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Re: Case No. 2007-00363/Cellco Partnership

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing in regards to the Verizon Cellular Tower Proposed at 2181 Stepstone Road, Mount Sterling, Kentucky, 40353.

I am writing to request a "full intervention" in this matter and still am opposed to this site being erected adjacent to my property.

I cannot be assured this tower will not be of harm to my family from the radioactive waves emitted from such base towers. Although the evidence is inconclusive at this point, and the harm to the public is "slight", "slight" risk is not a guaranteed certainty that my family will not be harmed in the future. There has just not been enough scientific studies and therefore not a conclusive determination that this will not happen. In fact, it does show that these rays do cause warming of the tissues such as a heat lamp would and it Has been determined that rays from heat lamps, such as tanning beds, are harmful.

The collision of two molecules inside the body causes an electrical event, and in comparison with the electrical activity of a base tower, the question arises, can this activity cause cancer in the human body. From my research I have found that several "theoretical considerations" suggest it is UNLIKELY to cause cancer. Now I ask you this question: If this tower was being placed by your home and you had small children, or any loved one living within this small distance of the tower, would "several theoretical considerations" of an UNLIKELY occurrence of cancer be a good enough answer for your family? It is not for mine. For it is me and my family who will suffer any consequence of this tower, maybe not immediate danger, but as we have seen in past reports, the dangers are long term for these occurrences, they are not immediate.

Over 10 years ago, in 1993, The World Health Organization that the "epidemiologic and comparative clinical studies do not provide CLEAR evidence of detrimental health effects in humans from RF fields". "Clear" evidence is not sufficient. I need conclusive evidence.

There has been no test to measure whether a person has been exposed to RF activity, therefore, that is all I really need to know that it is uncertain whether this will be harmful to me and my family. Per my research, I would have to spend my own monies to hire a private firm to detect how much radioactive waves are being emitted into my "space" and I will have to spend my own monies over many years to detect if I am being effected by this base tower. So therefore, you can conclude that I am not a rich man who can afford the luxury to hire private entities to investigate your base tower's future problems within my family.

Cellular towers are a new technology and have not been researched to find a definitive conclusion of my concerns. This is my first and primary concern.

My second concern is the eyesore that this tower will create for my family. I believe that this WILL depreciate the value of my land. Who wants to look out of their window and see a 200' tower, blocking a rolling hill, trees, wildlife. Who wants birds and the loud noise of birds all day and night. Not to mention the recent concerns of the bird flu....it is not an option for me.

Lastly, although you say lightning strikes usually will hit that tower first and deter lightning from hitting my property or home, these towers attract more lightning to the area and are likely to harm my property in the future.

Again, I wish a "full intervention" on this matter. Again, I can be reached by calling 859-498-3771

after 4pm and 859-388-1290 at anytime, day or night.

Regards,

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