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Fwd: CUP20-0006 - Support

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Wed, Jul 7, 2021 at 10:04 AM

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From: **Brandon Reinhardt** <brandon.reinhardt@gmail.com>
Date: Wed, Jul 7, 2021 at 9:48 AM
Subject: CUP20-0006 - Support
To: <matthew.aselage@edcgov.us>
Cc: John Hidhal <john.hidahl@edcgov.us>, EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Dear Planning Staff and BOS,

I am supportive of the 5G Verizon antenna project at Oak Ridge High School. I am a Verizon customer and live immediately adjacent to ORHS, which is currently a "dead zone" for Verizon reception. I have to use a VOIP solution to have phone access which does not work during power outages. Obviously, with the PSPS issues, this presents an enormous risk in the case of fires and emergencies. I lost all access to information (internet) and phone/text communication (also internet). I am pleased to read the facility will have a backup generator, my only request would be to pivot this to a battery backup for air quality purposes. Other than this minor adjustment, I think the project is a great idea and will increase public safety access to immediate neighbors that are also Verizon Wireless (or other) customers.

Thank you,
Brandon Reinhardt



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From: Michael Cooney <zoedog68@gmail.com>

Date: Wed, Jul 7, 2021 at 1:52 PM

Subject: Verizon Wireless's Appeal Regarding the Planning Commission's denial of their conditional use permit (CUP20-0006/Oak Ridge High School Verizon Wireless Cell Tower).

To: <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

This is in regards to Verizon Wireless's Appeal Regarding the Planning Commission's prior denial of their conditional use permit (CUP20-0006/Oak Ridge High School Verizon Wireless Cell Tower). Unfortunately I will be out of town on the day of the Commission's hearing but I would like to provide the following comments:

It is unfortunate that the Commission has to be subjected to Verizon's appeal. I applaud the Commission on their earlier decision to deny Verizon's conditional use permit. I continue to oppose their proposal and hope that you will reject their appeal.

In addition to the negative aesthetic impacts of cell towers and effects on property values, I am more concerned with the potential health issues associated with these towers, especially since the tower would be located on a high school campus and would be directly adjacent to a junior high school and an elementary school.

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There are hundreds of peer reviewed scientific studies showing major health dangers of the lower frequency earlier technology generations. The 5G studies are only now just starting to come out. And they are already indicating that the frequencies used in 5G will magnify the dangers from earlier generations. These types of facilities should not, if at all possible, be located near schools or homes.

I would also like to state that my current level of service for both my cell phone and internet is excellent and needs no improvement.

The overwhelming scientific majority of studies related to the dangers of these towers is especially significant in recognizing that the proposed tower site is located on a high school site and two adjacent school sites. To expose so many of these young people to the potential health risks these towers represent is not a wise decision.

Consequently, because of the negative aesthetic and health issues associated with the proposal, I recommend that the planning department continue to deny Verizon's proposal and reject their appeal to construct a wireless telecommunications facility on the campus of the Oak Ridge High School.

In my opinion, there could not be a worse spot for this type of project.

Thank you again for considering the potential hazard to our children's health. Please continue to keep these towers a safe distance from our schools and homes until we know their full effect.

Once again, thank you for this opportunity to comment on this important issue.

Regards,

Michael T. Cooney

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