

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF WIRELESSCO, L.P. FOR )  
ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC )  
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO )  
CONSTRUCT A PERSONAL COMMUNICATION ) CASE NO. 96-307  
SERVICES FACILITY IN THE LOUISVILLE )  
MAJOR TRADING AREA (I-265 REHL ROAD PCS )  
FACILITY )

O R D E R

The Commission has received the attached letter from Intervenor Jeffrey Windhorst regarding the proposed personal communication services facility to be located at 1615 Popelick Road, Louisville, Jefferson County, Kentucky.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. WirelessCo, L.P. ("WirelessCo") shall respond to Mr. Windhorst's concerns by certified letter, within 10 days from the date of this Order.
2. WirelessCo shall file a copy of the certified letter and dated receipt, within 7 days of the date on the receipt.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 24th day of September, 1996.

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

  
For the Commission

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September 9, 1996

Mr. Don Mills  
Kentucky Public Service Commission  
PO Box 615  
Frankfort, KY 40602

Re: Case # 96-307  
1615 S. Pope Lick Road

Dear Mr. Mills,

*How close is too close?* Please find enclosed a photograph of the proposed site for the Sprint cell phone tower. From Pope Lick Road to the other side, the property is only approximately 190 feet wide. I feel this will position the proposed tower entirely too close to the road, clearly in view of all who live near and drive by. The area trees are 50' tall at best. Could weather cause this tower to fall? If so, would it land across the road causing an accident? Is this tower a hazard? All valid questions I ask you to consider.

Also, regarding the owner of the property. Gearon & Company indicated that the property owners lives next to the proposed site. The owner has two separate tracks of property. The proposed tower will be on one, he lives on the other. **He currently has his house up for sale!** He's moving, but he'll still own the adjacent track with the proposed tower. My concerns over absentee owner are valid.

Again, I am urging you to closely consider this matter. I feel neighbors on S. Pope Lick Road have paid the price for progress in eastern Jefferson County with high tension power lines and the Gene Snyder Freeway nearby. Pope Lick is still a nice little country road, you can help keep it that way.

Sincerely,


  
Jeffrey Windhorst  
1804 S. Pope Lick Road  
Louisville, KY 40299  
502-245-7325

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