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# Memorandum Department of Planning & Public Works

To: Planning and Public Works Committee

From: Shawn Seymour, AICP

**Senior Planner** 

Date: October 3, 2011

RE: T.S.P. 34-2011 AT&T (16141 Swingley Ridge Road): A request to obtain

approval for a Telecommunication Facility Siting Permit for a collocation of additional antennas and equipment on an existing high structure in a "C2" Shopping District – zoned property located on the northeast corner of the

intersection of Swingley Ridge Road and Nardin Drive (18S230181).



AT&T, has requested a collocation on at existing telecommunications high structure to allow for the location of an additional three (3) upgraded antennas to facilitate 4G LTE data service. The existing high structure is an office building located on Swingley Ridge Road on the northeast corner of its intersection with Nardin Drive. The existing antennas at this site were approved administratively under the previous City of Chesterfield telecommunications ordinance.

City of Chesterfield Ordinance 2391, which governs telecommunications and facilities siting, requires that the Planning Commission provide a venue for public hearing of requests for Telecommunications Siting Permits. Please note, the Commission does not provide a recommendation to the City Council, but rather generates a list of issues during the hearing. At the public hearing on September 26, 2011, no outstanding issues were identified.

Attached are copies of the site plan, elevations, boundary plat, and propagation study.

Respectfully submitted,

Shawn Seymour, AICP Senior Planner

CC: Michael G. Herring, City Administrator

Rob Heggie, City Attorney

Michael O. Geisel, Director of Planning & Public Works Aimee Nassif, Planning & Development Services Director

Attachments: AT&T 4G LTE Upgrade Packet





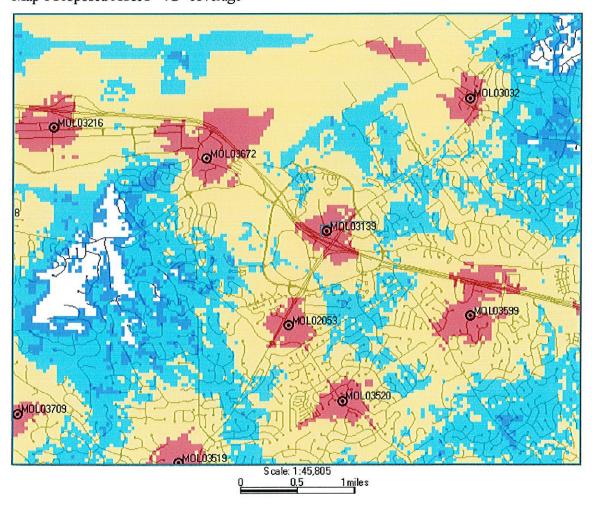
The following is a brief explanation of why AT&T Mobility is proposing to have the current wireless communication facility at 16141 North Outer 40 modified. This facility is labeled as MOL03139 on Map 1. Currently this facility is only capable of broadcasting our older technologies.

This facility currently is broadcasting our "2G" technology (called GSM) and our "3G" technology (called UMTS). Each technology uses its own antennas and equipment. The modification we are proposing is to add our "4G" technology (called LTE). Perhaps you have seen all the television commercials from various wireless carriers talking about their 4G systems. 4G, short for 4<sup>th</sup> generation of wireless technology, allows wireless carriers to provide much faster data speeds than our current networks. 4G is only for data at this point. All voice calls will still be served on older technologies. Currently AT&T still has the fastest data network. Although as other carriers implement and optimize their 4G networks we expect to lose that advantage and eventually fall behind other carriers unless we also launch our 4G network. The proposed modifications will allow us to implement our 4G technology by using additional antennas and equipment.

Because of national E911 requirements, this site needs to run all technologies. The 4G technology is not capable of handling voice calls at this time and all 911 calls made from a wireless device will be routed through our older technologies. These technologies require that we use a total of 3 antennas for each direction covered. This site, like most of our locations, serves three directions creating a need for 9 antennas. This requires us to add 3 additional antennas for this location.

This plan will have no effect on our coverage for current technologies. Map 1 below shows the proposed coverage for our 4G network in the area. AT&T Mobility has acceptable coverage in most of the surrounding area. Because 4G is a data only service the different signal levels don't indicate whether service exists or not. In general on 4G the stronger the signal (to a point) the faster the data rates will be. It is expected that red, yellow and light blue will have data speeds faster than our 3G technology. The dark blue will likely have data speeds nearly identical to the 3G technology.

Map 1 Proposed AT&T "4G" coverage



Ron Humphrey

Radio Frequency Design Engineer AT&T Mobility Division

## MO3139 **CHESTERFIELD 2**

### **ENGINEERING**

2009 INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE 2011 NATIONAL ELECTRIC CODE ANSI/TIA-222-G OR LATEST EDITION

### **GENERAL NOTES**

THE FACILITY IS UNMANNED AND NOT FOR HUMAN HABITATION. A TECHNICIAN WILL VISIT THE SITE AS REQUIRED FOR ROUTINE MAINTENANCE. THE PROJECT WILL NOT RESULT IN ANY SIGNIFICANT DISTURBANCE OR EFFECT ON DRAINAGE; NO SANITARY SEWER SERVICE, POTABLE WATER, OR TRASH DISPOSAL IS REQUIRED AND NO COMMERCIAL SIGNAGE IS

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

THE PROJECT CONSISTS OF THE INSTALLATION AND OPERATION OF ANTENNAS AND ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT CABINETS FOR AT&T'S CONDUCTORLESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORK. INSTALLATION OF (3) RRHs, (3) FIBER CABLE, (3) DC POWER CABLES, (3) RAYCAP SURGE PROTECTOR, (1) LTE RACK, (3) PIPE MOUNTED LTE PANEL ANTENNAS INCLUDING (1) LTE GPS ANTENNA ARE PROPOSED.

### SITE INFORMATION

PROPERTY OWNER: ADDRESS:

THE EMERALD GROUP INC

SITE NAME: SITE NUMBER:

CHESTERFIELD 2 MO3139

SITE CONTACT:

SITE ADDRESS:

16141 NORTH OUTER 40 CHESTERFIELD, MO 63017

COUNTY: LATITUDE (NAD 83): ST LOUIS 38° 39' 16.99" N 38.65472

LONGITUDE (NAD 83):

90° 33' 32.00" W

GROUND ELEVATION: RAD CENTER:

647' AMSL 50' AGL

ZONING JURISDICTION:

CITY OF CHESTERFIELD, MO ZONING DISTRICT: C-2

POWER COMPANY:

PARCEL #: 18\$230181

OCCUPANCY GROUP:

CONSTRUCTION TYPE: V-B

TELEPHONE COMPANY:

SITE ACQUISITION CONTACT:

RF ENGINEER:

RON HUMPHREY

AMEREN MO

CONSTRUCTION MANAGER:

(314) 210-8629

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### CONTACT INFORMATION

ENGINEER:

15450 S OUTER FORTY DR, SUITE 200

CHESTERFIELD, MO 63017

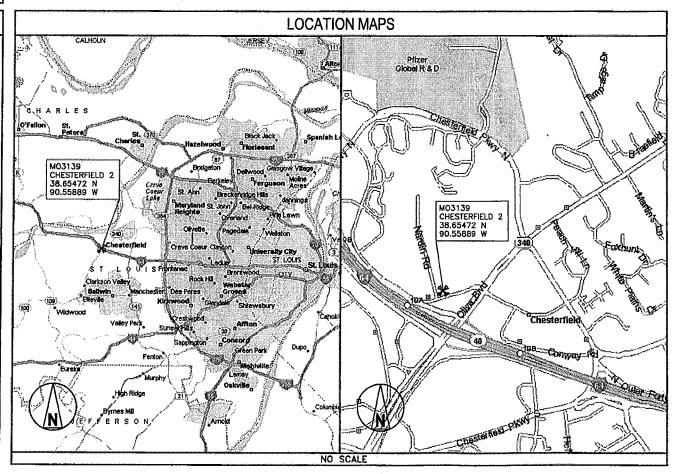
CONTACT: PHONE:

GEORGE P. XENOS

(913) 687-9233



### LTE **ROOFTOP**



### **DRIVING DIRECTIONS**

DIRECTIONS FROM NEAREST AT&T OFFICE:

- GO NORTH ON 1-270 TO 1-64/US-40 HWY (2.4 MI.) THEN WEST ON 1-64/US-40 HWY TO SR-340/OLIVE BLVD (6 MI.)
- GO NORTH ON OLIVE BLVD TO N OUTER FORTY DR/SWINGLEY RIDGE RD (0.5 ML)
- GO STRAIGHT ON SWINGLEY RIDGE RD TO LOCAL RD (170 YDS) THEN NORTH TO SITE





### **APPROVALS**

THE FOLLOWING PARTIES HEREBY APPROVE AND ACCEPT THESE DOCUMENTS AND AUTHORIZE THE SUBCONTRACTOR TO PROCEED WITH THE CONSTRUCTION DESCRIBED HEREIN, ALL DOCUMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO REVIEW BY THE LOCAL BUILDING DEPARTMENT AND MAY IMPOSE CHANGES OR MODIFICATIONS.

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### DO NOT SCALE DRAWINGS

SUBCONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ALL PLANS & EXISTING DIMENSIONS & CONDITIONS ON USE OF SHALL IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE ENGINEER IN WRITING OF ANY DISCREPANCIES BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH THE WORK OR BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SAME



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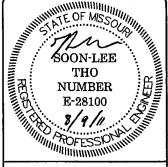


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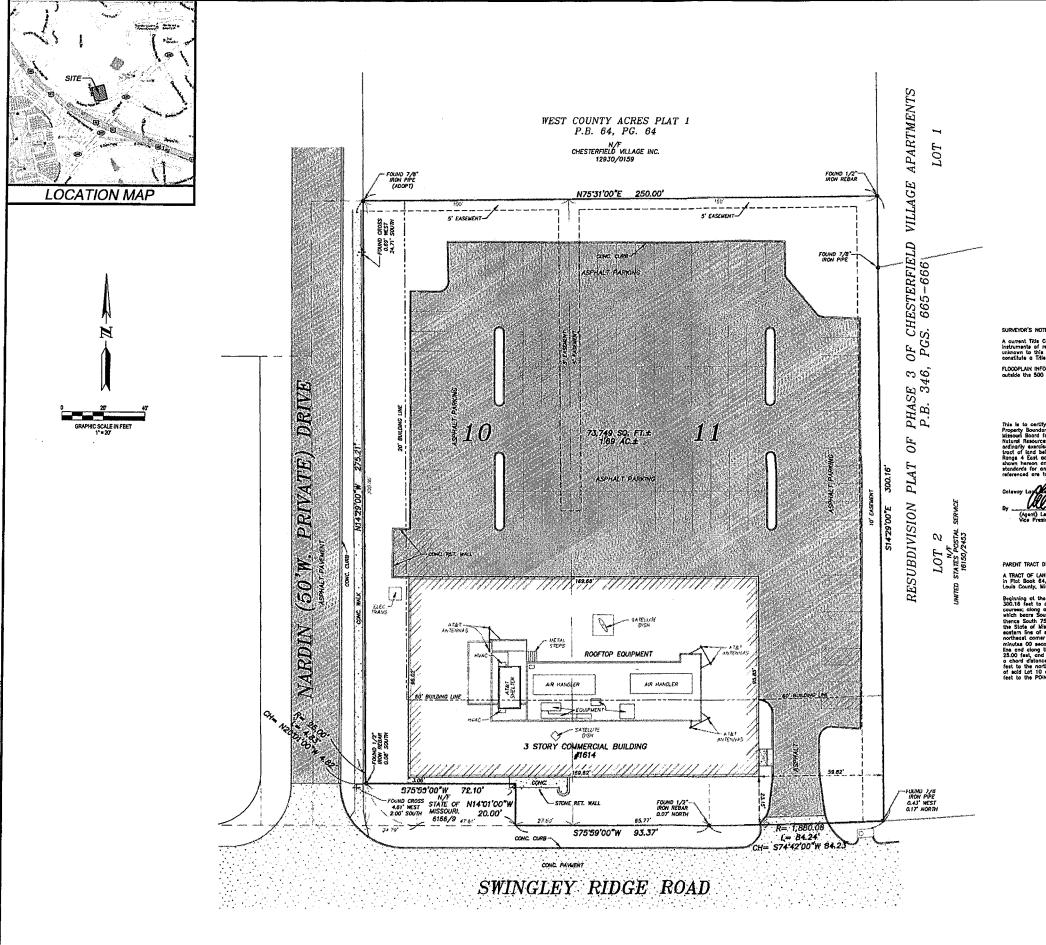
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2ND CARRIER ROOFTOP 16141 SWINGLEY ROAD

CHESTERFIELD, MO 63017 ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MISSOURI PROPERTY BOUNDARY SURVEY
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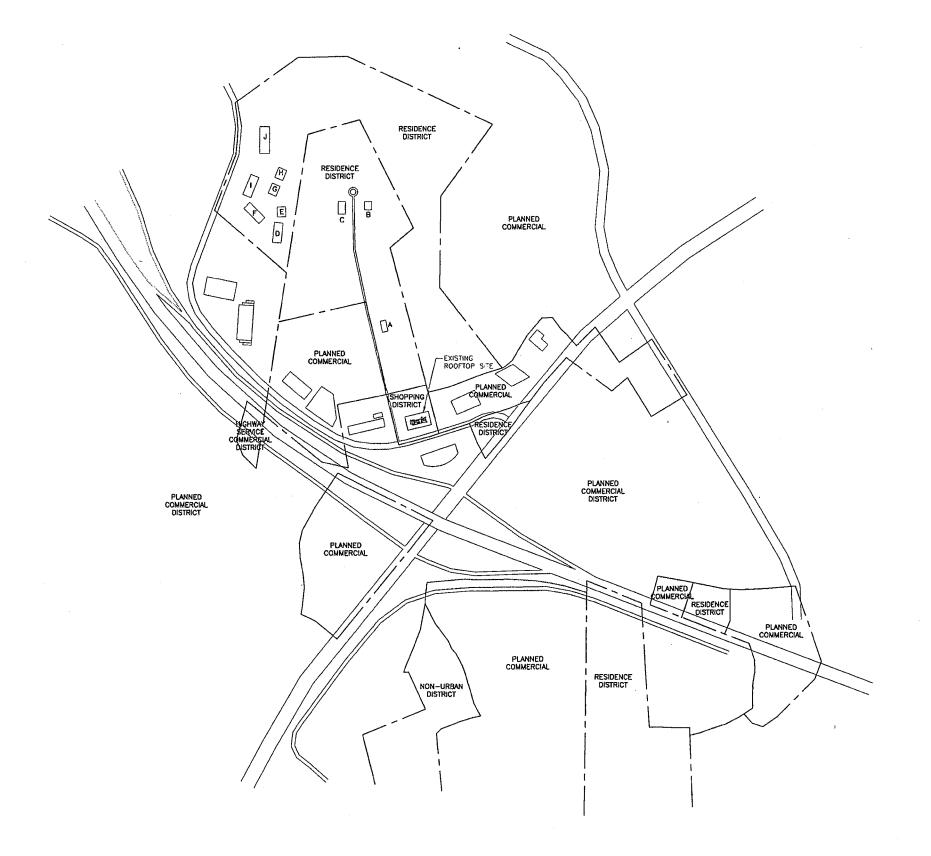
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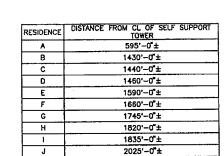
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OVERALL SITE PLAN

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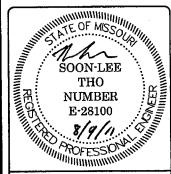


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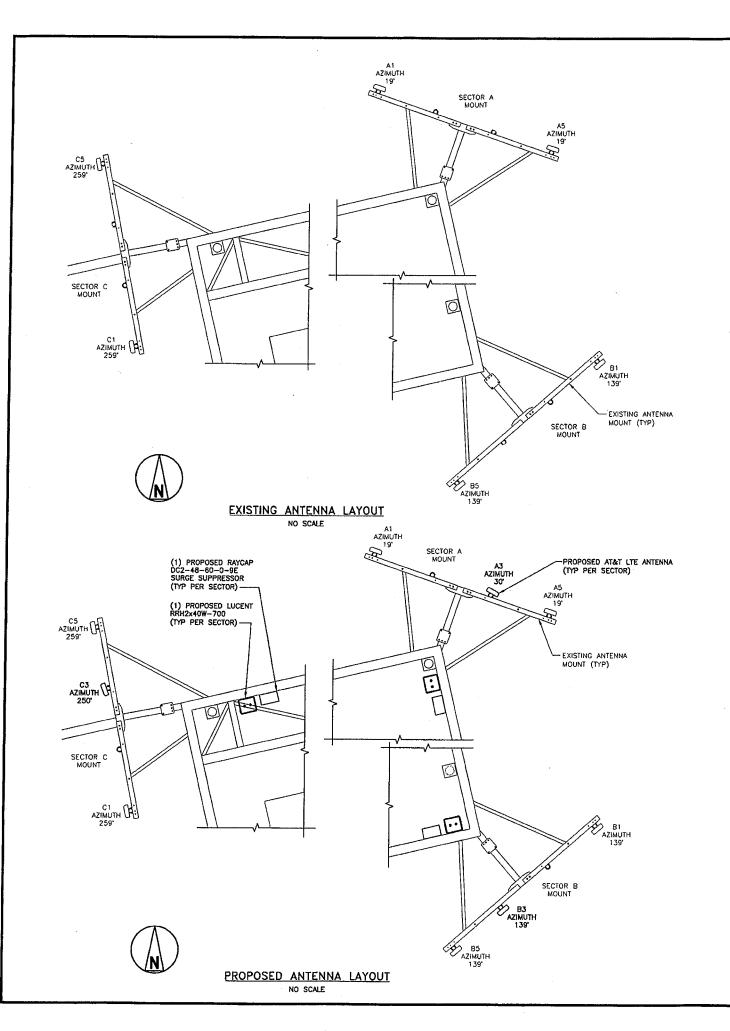
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#### **NOTES**

- 2. ALL PROPOSED GROUNDING BAR DOWNLEADS ARE TO BE TERMINATED TO THE EXISTING ADJACENT GROUNDING BAR DOWNLEADS A MINIMUM DISTANCE OF 4'-0" BELOW GROUNDING BAR, TERMINATIONS MAY BE EXOTHERMIC OR COMPRESSION.
- 3. THE SUB CONTRACTORS SHALL BE RESPONSIBILE FOR VERIFYING THE ANTENNA AND THE COAX CONFIGURATION, MAKE AND MODELS, PRIOR TO INSTALLATION.
- ALL CONNECTIONS FOR HANGERS, SUPPORTS, BRACING, ETC. SHALL BE INSTALLED PER TOWER MANUFACTURER'S STANDARD DETAILS.
- 5. THE EXISTING TOWER IS CURRENTLY BEING ANALYZED BY OTHERS TO DETERMINE ITS STRUCTURAL CAPACITY TO CARRY THE PROPOSED NEW COAX AND ANTENNAS. THESE DRAWINGS HAVE BEEN CREATED BASED ON THE ASSUMPTION THE STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS WILL SHOW THAT THE TOWER HAS SUFFICIENT CAPACITY TO SUPPORT THE PROPOSED NEW LOADS. INSTALLATION OF THE COAX AND ANTENNAS SHALL NOT COMMENCE UNTIL AN APPROVED STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY THE OWNER OR AT&T AND HAS BEEN REVIEWED BY BLACK AND VEATCH.
- 6. SUBCONTRACTOR SHALL REFERENCE THE TOWER STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS/DESIGN DRAWINGS FOR DIRECTIONS ON CABLE DISTRIBUTION/ROUTING.

#### COAXIAL ANTENNA CABLE NOTES

- TYPES AND SIZES OF THE ANTENNA CABLE ARE BASED ON ESTIMATED LENGTHS, PRIOR TO ORDERING CABLE, SUBCONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ACTUAL LENGTH BASED ON CONSTRUCTION LAYOUT AND NOTIFY THE PROJECT MANAGER IF ACTUAL LENGTHS EXCEED ESTIMATED LENGTHS.
- 2. SUB CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY THE DOWN-TILT OF EACH ANTENNA WITH A DIGITAL LEVEL.
- 3. CONTRACTOR TO CONFIRM COAX COLOR CODING PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. REFER TO "ANTENNA SYSTEM LABELING STANDARD" ND-00027 REFER TO THE LATEST VERSION.
- 4. ALL JUMPERS TO THE ANTENNAS FROM THE MAIN TRANSMISSION LINE WILL BE 1/2" DIA. LDF AND SHALL
- 5. ALL COAXIAL CABLE WILL BE SECURED TO THE DESIGNED SUPPORT STRUCTURE, IN AN APPROVED MANNER, AT DISTANCES NOT TO EXCEED 4'-0" OC.
- 6. CONTRACTOR MUST FOLLOW ALL MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING BOTH THE INSTALLATION AND GROUNDING OF ALL COAXIAL CABLES, CONNECTORS, ANTENNAS, AND ALL OTHER EQUIPMENT.
- WEATHERPROOF ALL ANTENNA CONNECTORS WITH SELF AMALGAMATING TAPE. WEATHERPROOFING SHALL BE COMPLETED IN STRICT ACCORDANCE WITH AT&T STANDARDS.

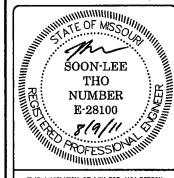


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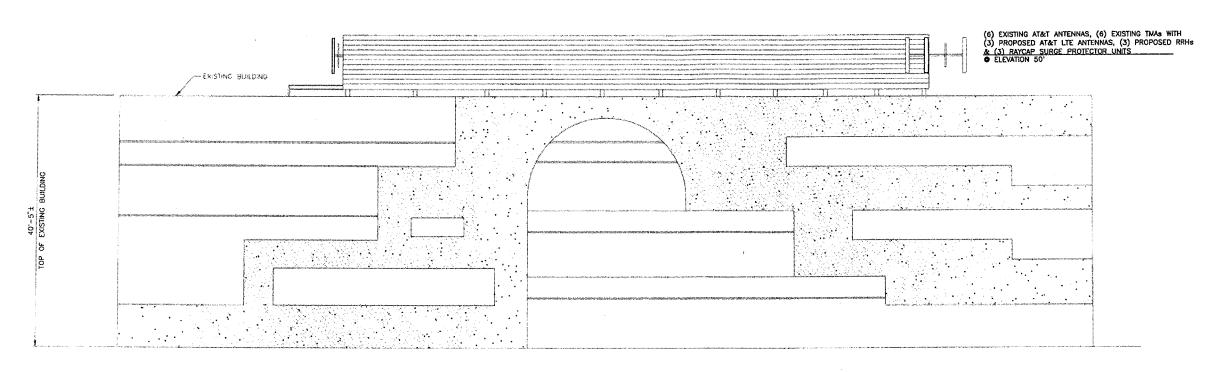
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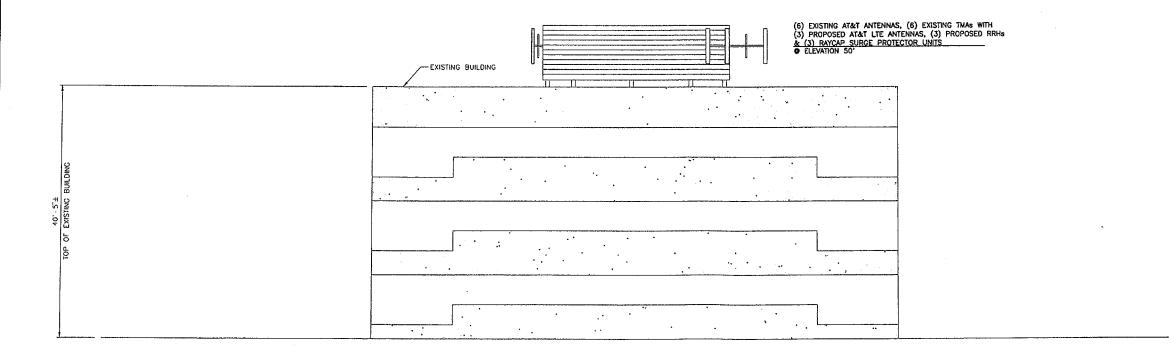
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EAST ELEVATION SCALE: 1/8" = 1'-0"



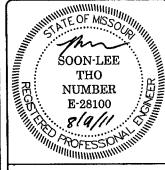
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