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Tom Taormina
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Re; Special Use Permit 2011-101

Dear Mr. Taormina,

It has been brought to my attention that I was not careful to check all of the requirements of the above referenced Special Use Permit pertaining to radio towers when I performed final inspection on towers # 3,4,6, and 7, the existing lattice towers.

In section 11 of the Conditions of SUP Approval, the last sentence states that "Anti-climbing devices shall be installed at each antenna support structure to protect the public". I did observe and note in my final inspection reports that the lower sections of towers 5 and 8 are not equipped with climbing rungs, however I failed to check the previously existing towers for the installation of anti-climbing devices.

As Building Code does not contain a definition for anti-climbing devices, I cannot advise you as to what type of devices will satisfy the requirements of the SUP. I recommend that you contact Storey County Senior Planner, Mr. Austin Osborne for specifications of acceptable devices. When clarification of the device specifications is provided, and the devices have been installed, I will be happy to schedule another inspection to determine if the devices meet specification and document the installation of such devices.

I sincerely apologize for this mistake on my part, and for any inconvenience or expense that this may cause you. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this matter.

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Ec: Storey County Senior Planner, Austin Osborne