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Case number 2005-00386

To the Executive Director:

This letter is to represent our opposition to the proposed construction and operation of a new cell facility and 240 foot tower at 6945 New Lebanon Road, Campbellsville, KY, 42718. The application was made by Bluegrass Wireless LLC.

There is currently a tower located within a quarter mile of the proposed site. It is on 'Radio Hill' off Old Calvary Road. This is the highest elevation in several counties and was so named because the location was beneficial in setting and tuning early electronic devices. There is existing access. We question the addition of a tower along this beautiful hilltop. Has the feasibility of expanding existing towers, utilizing existing space already committed to tower construction and usage been considered? The addition of a 240' tower will expand the flashing metal grid of towers across our beautiful hilltops. Is it really necessary to have so many towers so close together? The investments of time and money we have made in our home and farm was for a picket fence - not a strobe lighted metal string of towers.

We believe the construction of this tower will negatively affect the value of all properties listed on the plat map. It is obvious that we have the only residence near the 500' radius. With this map we are at approximately 600'. Because of this we are most likely the only persons who will challenge this construction. There is an irony in the listing of property owners with the last item for each land owner being : NO ZONING. How sad that one thing most of us live in the country for would be one thing that would show up to haunt us forever. A 240 foot tall tower in your view of the woods and ridge line is an asset to no one in this neighborhood.

The location of the cell tower so close to our home raises other issues. We have many concerns about the health risks that having a tower operating so close to our home will bring upon us. The information on cell phone radiation and electromagnetic pollution danger is endless and scary. These hazards are common to humans, birds, and animals.

The construction of the tower on the land leased from Mr. Brown will be just the beginning of the anticipated hazards associated with the tower. A 240 foot tower is an investment for Bluegrass that will allow them to lease tower space for many additional antennas for telecommunication expansion. The volume of radiological energy will increase and increase without visible warnings to people living in the area around the tower.

The initial letter from Dinsmore & Shohl LLC, attorneys for Bluegrass Wireless LLC will most likely be the only communication we will ever receive about the tower. This notice is required by law and enforced by the Public Service Commission of Kentucky. Is the operation of the tower and monitoring of levels of production, reception, and expansion to be reported to the land owners listed or regulated by law?

Our comments will have to suffice as our intent to intervene. While the information on individuals attempting to stop construction of cell towers is immense, the costs of litigation and the volume of successes by the telecommunications corporations causes us to not attempt to wage a legal battle. We appeal to your good judgement and sense of fairness.

With disgust and many concerns,

Sincerely,


Paul Gaddis


Donna Gaddis

cc: Dinsmore & Shohl, LLP