, the proposal will comply with the spirit and intent of the Spectrum Act and given the important purpose of the County's need to upgrade its emergency radio communications system, the Planning Board will be able to approve the County's request to extend the tower as an eligible facilities request under the Spectrum Act. More importantly, the Planning Board can authorize the tower extension for the County without the need for any area variances since the Spectrum Act provides that the local municipality shall approve and not deny since the Spectrum Act clearly provides that an eligible facilities request cannot be denied.

We look forward to discussing this further with the Planning Board at its August 27, 2025 meeting.

Very truly yours, YOUNG SOMMER, LLC

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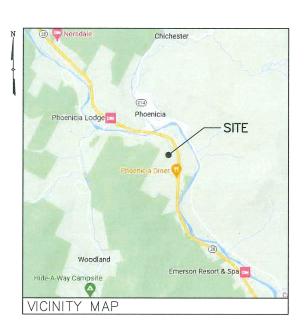
C: Brandon Farinaccio (Verizon Wireless)
Dennis M. Doyle Director, Ulster County Planning
Steven Peterson, Ulster County Emergency Services

## CELLCO PARTNERSHIP, d/b/a

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## SITE NAME: **PHOENICIA**

FUZE ID#: 2507251 MDG#: 5000095310



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COUNTY:	ULSTER
TAX MAP NUMBER:	14.13-3-32
ZONING DISTRICT:	HR - HAMLET RESIDENTIAL
STRUCTURE COORDINATES:	42.077706* -74.311258*
GROUND ELEVATION:	1123.5'± AMSL
PROPERTY OWNER:	FRANK PARSLOW 241 MOONHAW RD WEST SHOKAN, NY 12494
APPLICANT:	VERIZON WIRELESS 1275 JOHN STREET, SUITE 100 WEST HENRIETTA, NY 14586
CONTACT PERSON:	BRANDON FARINACCIO
CONTACT PHONE:	(518) 248-6254
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#### PROJECT SUMMARY

#### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

THE PROPOSED WORK CONSISTS OF INSTALLING CELLULAR ANTENNAS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT ON A PROPOSED SELF—SUPPORT TOWER AND THE INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT AT GRADE WITHIN A PROPOSED FENCED COMPOUND. PROJECT INCLUDES THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW GRAVEL ACCESS DRIVEWAY AND OVERHEAD POWER AND FIBER UTILITIES TO SERVICE THE FACILITY.

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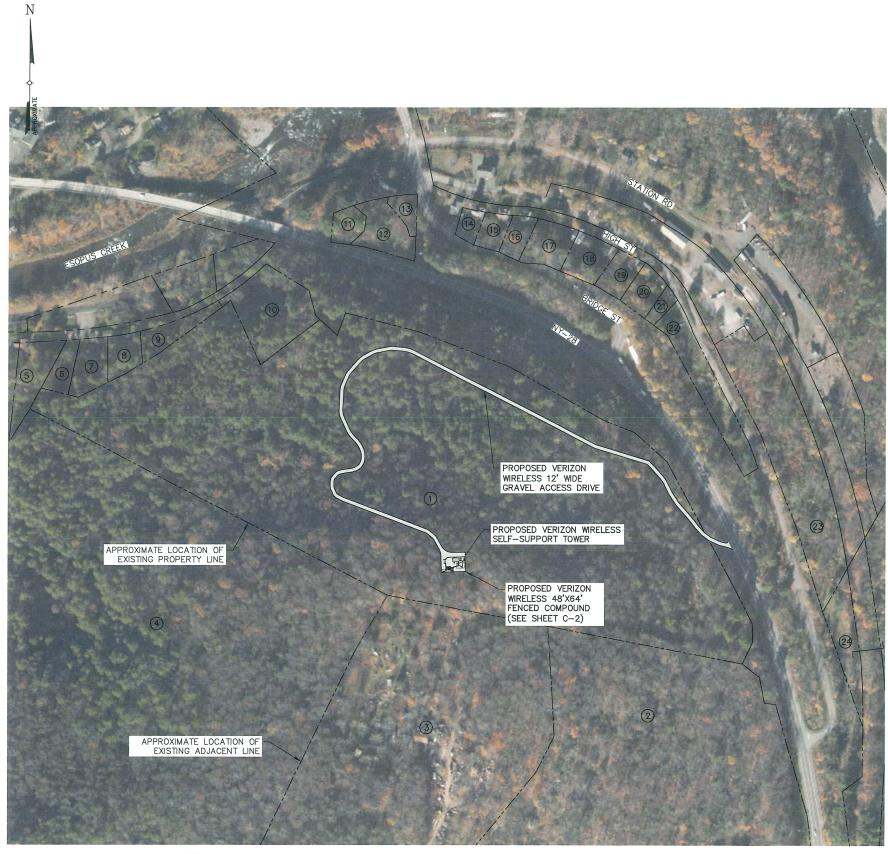
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3	14.3-1-2.220	Loren Umhay P.O. Box 170 Phoenicia, NY12464
4	14.3-1-1	New York State P.O. Box 1800 Kingston, NY 12402
5	13.16-3-14	Peter Giambrone Dorothy Giambrone 167 High St or P.O. Box 102 Phoenicia, NY 12464
6	14.13-3-33	Peter Giambrone Dorothy Giambrone 29 High St or P.O. Box 102 Phoenicia, NY 12465
7	14.13-3-34	LJM Rentals LLC 24 Pine Ln Mt. Tremper, NY 12457
8	14.13-3-35	Ellen J Carter Michael Gorelick 159 High St Phoenicia, NY 12464
9	14.13-3-36	Suzanne Sayko Byrne 151 High St Phoenicia, NY 12464
10	14.13-3-37	Rachel Weissman 527 W 110th St Apt 82 New York, NY 10025
11	14.13-3-38	St Francis Church P.O. Box 25 Phoenicia, NY 12464
12	14.13-3-39	Linda J Arnold 7389 State Rt 28 Shandaken, NY 12480
13	14.13-3-40	Donald Rotella 117 High St or P.O. Box 346 Phoenicia, NY 12464
14	13-1-5	Arthur E Christie Jennifer J Christie 3 High Street East Shandaken, NY 12480
15	14.13-3-61	Douglas K Angona 6644 US Rt 9 Hudson, NY 12534
16	14.13-3-60	Anique Taylor P.O. Box 367 Phoenicia, NY 12464
17	14.13-3-59	Donald Casale Marvella Tannenbaum 97 High St or P.O. Box 644 Phoenicia, NY 12464
18	14.13-3-57.100	Thomas Fraser Dana Fraser P.O. Box 565 Phoenicia, NY 12464
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20	14.13-3-55	Arlo Devlin BrownDaniela Kempf 274 W 113 St Apt A New York, NY 10026
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23	14.13-3-31.200	State Railway Empire Museum Inc P.O. Box 455 Phoenicia, NY 12464
24	14.3-1-2.110	Robin Preuss and Others 2225 east warren Rd Waitsfield, VT 05673



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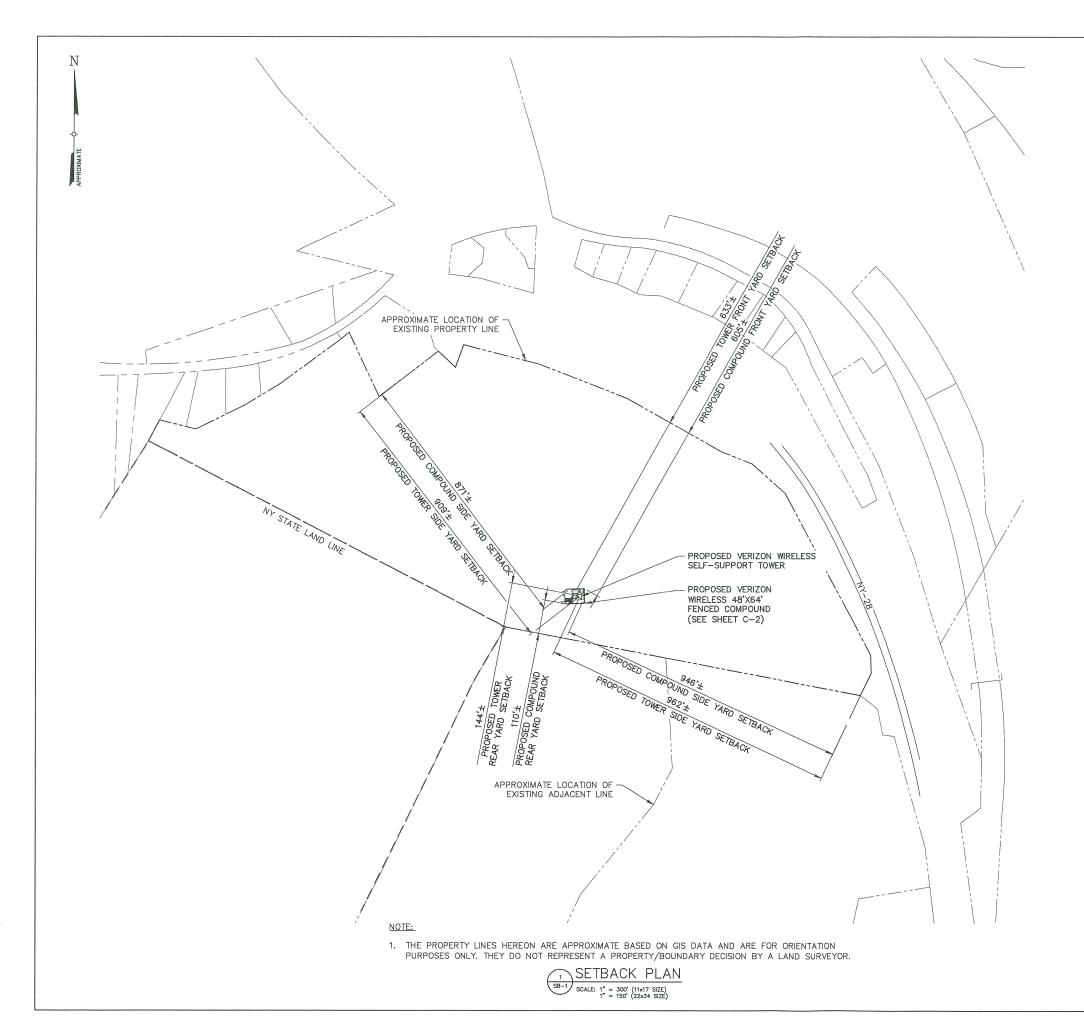
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#### BULK REQUIREMENTS

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MINIMUM YARDS (TOWER) FRONT: SIDE: REAR:	179 FT 179 FT 179 FT	- - -	633 FT 909 FT 144 FT*
MINIMUM YARDS (COMPOUND) FRONT: SIDE: REAR:	40 FT 25 FT 40 FT	- - -	605 FT 871 FT 110 FT
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\*THE PROPOSED TOWER WILL BE DESIGNED WITH A BREAK POINT AT THE MID POINT OF THE TOWER RESULTING IN A FALL ZONE OF 100'. AS SUCH, AN AREA VARIANCE IS NOT REQUIRED.

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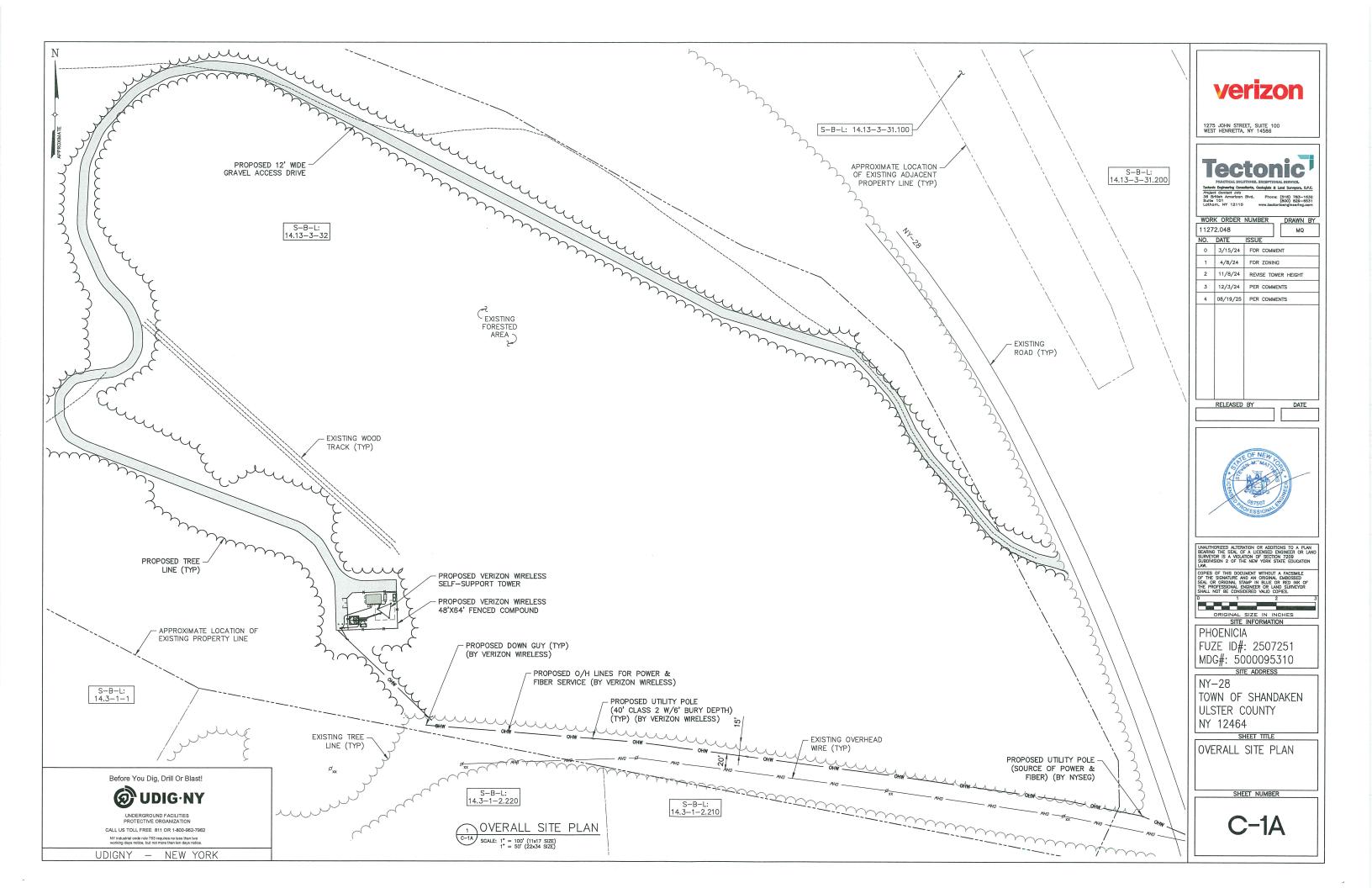
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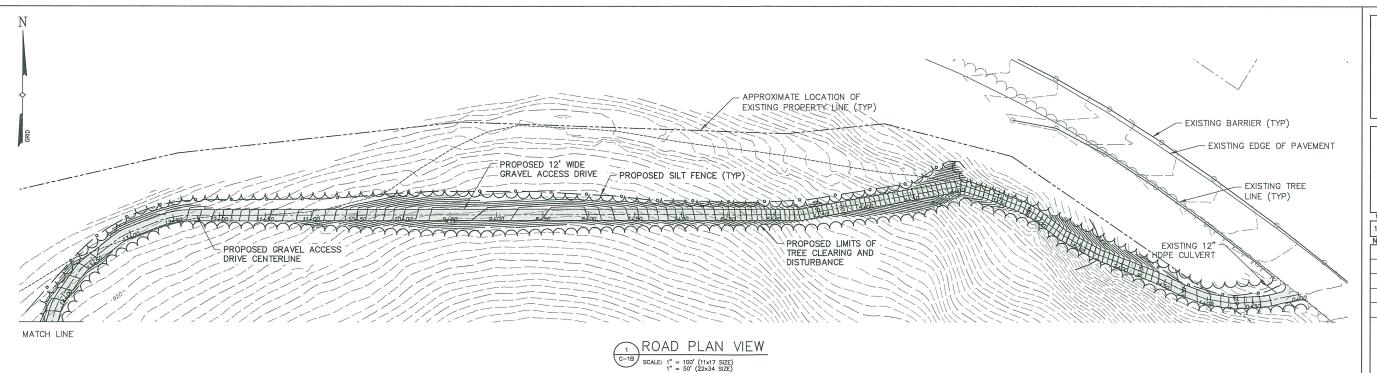
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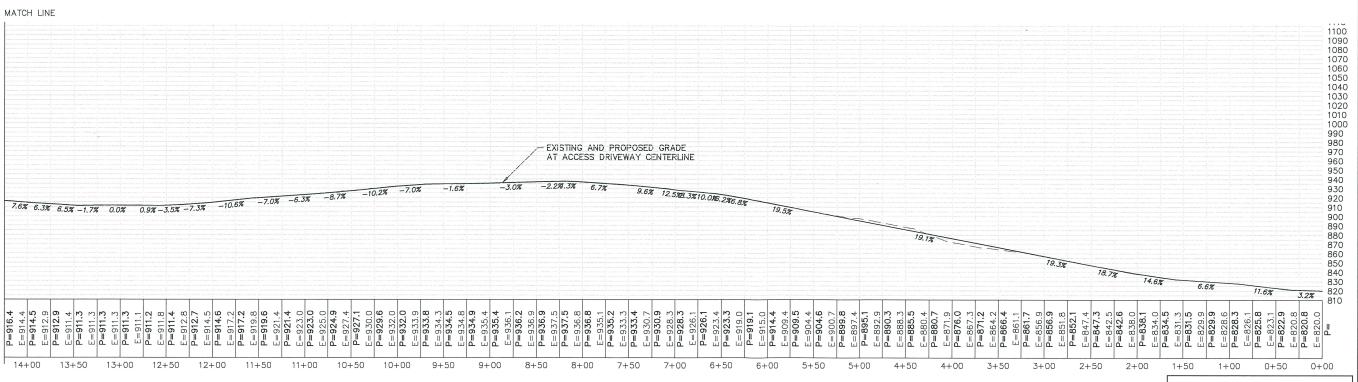
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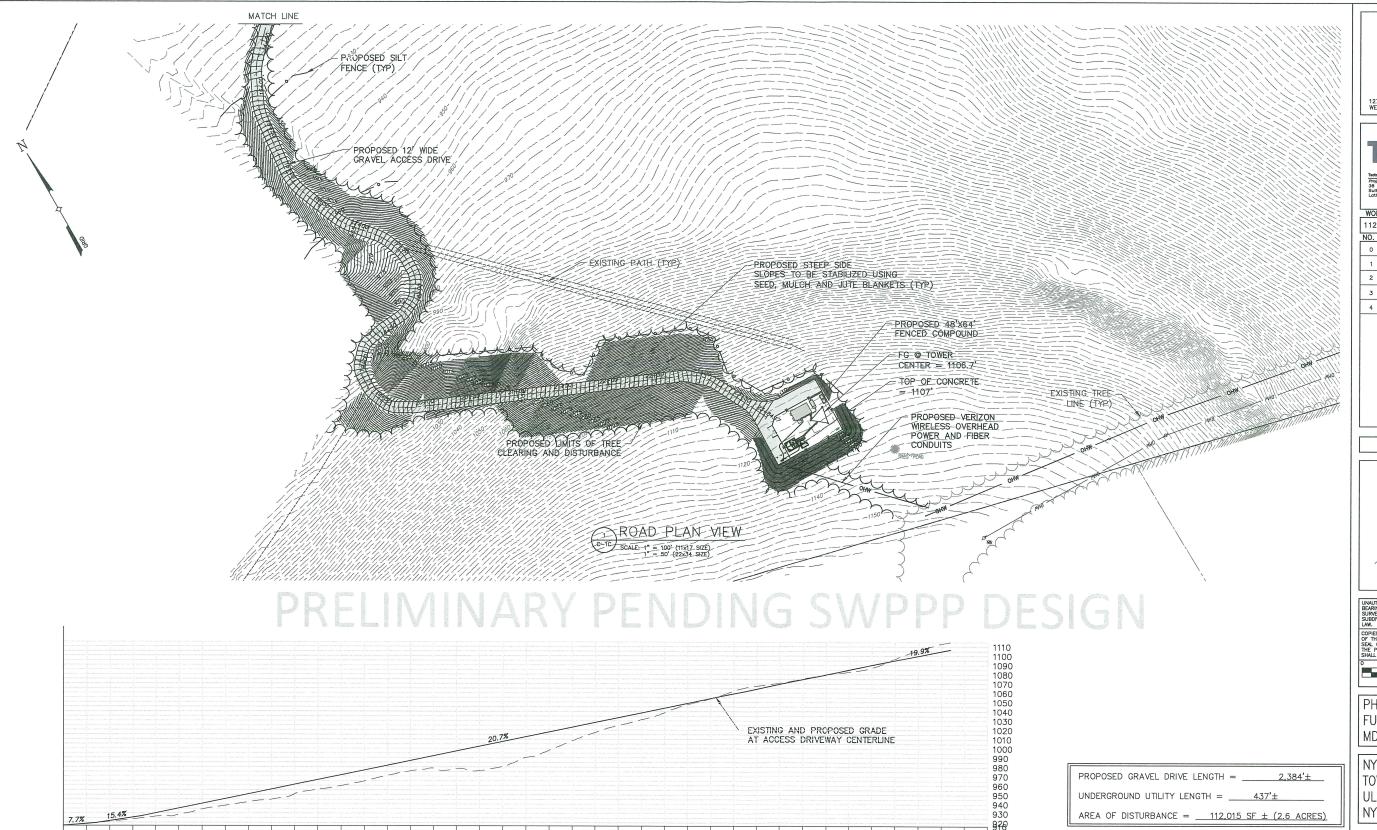
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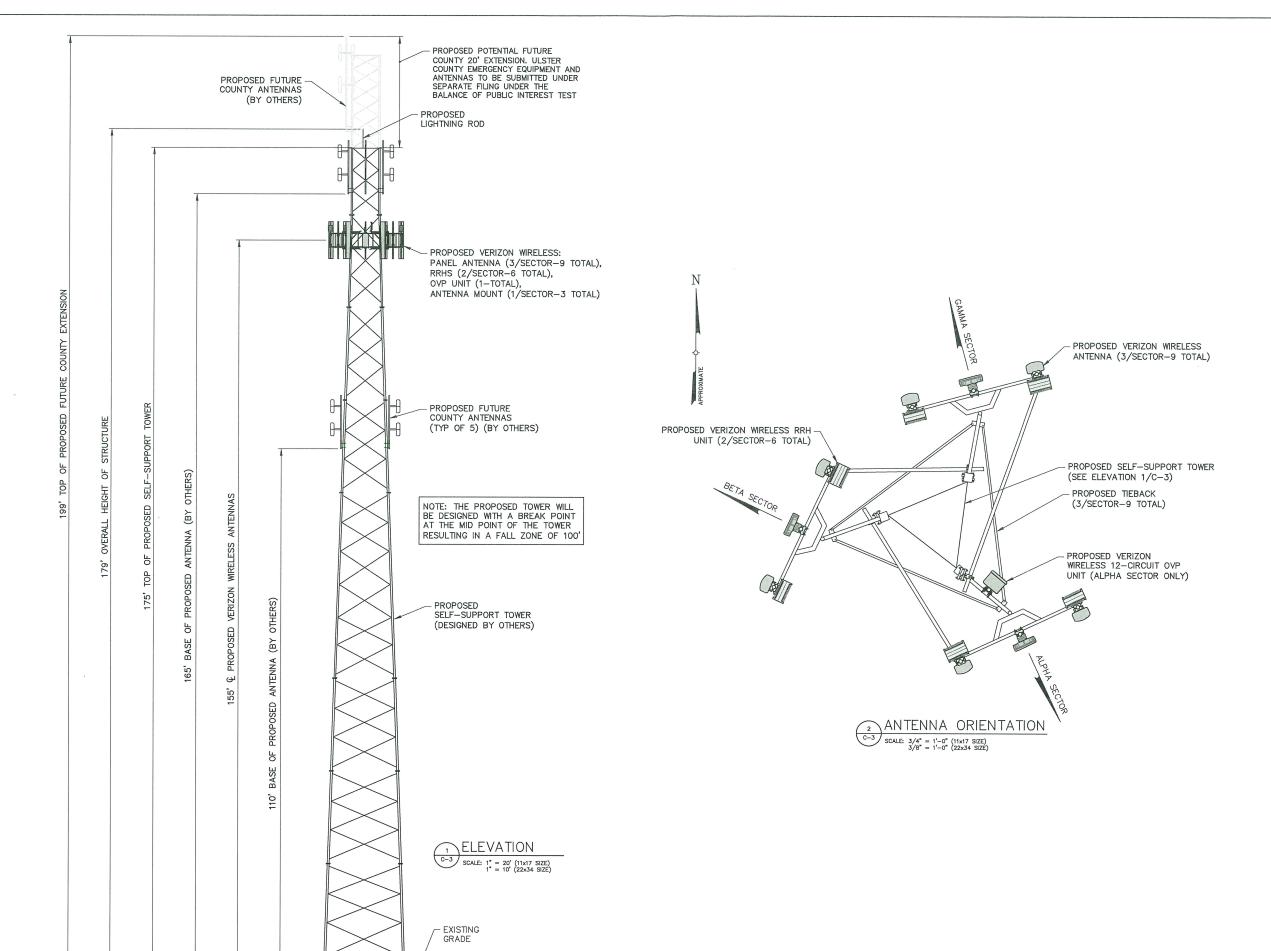
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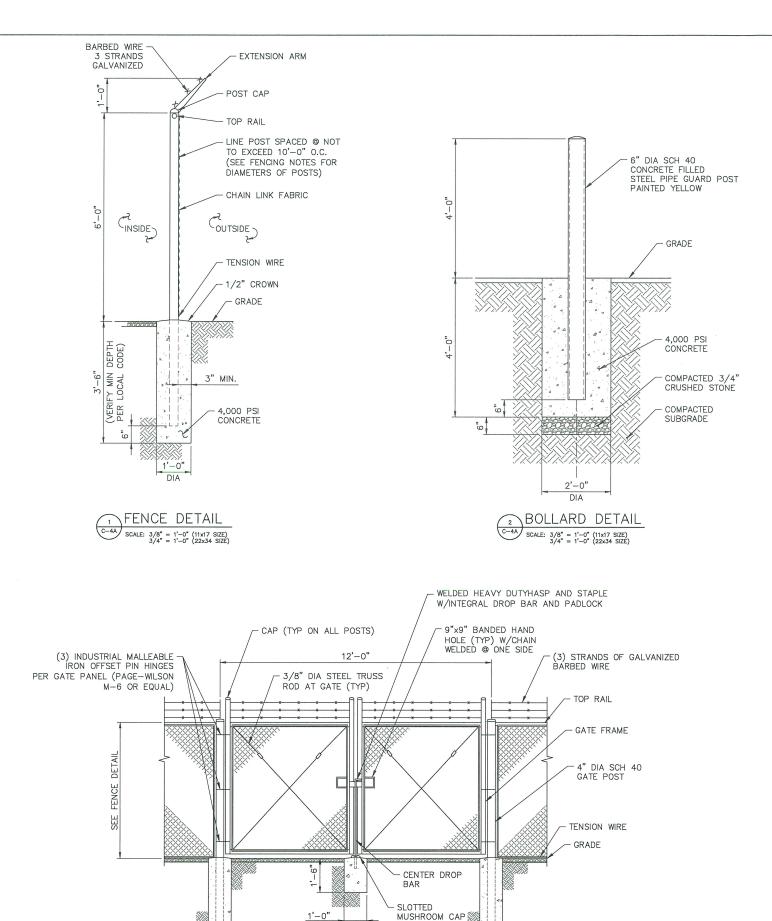
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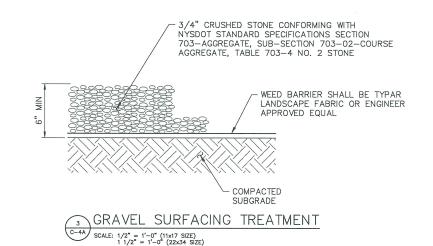


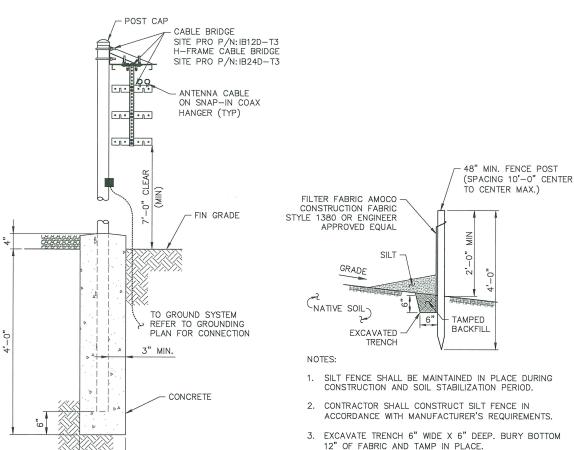
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(SEE FENCE DETAIL)





1'-0"

CABLE BRIDGE SCALE: 1/2" = 1'-0" (11x17 SIZE) 1" = 1'-0" (22x34 SIZE)





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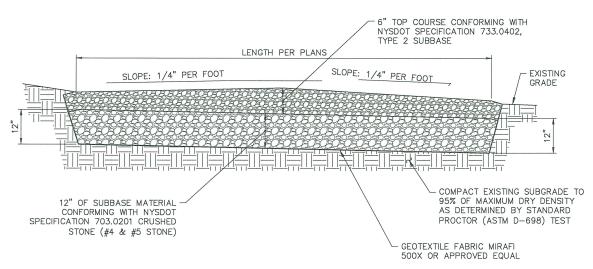
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4. WHEN FENCE IS NO LONGER NEEDED, THE ACCUMULATED SILT, ALL THE POSTS AND FABRIC SHALL BE REMOVED AND TRENCH BACK FILLED WITH TOPSOIL AND SEEDED.

SILT FENCE DETAIL

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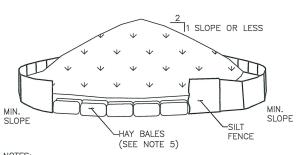
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#### EARTH WORK SUBGRADE COMPACTION & SELECT GRANULAR FILL

- 1. CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR CLEARING & GRUBBING THE CONSTRUCTION SITE AND ROADWAY AREAS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COMPLY WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED WITHIN THE GEOTECHNICAL REPORT, AS PREPARED FOR THIS SITE, WHEN NECESSARY, FOR SITE WORK PREPARATION, & FOUNDATION WORK. AS A MINIMUM THE TOP 3" OF GRADE SHALL BE REMOVED, THE EXPOSED SUBGRADE COMPACTED AND GEOTEXTILE FABRIC INSTALLED AS REQUIRED FOR UNSTABLE SOIL CONDITION.
- ALL SELECT GRANULAR FILL SHALL BE COMPACTED TO A 95% COMPACTION AT A MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY AS
  DETERMINED BY MODIFIED PROCTOR TEST (ASTM D-1557) AND WITHIN PLUS OR MINUS 3% OF OPTIMUM
  MOISTURE CONTENT.
- 3. CONTRACTOR TO ASSURE THAT EXISTING DRAINAGE PATTERNS ARE MAINTAINED.

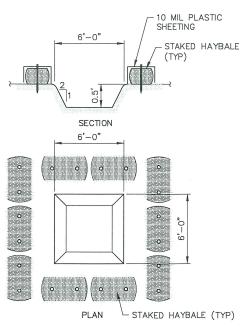


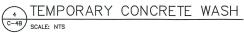


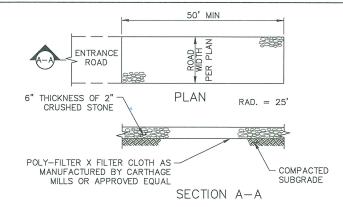
#### NOTES:

- 1. AREA CHOSEN FOR STOCKPILING OPERATIONS SHALL BE DRY AND STABLE.
- 2. MAXIMUM SLOPE OF STOCKPILE SHALL BE 1V:2H.
- 3. UPON COMPLETION OF SOIL STOCKPILING, EACH PILE SHALL BE SURROUNDED WITH SILT FENCING, THEN STABILIZED WITH VEGETATION OR COVERED.
- 4. SEE SPECIFICATIONS FOR INSTALLATION OF SILT FENCE.
- 5. HAYBALES TO BE USED WHERE STOCKPILES ARE LOCATED ON PAVED AREAS.









#### NOTES:

- 1. STONE SIZE USE 2" STONE, OR RECLAIMED OR RECYCLED CONCRETE EQUIVALENT.
- LENGTH NOT LESS THAN 50 FEET
- 3. THICKNESS NOT LESS THAN SIX INCHES
- . WIDTH 12 FOOT MINIMUM, BUT NOT LESS THAN THE FULL WIDTH AT POINTS WHERE INGRESS OR EGRESS OCCURS.
- 5. FILTER CLOTH WILL BE PLACED OVER THE ENTIRE AREA PRIOR TO PLACING OF STONE.
- 6. SURFACE WATER ALL SURFACE WATER FLOWING OR DIVERTED TOWARD CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCES SHALL BE PIPED ACROSS THE ENTRANCE, IF PIPING IS IMPRACTICAL A MOUNTABLE BERM WITH 5:1 SLOPES WILL BE PERMITTED.
- 7. MAINTENANCE THE ENTRANCE SHALL BE MAINTAINED IN A CONDITION WHICH SHALL PREVENT TRACKING OR FLOWING OF SEDIMENT ONTO PUBLIC RIGHTS—OF—WAY. THIS MAY REQUIRE PERIODIC TOP DRESSING WITH ADDITIONAL STONE AS CONDITIONS DEMAND AND REPAIR AND/OR CLEANOUT OF ANY MEASURES USED TO TRAP SEDIMENT. ALL SEDIMENT SPILLED, DROPPED, WASHED, OR TRACKED ONTO PUBLIC RIGHTS—OF—WAY MUST BE REMOVED IMMEDIATELY.
- B. WASHING WHEELS SHALL BE CLEANED TO REMOVE SEDIMENT PRIOR TO ENTRANCE ONTO PUBLIC RIGHTS—OF—WAY. IF ACCUMULATED SOIL DOES NOT COME OFF BY WAY OF STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL KNOCK OFF ACCUMULATED SOIL BY MANUAL METHODS UPSLOPE OF A SILT FENCE BARRIER.
- . SEDIMENT TRAPPING SILT FENCE BARRIER SHALL BE INSTALLED DOWN SLOPE OF CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE TO CATCH ANY SEDIMENT THAT COULD POTENTIALLY FALL OFF OF CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT AND/OR VEHICLES.
- 10. PERIODIC INSPECTIONS AND NEEDED MAINTENANCE SHALL BE PROVIDED AFTER EACH RAIN.





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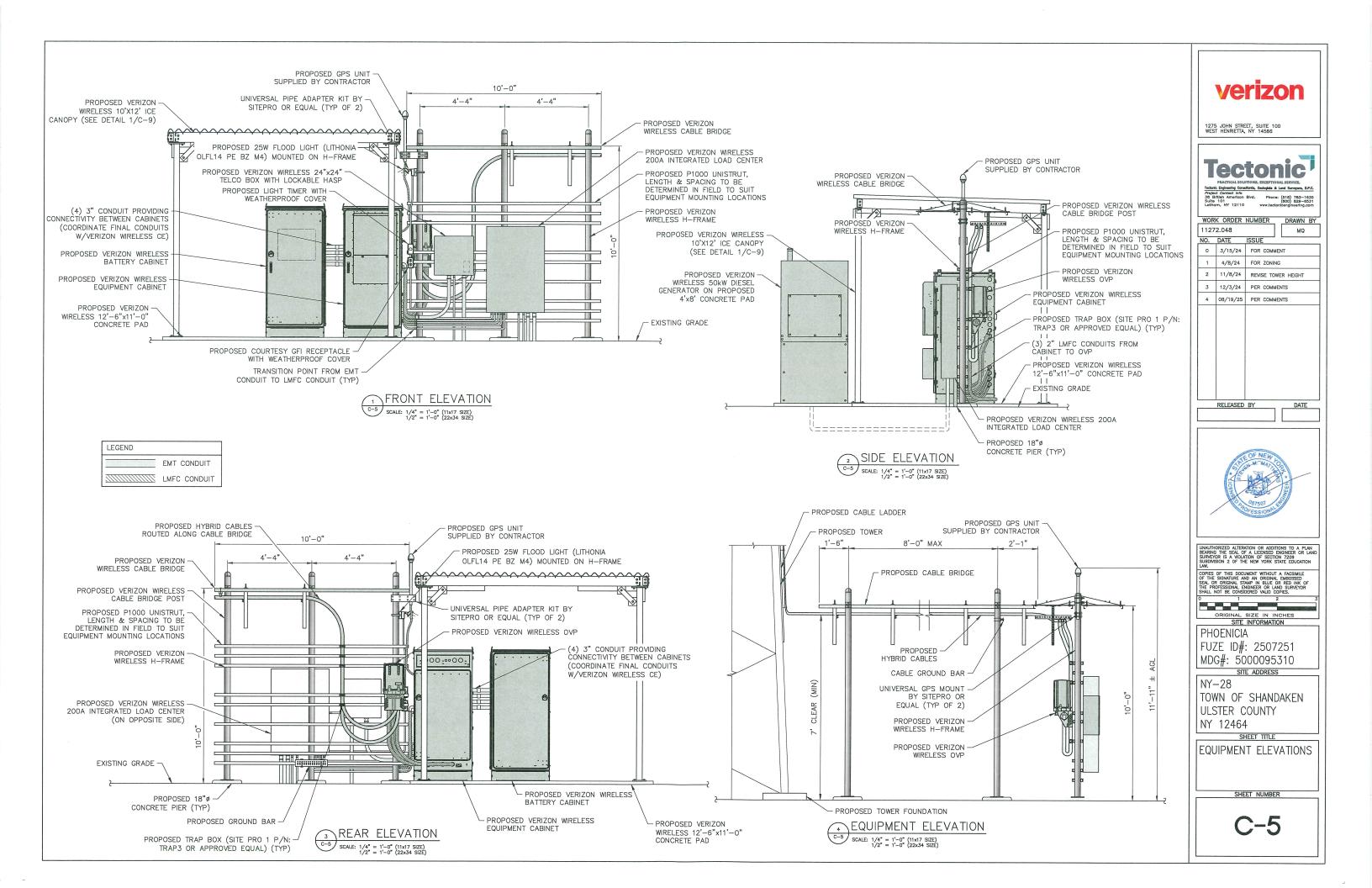
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Verizon Wireless 1275 John Street, Suite #100 West Henrietta, NY 14586 ATTN: Brandon Farinaccio

August 20, 2025

RE: STRUCTURAL DESIGN LETTER

PROPOSED TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITY

**VERIZON WIRELESS SITE: PHOENICIA** 

NY-28, TOWN OF SHANDAKEN, ULSTER COUNTY, NY 12464

**TECTONIC W.O. 11272.048** 

Dear Mr. Farinaccio:

Verizon Wireless is proposing a telecommunication facility at the above referenced address. The site includes the installation of a Verizon Wireless antenna array at a centerline height of 155' above ground level (AGL) on a 175' self-supporting tower (179' including a 4' lightning rod). The tower will be designed to accommodate a 20' extension, several Ulster County antennas at various heights, and three (3) additional cellular carriers in addition to the proposed Verizon Wireless installation. The structural loading for each future carrier will include up to twelve (12) panel antennas along with remote radio units and other related equipment. The make, model, and manufacturer of the proposed tower will be provided as part of the construction documents to be submitted for the building permit application.

For the purpose of structural design of the tower, foundation, and antenna supports, the most stringent criteria of the 2020 Building Code of New York State and ANSI/TIA-222-H-2017 "Structural Standard for Antenna Supporting Structures and Antennas and Small Wind Turbine Support Structures" will be applied. The proposed installation will be designed by a New York State licensed professional engineer and will meet all of the above listed criteria. The tower will be designed to resist overturning, shear, and all other failure modes. The tower will also be designed with a failure break point at its midpoint (approximately 100' AGL) such that, in the event of a failure, the tower will fall within a fall zone setback of 100' so as not to impact adjoining properties.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Tectonic Engineering Consultants, Geologists & Land Surveyors, D.P.C.

Steven M. Matthews, PE

Managing Director of Engineering

