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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is in regards to the cell phone tower proposal for 906 Old Perryville Loop in Washington County Kentucky. This public notice was listed in the Springfield Sun as **docket # 2007-00321**.

I am strongly against the tower being erected at the proposed sight on Old Perryville Loop. There is a private airport located just south of the sight that is used today by ultra lights and small aircraft. In the event of a natural disaster or emergency it could be utilized to deliver supplies and evacuate people. If this tower is planted, the flight pattern will be obstructed and close the airport that has been operating for more than fifty years.

In addition, this sight is located in a historic area of Washington County. There is a home on the National Historic Register located to the adjoining property that served as a hospital during the Civil War and is surrounded by a number of unknown graves. Even earlier than the Civil War, the Indians occupied this area. An archeologist surveying the sight has documented this.

Finally, I would also like to preserve the green space in this area. I know why John Hardin an early Kentucky surveyor and the Indians settled in this area. The long views, and rolling hills are beautiful and irreplaceable. I grew up on an adjoining farm and will be the fifth generation to farm in the area and hope to pass it to my son one day.

After reading this letter I hope you will agree with me that this is not a good sight for a cell phone tower. This area has an airport that could serve the community in need, historic sights and beautiful green space that are irreplaceable. If this site is still under consideration I would like to be notified of any public hearing or proceedings. You can contact me (859) 805-1398 or send correspondence to 433 Lakeview Drive, Springfield, KY 40069.

Sincerely,



Craig L. Arnold