

COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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STAFF REPORT

Board of County Commissioners

July 16, 2019

CASE No.: RCU2018-00034	CASE NAME: American Tower Brighton
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Owner's Name:	Shorma Commercial Properties, LLC	
Applicant's Name:	American Tower	
Applicant's Address:	10 Presidential Way, Woburn, MA 01801	
Location of Request:	10220 Brighton Road	
Nature of Request:	Renewal of a conditional use permit for a commercial telecommunications tower on the property	
Zone Districts:	Industrial-2 (I-2)	
Comprehensive Plan:	Commercial	
Site Size:	10,000 square feet of a 6.8-acre parcel	
Proposed Uses:	Commercial Telecommunications Tower	
Existing Use:	Industrial	
Hearing Date(s):	PC: June 27, 2019 / 6:00 p.m.	
	BoCC: July 16, 2019 /9:30 a.m.	
Report Date:	July 8, 2019	
Case Manager:	Greg Barnes	
Staff Recommendation:	APPROVAL with 8 Findings-of-Fact, 4 Conditions, and 1 Note	

SUMMARY OF APPLICATION

Background

American Tower, the applicant, is requesting renewal of a conditional use permit to allow the continuation of a commercial telecommunications tower on the subject property. According to the applicant and the application documents, no changes will be made to the existing tower.

The telecommunications tower occupies approximately 10,000 square feet of a 6.8-acre parcel. Specifically, the tower is located on the eastern side of the property (see Exhibit 3.2). The tower is approximately ninety (90) feet from the right-of-way for U.S. Highway 85, and approximately 1,060 feet from the right-of-way for Brighton Road. The elevation plan

submitted with the application shows that the tower is eighty-nine (89) feet in height (see Exhibit 3.2). An existing six-foot high chain-link fence is located around the perimeter of the tower site. The applicant is proposing for the existing fence to remain, because the tower has very limited visibility at the rear portions of the lot.

Site Characteristics:

The subject property is located approximately 600 feet north of the interchange between Interstate 76 and US Highway 85. The grade of the interchange for two multi-lane, limited-access highways reduces the visibility of the tower from the south and east. The tower does have some visibility from the north for southbound traffic along US Highway 85, although the high-speed of traffic and the upcoming merge to I-76 does inhibit the likelihood that the tower will be noticed. The properties to the west, north, and south of the site are also designated with I-2 zoning, and developed with similar industrial uses. The site has access onto Brighton Road.

Development Standards and Regulations Requirements:

Per Section 3-07-01 of the Adams County Development Standards and Regulations, a conditional use permit is required for a commercial telecommunications tower in the I-2 zone district. Section 4-09-02-07 of the County's Development Standards and Regulations outlines design and performance standards for telecommunication facilities. These standards include maximum height, landscaping, screening, setbacks from property lines, separation from other freestanding facilities, and setbacks from residential uses. The elevation plans, provided with the application, show the tower is 89 feet in height. The maximum height allowed in the I-2 zone district for structures is seventy-five (75) feet. Per Section 4-09-02-07(3a) of the Development Standards, the Board of County Commissioners, through the conditional use permit, may grant an exception to the height of the telecommunication tower to exceed the maximum height allowed in the zone district. The request includes allowing the height of the tower to remain at 89 feet.

Per Section 4-09-02-07(3) of the County's Development Standards and Regulations, freestanding telecommunication towers shall not be located closer than the height of the tower from any property line. The existing telecommunication tower is located 79 feet from the nearest property line to the north. Per Section 4-09-02-07(3c) of the Development Standards, the Board of County Commissioners, through the conditional use permit, may grant an exception to the setback of the telecommunication tower. The request includes allowing the height of the tower to remain at 79 feet from the northern property line, where a setback of 89 feet would be required.

Section 4-09-02-07(3)(d) of the County's Development Standards and Regulations requires new telecommunication towers to be located no closer than 1,000 feet from the nearest telecommunications tower. From the information submitted by the applicant, the existing location of the tower conforms to the County's spacing requirement, as the nearest tower is located approximately 3,000 feet away. The applicant also provided a coverage map of the area to demonstrate the need for the proposed tower.

The County's Development Standards requires a bond to be in place to ensure removal of the tower if it is abandoned or no longer in need and is not removed. The applicant does have an existing, active bond in place for cost of removing this tower.

Future Land Use Designation/Goals of the Comp-Plan for the Area

The future land use designation on the property is Commercial. Per Chapter 5 of the Adams County Comprehensive Plan, the goals of the Commercial future land use designation are to serve either neighborhood or regional needs and can be comprised of a variety of uses, including retail sales, restaurants and other services, and professional and commercial offices. In addition, the primary objective of the Commercial land use designation is to support and attract businesses that provide employment opportunities, meet the needs of County residents and visitors, and contribute to the County's tax base. The request to allow a telecommunications tower use is consistent with the County's Comprehensive Plan, as it will enhance provision of telecommunication services surrounding area residents.

Surrounding Zoning Designations and Existing Use Activity:

<u>Northwest</u>	<u>North</u>	<u>Northeast</u>
I-2	I-2	I-2
Industrial	Industrial	Limited-Access Highway
West	Subject Property	<u>East</u>
I-2	I-2	I-2
Industrial	Industrial	Limited-Access Highway
Southwest	<u>South</u>	Southeast
I-2	I-2	I-2
Industrial	Limited-Access Highway	Limited-Access Highway

Compatibility with the Surrounding Land Uses:

The tower is located on the eastern edge of a larger 6.8-acre lot, approximately 1,000 feet from Brighton Road. The site is surrounded by industrial development. Limited-access highways border the site to the east. In addition, the closest residential dwelling is approximately a half-mile from the site.

PLANNING COMMISSION UPDATE

The Planning Commission (PC) considered this case on June 27, 2019, and voted (7-0) to recommend approval of the request. The applicant spoke at the meeting and had no concerns with the staff report or presentation. He expressed the importance of the site to help provide telecommunication services throughout Adams County. There was no one from the public to speak in favor or in opposition to the request. The Planning Commission amended the recommended conditions to grant a ten year approval of the facility. Staff had recommended a five year approval, based on referral comments from Commerce City.

Staff Recommendations:

Based upon the application, the criteria for approval of a conditional use permit outlined in Section 2-02-08-06 of the County's Development Standards, the County's Comprehensive

Plan, and a recent site visit, staff recommends approval of the request with 8 findings-of-fact, four conditions, and one note.

Findings-of-fact for Approval:

- 1. The conditional use is permitted in the applicable zone district.
- 2. The conditional use is consistent with the purposes of these standards and regulations.
- 3. The conditional use will comply with the requirements of these standards and regulations, including but not limited to, all applicable performance standards.
- 4. The conditional use is compatible with the surrounding area, harmonious with the character of the neighborhood, not detrimental to the immediate area, not detrimental to the future development of the area, and not detrimental to the health, safety, or welfare of the inhabitants of the area and the County.
- 5. The conditional use permit has addressed all off-site impacts.
- 6. The site is suitable for the proposed conditional use including adequate usable space, adequate access, and absence of environmental constraints.
- 7. The site plan for the proposed conditional use will provide the most convenient and functional use of the lot including the parking scheme, traffic circulation, open space, fencing, screening, landscaping, signage, and lighting.
- 8. Sewer, water, storm water drainage, fire protection, police protection, and roads are available and adequate to serve the needs of the conditional use as designed and proposed.

Recommended Conditions:

- 1. The Conditional Use Permit shall expire on July 16, 2029.
- 2. The height of the freestanding telecommunications tower shall not exceed 89 feet.
- 3. The tower shall provide for co-location opportunities for other telecommunication tower providers.
- 4. Any telecommunications facility that ceases to be in operation for a consecutive period of six months or more shall be removed from the site within 90 days of the end of such period of non-use. The County shall have the right to enter the property to remove the tower should it cease to operate or abandoned

Recommended Notes to the Applicant:

1. All applicable building, zoning, health, engineering, and fire codes shall be adhered to with this request.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Property Owners and Current Residents Notified	Number of Responses
24	0

Staff sent twenty-four (24) notices to property owners and current residents within 1,000 feet of the subject request and received no responses.

COUNTY AGENCY COMMENTS

County staff reviewed the request and determined that the conditional use permit will conform to the County's Development Standards and Regulations.

REFERRAL AGENCY COMMENTS

Commerce City requested that the County consider limiting the duration of the conditional use permit to five years. The City suggested that the area may be likely to redevelop during that time.

Responding without Concerns:

Commerce City Community Development

Responding without Concerns:

CDOT

Tri-County Health Department Xcel Energy

Notified but not Responding / Considered a Favorable Response:

Adams County Sheriff

Brighton 27J Schools

Century Link

CDPHE

Colorado Division of Wildlife

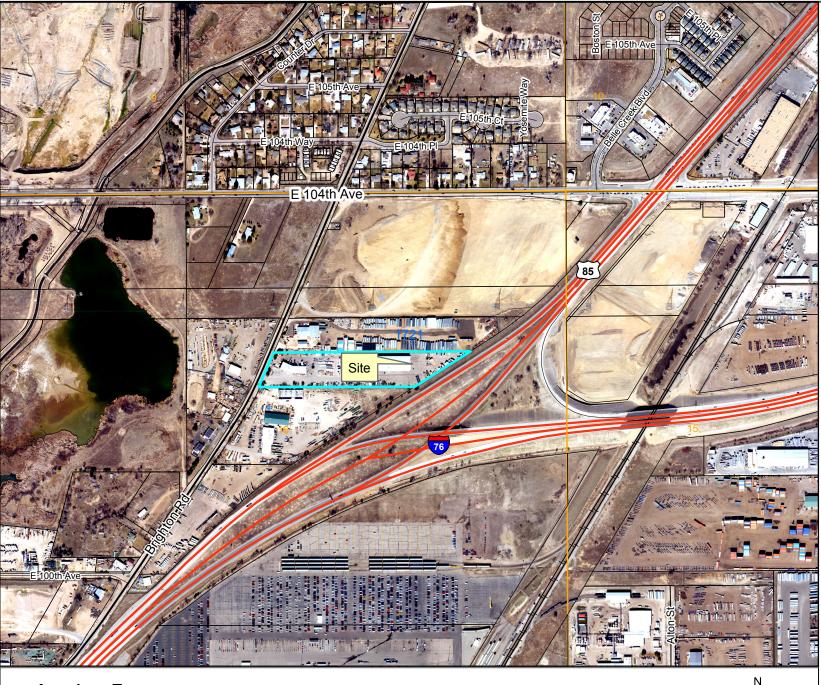
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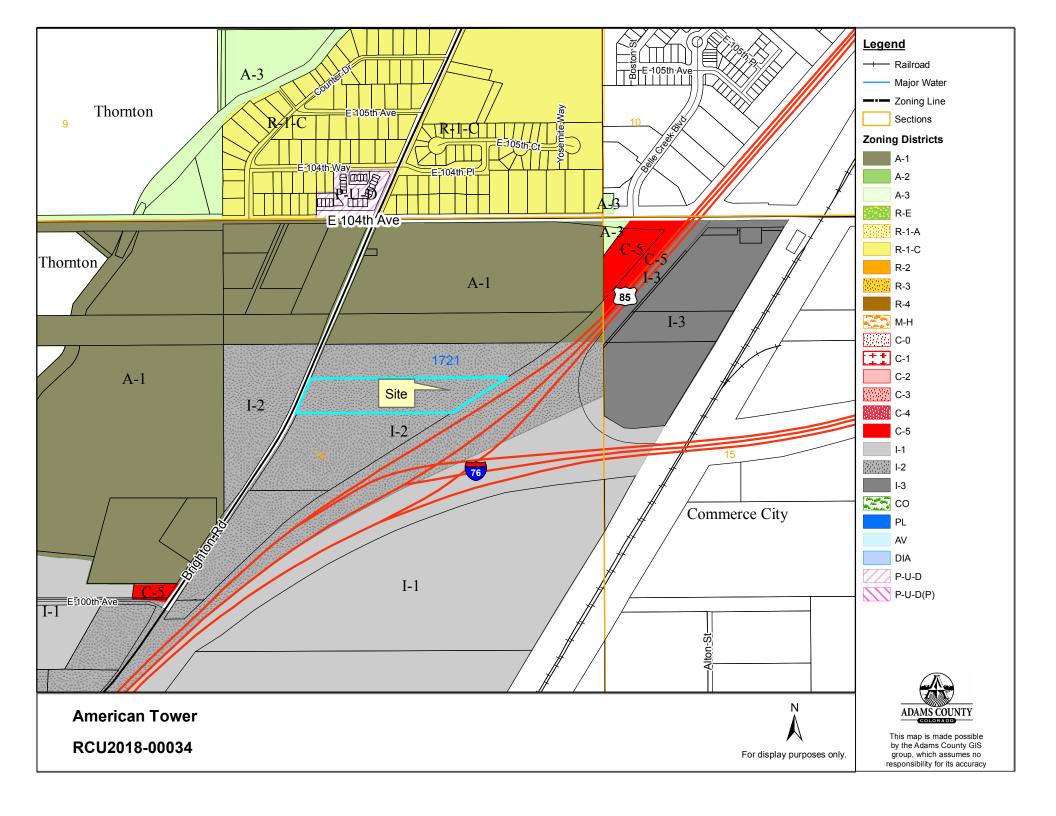


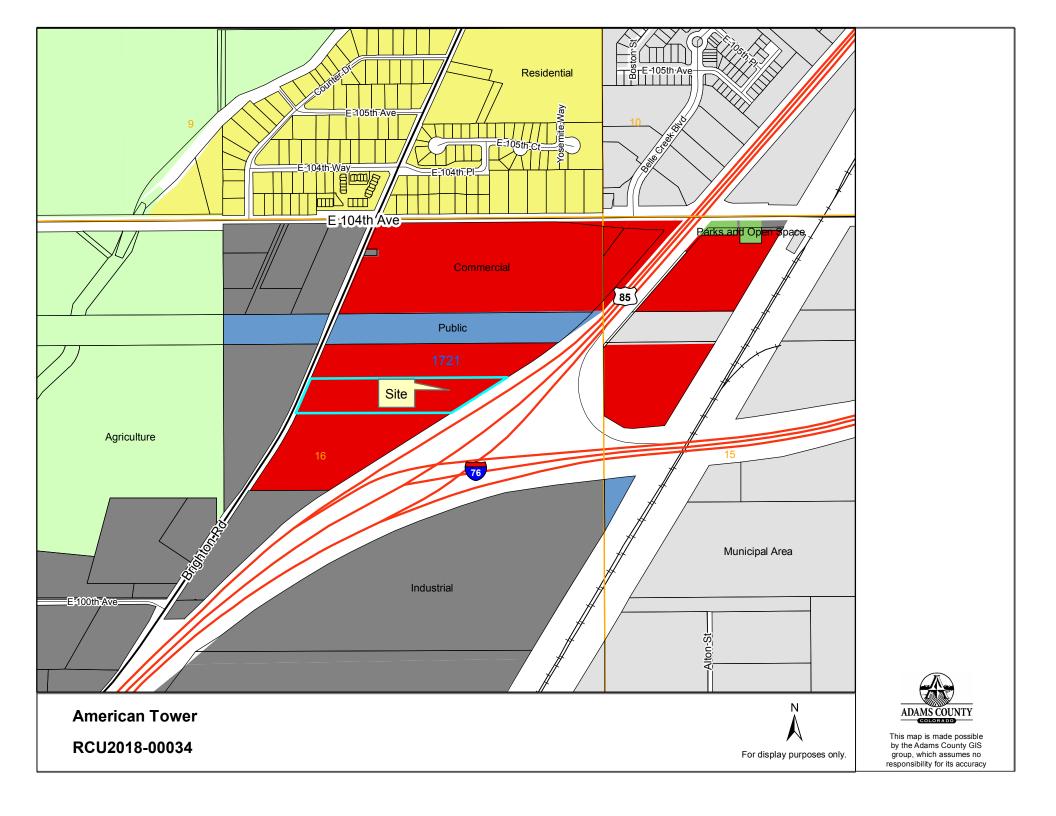


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Hoss Consulting Inc.

Date: 7.21.2018

Adams County
Community & Economic Development Dept.
4430 South Adams County Parkway
1st Floor, Suite W2000
Brighton CO 80601-8204

RE: American Tower - Conditional Use Permit Renewal Application

Subject Address: 10220 BRIGHTON ROAD, HENDERSON, CO 80640

County Parcel Number: 0172116004008

Existing Cases: RC099-93-3C; RCU2001-00017; RCU2008-00015

Dear Community Development,

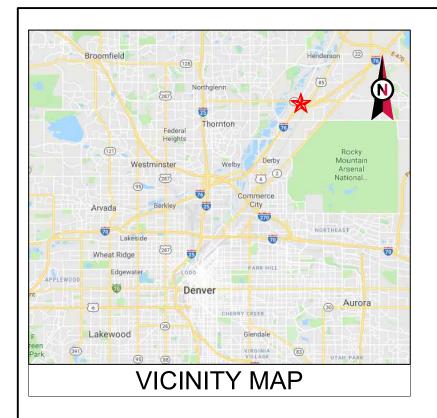
American Tower is seeking CUP re-approval of its existing 87' steel communication monopole tower, all communication equipment\appurtenances attached to it, and all ground based infrastructure depicted in the included plans located at 10220 BRIGHTON ROAD in Henderson Colorado. This permit is needed so the current wireless carriers, and any future wireless co-locators, can provide wireless phone, data, and emergency services coverage in this part of Adams County.

Please don't hesitate to call or email if you have any question.

Sincerely,
Mike Sharlow
302 Elati Street
Denver Co 80223
970-485-2996
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SITE NAME: 104TH REBUILD CO

SITE NUMBER: 83358

SITE ADDRESS: 10220 BRIGHTON ROAD

HENDERSON, CO 80640



LOCATION MAP

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT RENEWAL

COMPLIANCE CODE	PROJECT SUMMARY	PROJECT DESCRIPTION		SHEET IND	EX		
ALL WORK SHALL BE PERFORMED AND MATERIALS INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CURRENT EDITIONS OF THE	SITE ADDRESS:	THIS SUBMITTAL IS FOR RE-PERMITTING WITH ADAMS COUNTY.	SHEET NO:	DESCRIPTION:	REV:	DATE:	BY:
FOLLOWING CODES AS ADOPTED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES. NOTHING IN THESE PLANS IS	10220 BRIGHTON ROAD HENDERSON. CO 80640	THIS SET OF DRAWINGS IS INTENDED TO DEPICT EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS.	G-001	TITLE SHEET	0	06/04/18	NRP
TO BE CONSTRUED TO PERMIT WORK NOT CONFORMING TO THESE CODES.	COUNTY: ADAMS	constitue.	C-101	SITE PLAN	0	06/04/18	NRP
	GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATES:	PROJECT NOTES	C-201	TOWER ELEVATION	0	06/04/18	NRP
INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE (IBC)	LATITUDE: 39.88220556	11100001110100	C-501	SIGNAGE	0	06/04/18	NRP
2. NATIONAL ELECTRIC CODE (NEC)	LONGITUDE: -104.8871972	1. THE FACILITY IS UNMANNED.					
3. LOCAL BUILDING CODE	GROUND ELEVATION: 5080' AMSL	A TECHNICIAN WILL VISIT THE SITE APPROXIMATELY ONCE A MONTH FOR ROUTINE INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE.					
4. CITY/COUNTY ORDINANCES	ZONING INFORMATION: JURISDICTION: ADAMS COUNTY PARCEL NUMBER: 0172116004008 ZONING: I-2 (INDUSTRIAL) CASE #: 099-93-3C; RCU2001-00017; RCU2008-00015	3. EXISTING FACILITY MEETS OR EXCEEDS ALL FAA AND FCC REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS. 4. THE PROJECT WILL NOT RESULT IN ANY SIGNIFICANT LAND DISTURBANCE OR EFFECT OF STORM WATER DRAINAGE.					
UTILITY COMPANIES	PROJECT TEAM	5. NO SANITARY SEWER, POTABLE WATER OR TRASH DISPOSAL IS REQUIRED.					
POWER COMPANY: XCEL ENERGY PHONE: (800) 481-4700 TELEPHONE COMPANY: QWEST PHONE: (800) 777-9594	TOWER OWNER: AMERICAN TOWER - DELAWARE CORP 10 PRESIDENTIAL WAY WOBURN, MA 01801 PROPERTY OWNER: SHORMA COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES LLC 1314 WALNUT ST SPRINGFIELD, SD 57062 ENGINEER:	6. HANDICAP ACCESS IS NOT REQUIRED.					
	ATC TOWER SERVICES	PROJECT LOCATION DIRECTIONS					
Know what's below. Call before you dig.	3500 REGENCY PARKWAY SUITE 100 CARY, NC 27518 AGENT: BONNIE BELAIR ATTORNEY, AMERICAN TOWER 10 PRESIDENTIAL WAY WOBURN, MA 01801	FROM DENVER, CO: I-76 EXIT 11 (96TH AVE.). GO WEST ON 96TH, THEN NORTH ON OLD BRIGHTON ROAD. ENTER EWING IRRIGATION / SHUR-CO COMPLEX ON RIGHT. TOWER IS IN EAST END OF PARKING LOT.					



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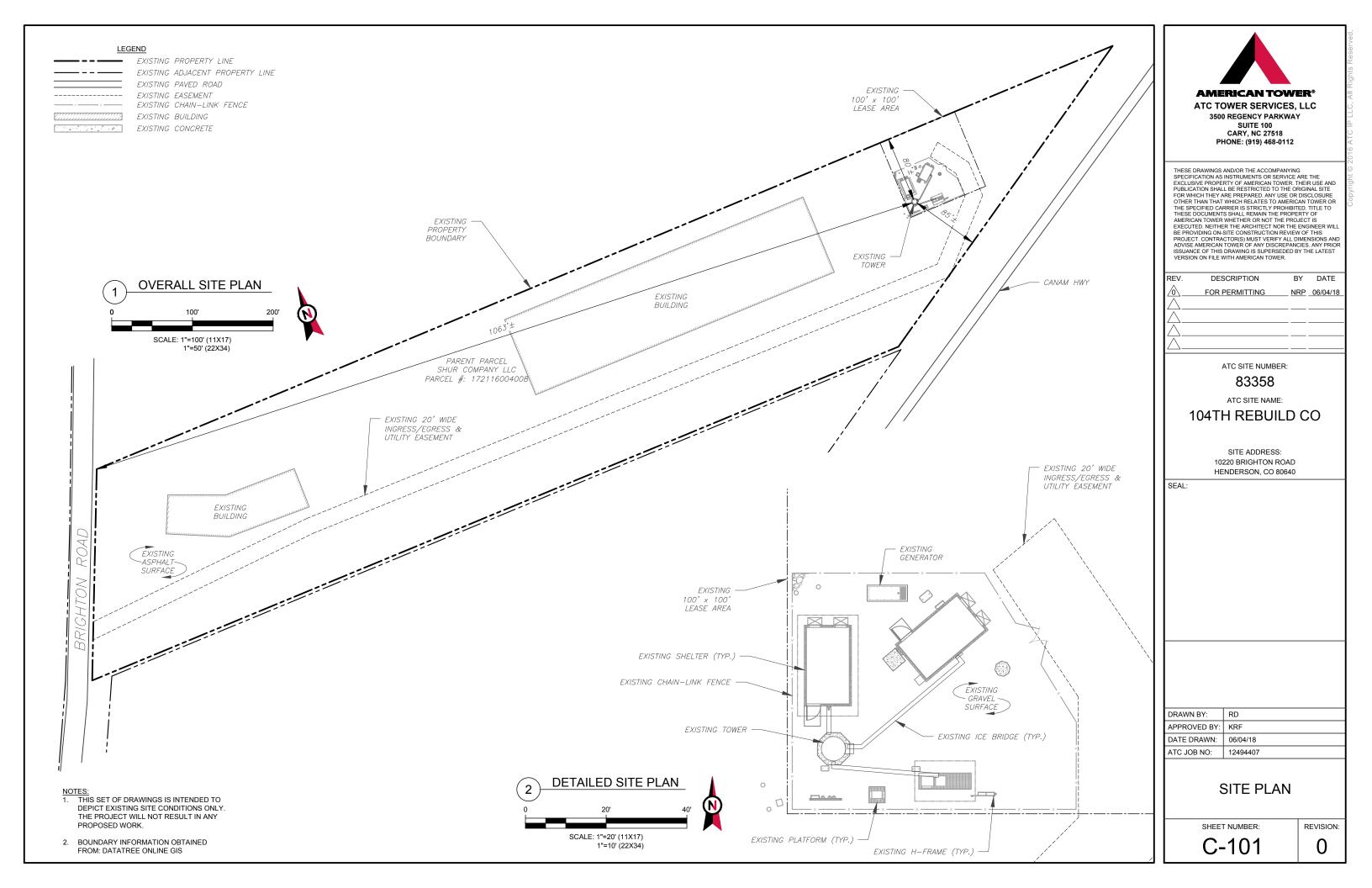
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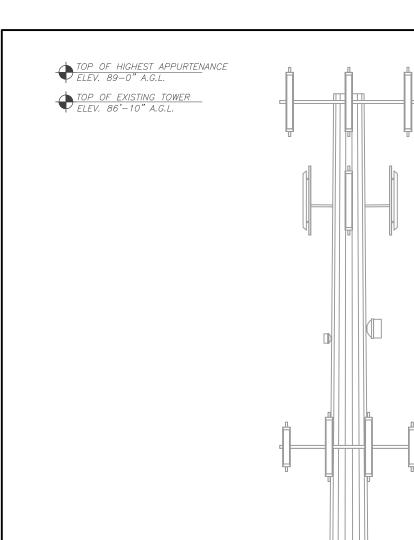
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RAD CENTER @ 76'-0" A.G.L



EXISTING CARRIER ANTENNAS RAD CENTER @ 62'-0" A.G.L

EXISTING VERIZON ANTENNAS RAD CENTER @ 51'-0" A.G.L







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Beyond this point: Radio frequency fields at this site may exceed FCC rules for human exposure.

For your safety, obey all posted signs and site guidelines for working in radio frequency environments.

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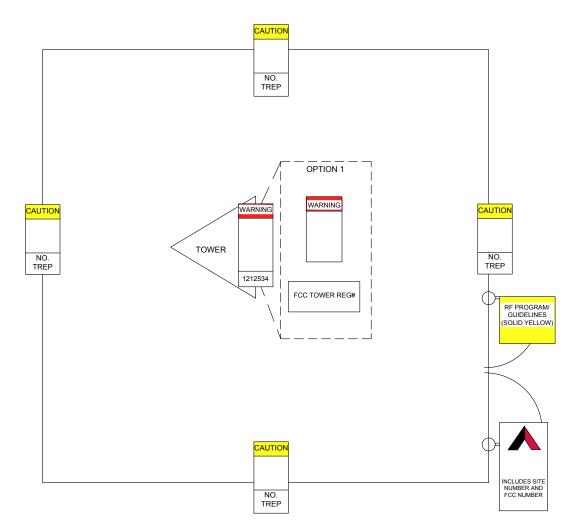
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In accordance with Federal Communications sion rules on radio frequency emissions 47 CFR 1.1307(b)

ATC RF WARNING AND FCC NUMBER SIGN

A "NO TRESPASSING" SIGN MUST BE POSTED A MINIMUM OF EVERY 50'



FCC TOWER REGISTRATION

Posting of sign required by law

ATC STAND-ALONE FCC TOWER



EXISTING SIGNAGE PHOTO

THERE MUST BE AN ATC SIGN WITH SITE INFORMATION AND FCC REGISTRATION NUMBER AT BOTH THE ACCESS ROAD GATE (GATE OFF OF MAIN ROAD, IF APPLICABLE) AND COMPOUND FENCE (IF NO COMPOUND FENCE, THEN IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE UPON DRIVE UP). IN ADDITION, PLEASE LOOK AT DIAGRAM FOR ALL ADDITIONAL SIGNS

OPTION 1 MAY BE USED TO POST TOWER REGISTRATION NUMBERS AT THE BASE OF THE TOWER IF A WARNING SIGN DOES NOT HAVE SPACE FOR THE TOWER REGISTRATION NUMBER.

IMPORTANT: FOR ANY ATC SIGN THAT DOES NOT MEET THE ATC SPECIFICATION FOR SIGNAGE (I.E., SHARPIE/PAINT PEN, WORN LABELS, ETC.), BRING IT INTO COMPLIANCE (RE-WRITE IF WORN) AND FLAG FOR REPLACEMENT ASAP WITH THE APPROPRIATE PERMANENT SIGN (YOU CAN ORDER THESE THROUGH THE WAREHOUSE)

ONLY LABELS PRINTED BY A ZEBRA LABEL PRINTER WILL BE ACCEPTED.

⚠ NOTICE ⚠

GUIDELINES FOR WORKING IN RADIOFREQUENCY ENVIRONMENTS

- All personnel should have electromagnetic energy (EME) awareness training.
- All personnel entering this site must be authorized.
- A Obey all posted signs.
- Assume all antennas are active.
- A Before working on antennas, notify owners and disable appropriate
- A Maintain minimum 3 feet clearance from all antennas.
- A Do not stop in front of antennas.
- A Never operate transmitters without shields during normal operation.
- A Do not operate base station antennas in equipment room.

ATC RF PROGRAM NOTICE SIGN



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104TH

SITE NUMBER:

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FOR LEASING INFORMATION:

FOR EMERGENCIES CALL:

877-282-7483 877-ATC-SITE

877-518-6937 877-51-TOWER

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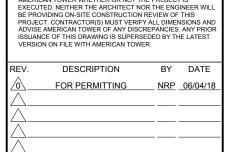
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AS SIGNAGE BECOMES STOLEN DAMAGED, BRITTLE OR FADED, IT. SHOULD BE REPLACED WITH SIGNAGE PER THIS SPECIFICATION, ANY ACQUIRED SITE SHOULD HAVE NEW SIGNS POSTED WITHIN 60 DAYS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED. ANY SITE SOLD SHOULD HAVE THE ATC SIGNS REMOVED WITHIN 30 DAYS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED. ALL FCC OR REGULATORY SIGNAGE MUST BE INSTALLED OR REPLACED AS REQUIRED TO MEET OUR STANDARD. SIGNS SHOULD BE REPLACED ON NORMAL, QUARTERLY MAINTENANCE VISITS BY CONTRACTORS OR SITE MANAGERS, UNLESS OTHERWISE REQUIRED ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS

NOTE:

EXTERIOR SIGNS ARE NOT PROPOSED EXCEPT AS REQUIRED BY THE FCC. ALL EXISTING SIGNAGE AND ANY FUTURE SIGNAGE WILL BE COMPLIANT WITH STATUTE 164-43 4 NO HIGH-VOLTAGE SIGNAGE IS NECESSARY NO HIGH-VOLTAGE FOUIPMENT PRESENT



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4430 South Adams County Parkway 1st Floor, Suite W2000 Brighton, CO 80601-8204 PHONE 720.523.6800 FAX 720.523.6998

Development Review Team Comments

Date: 9/28/2018

Project Number: RCU2018-00034 **Project Name:** American Tower

Note to Applicant:

The following review comments and information from the Development Review Team is based on the information you submitted for the first referral and applicable to the submitted documents only. The Development Review Team review comments may change if you provide different information during the process. Please contact the case manager if you have any questions:

Commenting Division: Development Engineering Review

Name of Reviewer: Matthew Emmens

Date: 09/28/2018

Email: memmens@adcogov.org

Resubmittal Required

Flood Insurance Rate Map – FIRM Panel # (08001C0319H), Federal Emergency Management Agency, March 5, 2007. According to the above reference, the project site is located within a special flood hazard delineated area; a Floodplain Use Permit will be required.

A search of County records did not produce an approved Floodplain Use Permit (FUP) for the existing structure, located within the floodplain. The applicant must produce a copy of an approved Adams County FUP or, apply for a FUP and receive approval of the FUP prior to scheduling of the public hearing (PC or BoCC).

Commenting Division: Planner Review

Name of Reviewer: Anna Gibson

Date: 09/28/2018

Email:

Resubmittal Required

See following page for planning comments.

RCU2018-00034 – American Tower Planner Comments – Anna Gibson First Referral

A RESUBMITTAL IS REQUIRED

See PLN9 for submittal items. Please follow the instructions on the attached Re-Submittal Form. Piecemeal or fragmented re-submittals are not accepted. Documents emailed to your case manager will not be reviewed. Re-submittals must be complete and submitted to the One-Stop Customer Service counter. One hard copy and one electronic copy required.

<u>PLN1: REQUEST:</u> The request is for a renewal of an 89 foot tall telecommunications tower Conditional Use Permit.

<u>PLN2: FUTURE LAND USE:</u> The future land use designation is Commercial. Commercial areas in the County are intended to serve either neighborhood or regional needs and can be comprised of a variety of uses, including retail sales, restaurants and other services, and professional and commercial offices. The primary objective of the Commercial land use designation is to support and attract businesses that provide employment opportunities, meet the needs of County residents and visitors, and contribute to the County's tax base. Commercial areas should be compatible with surrounding development, and located in areas with adequate transportation access, services, and public infrastructure. Building materials, architectural design, relationship to streets, sidewalks, and parking areas, should all contribute positively to the aesthetic character of the area.

<u>PLN3: ZONING:</u> The subject property is zoned I-2 (Industrial-2) and a Telecommunications Tower is allowed by Conditional Use Permit in this zone district (per Section 3 07 01 of the Development Standards and Regulations or "ACDSR"). The maximum height in the I-2 zone district is 75 feet (04-09-02-07, 3a, ACDSR). The tower appears to be 89 feet tall. Additionally, the tower is required to be set back from all property lines at least the same distance as the height of the tower (04-09-02-07, 3c, ACDSR). If you are requesting height and setback waivers, it needs to be specifically requested in the cover letter with reasoning and justification for each request given.

PLN4: PRIOR APPROVALS:

Case #099-93-C – Original Approval of 65 foot tall tower in 1993

RCU2001-00017 – Amendment to Conditional Use Permit (Case #099-93-C) to increase height of commercial telecommunications tower from 65 feet to 86.5 feet

RCU2008-00015 – Renewal of RCU2001-00017. Expired August 6th, 2018

<u>PLN5: COVERAGE MAPS:</u> Please provide coverage maps to illustrate the need for the tower's renewal in respect to coverage. Make sure there are two maps – one with and one without the tower.

<u>PLN6</u>: <u>FENCING AND LANDSCAPING</u>: Screen fencing in the form of privacy fencing or masonry wall is required to replace chain link. Landscaping is also required. Please see section 4-09-02-07, 3b, and section 4-16, ACDSR, for more information. If there is no possibility of landscaping around the base of the tower, please provide an alternative landscaping plan for elsewhere on the site.

<u>PLN7: BONDS:</u> Two performance bonds are required: one for the cost of removing the tower; and the 2nd for landscaping. If bonds have been provided in the past, please provide information that may help us track it.

<u>PLN8: PERFORMANCE STANDARDS:</u> Telecommunications towers are required to meet all performance standards found in section 4-09-02-07, ACDSR. Please provide written justification and/or modification to your application to illustrate how the proposal will comply with the following items: 1e, 1f, 1g, 3b, 3e, 3f, 4a, and 4b.

***PLN9: RESUBMITTAL REQUIRED: Please follow the instructions on the attached Re-Submittal Form. Piecemeal or fragmented re-submittals are not accepted. Documents emailed to your case manager will not be reviewed. Re-submittals must be complete and submitted to the One-Stop Customer Service counter. With your resubmittal package, please provide:

- a. Landscape Plan of entire property boundary, with a plant schedule
- b. Request for setback and height waivers
- c. Fence detail drawing including location on site plan and elevations
- d. Bonds
- e. Coverage Maps
- f. Certificate of Surface Development and proof of utilities (required documents missing from original submittal package)
- g. Response to PLN8

PLN10: LINKS:

To download and view individual sections of the Adams County Development Standards and Regulations (ACDSR), follow this URL: http://www.adcogov.org/development-standards-regulations

The Criteria for Approval of a Conditional Use Permit can be found in section 2-02-08-06, ACDSR.

From: <u>Loeffler - CDOT, Steven</u>

To: Anna Gibson

Subject: Re: RCU2018-00034 Request for Comments

Date: Thursday, September 06, 2018 7:50:11 AM

Anna,

I have reviewed the referral named above for renewal of a CUP for an existing Telecommunications Tower located at 10220 Brighton Road and have no objections.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this referral.

Steve Loeffler

Permits Unit



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On Wed, Sep 5, 2018 at 4:31 PM Anna Gibson < AGibson@adcogov.org > wrote:

Comments for this case are due on Wednesday, September 26, 2018 at 9:00 AM.

Adams County Planning Commission is requesting comments on the following request:

Renewal of Conditional Use Permit for existing Telecommunications Tower

The Assessor's Parcel Number is 0172116004008

The Property Address is SHORMA COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES, LLC

10220 BRIGHTON ROAD

HENDERSON, CO 80640

Please forward any written comments on this application to the Department of Community and Economic Development at 4430 South Adams County Parkway, Suite W2000A Brighton, CO 80601-8216. (720) 523-6855 by **September 26, 2018** in order that your comments may be taken into consideration in the review of this case. If you would like your comments included verbatim please send your response by way of e-mail to AGibson@adcogov.org.

Once comments have been received and the staff report written, the staff report and notice of public hearing dates will be forwarded to you for your information. The full text of the proposed request and additional colored maps can be obtained by contacting this office or by accessing the Adams County web site at www.adcogov.org/planning/currentcases.

Thank you for your review of this case.



Anna Gibson



Planner I, Community and Economic Development

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To: Anna Gibson, Case Manager

From: Domenic Martinelli, City Planner

Subject: RCU2018-00034

Date: September 26, 2018

Thank you for allowing the City of Commerce City the opportunity to comment on land use cases in Adams County. Staff has reviewed the proposal and has the following comment:

 Commerce City recommends that the permit extension be limited to 5 years so that it may be re-evaluated once the commercial development to the north is constructed.

Please contact me with any questions at dmartinelli@c3gov.com or 303-289-3670.





September 12, 2018

Anna Gibson Adams County Community and Economic Development 4430 South Adams County Parkway, Suite W2000A Brighton, CO 80601

RE: American Tower, RCU2018-00034

TCHD Case No. 5166

Dear Ms. Gibson,

Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment on the Conditional Use Permit for an existing telecommunications tower located at 10220 Brighton Road. Tri-County Health Department (TCHD) staff has reviewed the application for compliance with applicable environmental and public health regulations and principles of healthy community design. After reviewing the application, TCHD has no comments.

Please feel free to contact me at 720-200-1585 or aheinrich@tchd.org if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Annemarie Heinrich, MPH/MURP Land Use and Built Environment Specialist

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cc: Sheila Lynch, Monte Deatrich, TCHD



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donna.l.george@xcelenergy.com

September 26, 2018

Adams County Community and Economic Development Department 4430 South Adams County Parkway, 3rd Floor, Suite W3000 Brighton, CO 80601

Attn: Anna Gibson

Re: American Tower, Case # RCU2018-00034

Public Service Company of Colorado's (PSCo) Right of Way & Permits Referral Desk has reviewed the conditional use permit renewal plans for **American Tower** and has **no apparent conflict**.

Please be aware PSCo owns and operates existing natural gas and electric distribution facilities within the subject property. Should the project require any new electric service or modification to existing facilities, the property owner/developer/contractor must complete the **application process** via FastApp-Fax-Email-USPS (go to: https://www.xcelenergy.com/start, stop, transfer/new construction service activation for builders).

Please contact me at donna.l.george@xcelenergy.com or 303-571-3306 if there are any questions with this referral response.

Donna George Right of Way and Permits Public Service Company of Colorado

Community & Economic Development Department www.adcogov.org



4430 South Adams County Parkway 1st Floor, Suite W2000B Brighton, CO 80601-8218 PHONE 720.523.6800 FAX 720.523.6967

Request for Comments

Case Name:	AMERICAN TOWER
Case Number:	RCU2018-00034

September 5, 2018

Adams County Board of Adjustment is requesting comments on the following request:

Renewal of Conditional Use Permit for existing Telecommunications Tower

The Assessor's Parcel Number is **0172116004008** The Property Address is SHORMA COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES, LLC **10220 BRIGHTON ROAD HENDERSON, CO 80640**

Applicant Information AMERICAN TOWER 10 PRESIDENTIAL WAY **WOBURN, MA 01801**

Please forward any written comments on this application to the Department of Community and Economic Development at 4430 South Adams County Parkway, Suite W2000A Brighton, CO 80601-8216. (720) 523-6855 by **September 26, 2018** in order that your comments may be taken into consideration in the review of this case. If you would like your comments included please send your response by way of e-mail to AGibson@adcogov.org.

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Thank you for your review of this case.

Anna Gibson Case Manager

Community & Economic Development Department Development Services Division www.adcogov.org



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Public Hearing Notification

Case Name: American Tower

Case Number: RCU2018-00034

Planning Commission Hearing Date: June 27, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. Board of County Commissioners Hearing Date: July 16, 2019 at 9:30 a.m.

June 7, 2019

A public hearing has been set by the Adams County Planning Commission and the Board of County Commissioners to consider the following request:

Renewal of Conditional Use Permit for existing Telecommunications Tower.

The proposed use will be Commercial

This request is located at 10220 BRIGHTON RD.

The Assessor's Parcel Number(s) 0172116004008

Applicant Information: AMERICAN TOWER

BONNIE BELAIR

10 PRESEIDENTIAL WAY WOBURN, MA 01801

The hearing will be held in the Adams County Hearing Room located at 4430 South Adams County Parkway, Brighton CO 80601-8216. This will be a public hearing and any interested parties may attend and be heard. The Applicant and Representative's presence at these hearings is requested. If you require any special accommodations (e.g., wheelchair accessibility, an interpreter for the hearing impaired, etc.) please contact the Adams County Community and Economic Development Department at (720) 523-6800 (or if this is a long distance call, please use the County's toll free telephone number at 1-800-824-7842) prior to the meeting date.

For further information regarding this case, please contact the Department of Community and Economic Development, 4430 S Adams County Parkway, Brighton, CO 80601, 720-523-6800. This is also the location where maps and/or text certified by the Planning Commission may be viewed.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

The full text of the proposed request and additional colored maps can be obtained by contacting this office or by accessing the Adams County web site at www.adcogov.org/planning/currentcases.

Thank you for your review of this case.

Greg Barnes

Planner III

PUBLICATION REQUEST

American Tower

Case Number: RCU2018-00034

Planning Commission Hearing Date: June 27, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. Board of County Commissioners Hearing Date: July 16, 2019 at 9:30 a.m.

Request: Renewal of Conditional Use Permit for existing Telecommunications Tower.

Location: 10220 BRIGHTON RD Parcel Number: 0172116004008 Case Manager: Greg Barnes

Applicant: BONNIE BELAIR, 10 PRESEIDENTIAL WAY, WOBURN, MA 01801

Owner: SHORMA COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES LLC, 1314 WALNUT ST, SPRINGFIELD, SD

Legal Description:

A portion of Tashiro Tract No. 2, a Subdivision of a part of the Northeast ¼ of Section 16, Township 2 South, Range 67 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Southwest corner of said subdivision, said point also being the Southwest corner of that parcel of land described in Book 1494, Page 437, of the Adams County, Colorado records; thence North 33 Degrees 42 minutes 00 seconds East along the Westerly boundary lines of said Tashiro Tract No. 2 and of said parcel, a distance of 321.80 feet to a point on a curve to the left whose radius is 2035.30 feet, the chord of which bears North 29 degrees 34 minutes 00 seconds East a distance of 305.21 feet; thence along the arc of said curve and continuing along the aforesaid Westerly boundary lines a distance of 305.50 feet to the Northwest corner of said parcel described in Book 1494, Page 437, being a point on a curve to the left, the delta of said curve being 2035.30 feet, the chord of said curve bears North 24 degrees 32 minutes 00 seconds East a distance of 53.28 feet and being the true point of beginning;

hence along said curve and continuing along the Westerly boundary of said Tashiro Tract No.2 a distance of 53.28 feet; thence North 23 degrees 47 minutes 00 seconds East and continuing along said Westerly Boundary of Tashiro Tract No. 2 a distance of 208.49 feet to the Southwest corner of that parcel of land described in Book 2595, Page 527 of the Adams County records;

Thence South 89 degrees 56 minutes 00 seconds East and along the South line of the parcel described in Book 2595, Page 527, a distance of 1366.23 feet to a point on the Easterly boundary line of said Tashiro Tract No.2;

Thence South 58 degrees 06 minutes 32 seconds West along the Easterly boundary line of Tashiro Tract No. 2 to the Northeast corner of the parcel of land described in Book 1494, Page 437;

Thence North 89 degrees 46 minutes 00 seconds West and along the North line of the parcel of land described in Book 1494, Page 437, a distance of 1083.39 feet to the Northwest corner of the parcel described in Book 1494, Page 437 and the True Point of Beginning, County of Adams, State of Colorado.

AND BEING the same property conveyed to Shorma Commercial Properties LLC, a South Dakota limited liability company from Shorma Company, a South Dakota corporation, formerly known as Shur Company by Warranty Deed dated December 12, 2011 and recorded January 03, 2012 in Instrument No. 2012000000223.

Adams County Development Services - Building

Attn: Justin Blair

4430 S Adams County Pkwy

Brighton CO 80601

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Attn: Kerrie Monti 1850 EGBERT STREET SUITE 140, BOX 6 BRIGHTON CO 80601

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TRI-COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT Attn: Sheila Lynch 6162 S WILLOW DR, SUITE 100 GREENWOOD VILLAGE CO 80111

Tri-County Health: Mail CHECK to Sheila Lynch

Attn: Tri-County Health landuse@tchd.org

AGGREGATE INDUSTRIES-WCR INC 1687 COLE BLVD STE 300 GOLDEN CO 80401-3318 RJR INVESTMENTS LLC 8155 MOORE ST ARVADA CO 80005-2025

ALLISON FAMILY MANAGEMENT LLC 425 S CHERRY ST STE 800 DENVER CO 80246-1235 SHORMA COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES LLC 1314 WALNUT ST SPRINGFIELD SD 57062-9701

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CURRENT RESIDENT 8260 E 104TH AVE HENDERSON CO 80640-8930

CURRENT RESIDENT 8120 E 104TH AVE HENDERSON CO 80640-9050

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING



I, J. Gregory Barnes do hereby certify that I posted the property at 10220 Brighton Road on June 11, 2019 in accordance with the requirements of the Adams County Development Standards and Regulations.

J. Gregory Barnes