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Re: Case # U_2019_0011 CELL TOWER Project Applicant AT&T

Dear Chair Ogle and Members of the Planning Commission;

I urge you to vote NO on this ill-conceived project! The Pine Mountain sub-division is a very residential area -- homes, kids and etc. It is NOT a horse ranch. Many of the home parcels are less than 3 acres and most of us have sunk our savings into our homes. Anyone looking to live in a semi-rural area will certainly not choose a house sitting next to a group of 5-story antennas radiating 5-G emissions! Would you? What will this do to our property values? And if we choose to keep our homes, how will it affect our own health and serenity?

Further, holding a 'virtual' hearing 'virtually' excludes many of us in this area. During this stay at home order, we can't even exercise our First Amendment "Right to Petition". That is a serious issue. We obviously don't have decent internet connections, so we'll be effectively excluded from the public hearing.

I urge you to deny this permit and, at the very least, postpone the hearing until we residents can be actually present.

Truly,

Susan Monteleone