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[MPC Comment] Case # 5-B-15-UR

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To Whom It May Concern:

I am concerned about the proposed placement of a telecom tower in the middle of my neighborhood on Martha Berry Drive (Case # 5-B-15-UR). We recently bought our home in the neighborhood, in part because of the feel of seclusion and the gorgeous view of the mountains we see every day as we drive up to our home on the ridge. The addition of a telecom tower would, no doubt, hinder this beautiful, unobstructed view and would change the peaceful feel of our neighborhood.

Our neighborhood is full of nice homes, and we paid good money for ours. In addition, our taxes are almost double what they were at our old house, in a less established neighborhood. Having a beautiful, mature neighborhood full of nice homes should count for something when considering locations for a tower. That's part of the reason we bought here. There is no reason to plant a huge, ugly tower right in the middle of a nice, peaceful neighborhood. It seems to be that there are plenty of more commercial areas around, that might be better suited if a telecom tower is absolutely necessary.

I urge you to PLEASE reconsider the placement of the tower in our beautiful neighborhood. The last thing people looking for a little seclusion want to see is a huge metal communications tower blocking what used to be a view of the mountains.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Rachelle Peck-Baumann

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