

SITE NO.: NY578  
SITE NAME: Granite Springs  
LESSOR: Town of Yorktown

### OPTION AND GROUND LEASE AGREEMENT

THIS OPTION AND GROUND LEASE AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made and entered into as of this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2024 (the "Effective Date") by and between the Town of Yorktown, a municipal corporation ("LESSOR") and **HOMELAND TOWERS, LLC**, a New York limited liability company, ("LESSEE"). LESSOR and LESSEE are individually referred to herein as a "Party" and collectively as the "Parties."

#### Recitals

- A. WHEREAS, LESSOR is the owner of certain property located on Granite Springs Street, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598, Westchester County, State of New York, Tax Parcel Nos. 27.11-1-33 and 27.07-1-53, a legal description of which is set forth in **Exhibit "A"** attached hereto and incorporated herein (the "Property"); and
- B. WHEREAS, LESSEE desires to lease certain ground space on the Property for the placement of LESSEE's equipment, building(s) and tower(s) for the purpose of constructing, establishing, and maintaining a radio transmission tower facility for LESSEE's use and that of its subtenants, licensees and customers (collectively, "Customers"), which facility includes tower(s), building(s), radio transmitting and receiving antennas, communications equipment, and related cables, wires, conduits, air conditioning equipment and other appurtenances (the "Telecommunications Facilities"); and
- C. WHEREAS, LESSOR understands and accepts that LESSEE's primary business is the leasing, subleasing, and licensing portions of the Telecommunications Facilities to its Customers.

#### Agreement

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing premises, the mutual covenants and promises contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, LESSOR and LESSEE agree as follows.

**1. Option to Lease.** (a) In consideration of the payment of Five Hundred and 00/100 Dollars (\$500.00) (the "Option Fee") by LESSEE to LESSOR, LESSOR hereby grants to LESSEE an option to lease the Leased Premises (as defined in Section 2 below), on the terms and conditions set forth herein (the "Option"). The Option shall be for a term of twelve (12) months, commencing upon the date of mutual execution of this Agreement and ending twelve (12) months from such date (the "Initial Option Period"). LESSEE shall have the right to extend the Option for two (2) additional twelve (12) month periods (each, an "Extension Period") by giving written notice to LESSOR prior to the end of the then-current Option Period, which notice shall be accompanied by an additional option fee payment of Five Hundred and 00/100 Dollars (\$500.00) (the "Additional Option Fee"). As used herein, the "Option Period" means the Initial Option Period and any applicable Extension Period(s).

(b) During the Option Period and any applicable extension thereof, LESSEE may exercise the Option by so notifying LESSOR in writing.

(c) The provisions of Sections 3(b) and 3(c) of this Agreement shall apply with equal force during the Option Period and, to the extent that LESSEE exercises the Option, the Term of this Agreement.

**2. Premises.** Subject to the following terms and conditions, LESSOR leases to LESSEE and LESSEE leases from LESSOR certain ground space located on the Property sufficient for the construction, operation and maintenance of LESSEE's Telecommunications Facilities, together with all necessary easements for access, egress and utilities, as generally described in this Agreement (the "Leased Premises") as depicted on the site plan/drawing attached hereto and incorporated herein as **Exhibit "B"** (the "Site Plan"). The Leased Premises (exclusive of the access/egress/utility easements) is comprised of approximately Five Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-Five (5,625) square feet of ground space.

**3. Permitted Use.** (a) The Leased Premises may be used by LESSEE for, among other things, the construction, operation, maintenance, repair and/or replacement of related facilities, towers, buildings, antennas, equipment, and related activities for the transmission and reception of radio communication signals by LESSEE and its Customers (the "Permitted Use").

(b) LESSEE shall, at its expense, obtain any and all certifications, licenses, variances, permits, conditional use permits or authorizations required for LESSEE's use of the Leased Premises from all applicable federal, state, local government and/or regulatory entities (the "Governmental Approvals"). LESSOR agrees to cooperate with LESSEE, at LESSEE's expense, in obtaining Governmental Approvals by: (i) allowing LESSEE to obtain Governmental Approvals and file such applications, letters and/or documents for zoning and/or building permits as are deemed necessary or appropriate by LESSEE in connection with its use of the Leased Premises; (ii) promptly executing any documents or applications as requested by LESSEE to apply for permits for the use of the Property and Leased Premises; (iii) appointing LESSEE as its agent for all conditional use permit and variance applications, including executing any documents or applications reasonably necessary thereto; (iv) authorizing LESSEE as its agent with respect to signing any zoning or building permit applications for LESSEE's use of the Property; and (v) undertaking any other steps reasonably necessary to obtain any Governmental Approval(s) deemed necessary or appropriate by LESSEE. LESSOR shall take no action during the Option Period or, in the event that the Option is exercised, during the Term of this Agreement (as defined in Section 4 below) that would adversely affect the status of the Leased Premises with respect to the proposed use thereof by LESSEE, including, without limitation, initiating, imposing, or consenting to (A) any change in the zoning of the Property, or (B) the placement of any restriction(s) or limitation(s) on the Property that would restrict, limit, or prevent LESSEE's ability to use the Property in the manner set forth in this Section 3.

(c) LESSEE shall perform, at LESSEE's expense, title reports, RF engineering studies, surveys, soil tests, engineering procedures, environmental investigations and such other tests and reports as deemed necessary by LESSEE to determine that LESSEE's use of the Leased Premises will be compatible with LESSEE's engineering specifications, permitted use, system design, operations and Government Approvals (the "Investigations"). LESSOR agrees to cooperate with LESSEE, at LESSEE's expense, with respect to the Investigations by: (i) granting LESSEE a license to enter the Property and conduct the Investigations on, under and over the Property; (ii) allowing LESSEE to perform the Investigations; and (iii) undertaking any other steps as are reasonably necessary in support of such Investigations.

(d) In addition to the provisions of Section 10 below, prior to LESSEE's construction of the Telecommunications Facilities, LESSEE shall have the right to immediately terminate this Agreement upon written notice to LESSOR if LESSEE deems the results of any of the studies, reports, and/or Governmental Approvals referenced in this Section 3 to be unacceptable to LESSEE in its sole discretion.

**4. Term.** (a) The initial term of this Agreement ("Initial Term") shall be ten (10) years, commencing on the date of LESSEE's exercise of the Option (the "Commencement Date"). LESSEE shall have the right to extend this Agreement (including all terms and conditions set forth herein) for four (4) additional five (5) year renewal terms (each, a "Renewal Term"), and collectively, the "Renewal Terms"). Each such renewal shall occur automatically unless LESSEE sends written notice to LESSOR of its intent not to renew this Agreement at least thirty (30) days prior to the expiration of the Initial Term or then-applicable Renewal Term, as the case may be. As used herein, "Term" means the Initial Term and any applicable Renewal Term(s).

(b) In the event that LESSEE exercises all of the Renewal Terms set forth in the preceding paragraph, LESSEE shall have the exclusive right for the period commencing on the last day of the final Renewal Term through the date which is two (2) months thereafter, to negotiate with LESSOR for a new lease at then-current fair market rental rates ("LESSEE's Limited First Right To Negotiate"). If, at the end of such two (2) month period, the parties have not reached agreement as to all of the material terms of such new lease (including, without limitation, the rent payable thereunder), then LESSEE's Limited First Right To Negotiate shall be of no further force or effect.

**5. Rent.** (a) Commencing on the Rent Commencement Date, as defined in this paragraph, LESSEE shall pay LESSOR as monthly "Rent" an amount equal to Two Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$2,000.00) (the "Minimum Rent") or (b) Thirty Five Percent (35 %) (the "Percentage Rent") of Gross Income (as defined below) derived by LESSEE from its Customers using the Telecommunications Facilities on the Leased Premises (collectively, the "Authorized Users"), whichever is greater. The Rent shall be payable in equal monthly installments in advance on the first day of each month to LESSOR; rent for any partial month will be prorated. Rent shall be sent to LESSOR at the following address, which address may be changed from time to time during the Term by written notice to LESSEE given pursuant to Section 17: Town of Yorktown, 363 Underhill Ave, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598. As used herein, "Rent Commencement Date" means the earlier of (i) six (6) months after the Commencement Date, and (ii) the date on which LESSEE completes construction at the Leased Premises.

(b) Commencing on the first (1<sup>st</sup>) day of the first Renewal Term (if any), the Minimum Rent due hereunder shall be increased by an amount equal to ten percent (10%) over the Minimum Rent applicable during the Initial Term. On the first day of each follow-on Renewal Term thereafter (if any), the Minimum Rent due hereunder shall be increased by an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the Minimum Rent applicable during the immediately preceding Renewal Term.

(c) As used herein, “Gross Income” means the income actually received by LESSEE from the Authorized Users during the applicable month or portion thereof in connection with their occupancy of the Telecommunications Facilities on the Leased Premises. The parties agree and acknowledge that the following fees, reimbursements, taxes, and pass-throughs paid to LESSEE by the Authorized Users are expressly excluded from the definition of Gross Income: (i) installation and maintenance fees for services provided by LESSEE on behalf of the Authorized Users; (ii) operating expense, common area cost, and tenant improvement fees and reimbursements; (iii) utility charges; (iv) damage awards, indemnification payments, and related reimbursements; (v) any and all insurance proceeds (with the limited exception of business interruption insurance, to the extent applicable); (vi) all sums collected from Authorized Users for taxes (including, to the extent applicable, sales and use taxes, excise taxes, and similar taxes) for which LESSEE is responsible; (vii) un-forfeited security deposits; and (viii) any proceeds applicable to LESSEE’s assignment of the Lease Agreement. If this Agreement expires or is otherwise terminated prior to the last day of the month, the Percentage Rent due hereunder shall be prorated. All Percentage Rent payments shall be payable as set forth in Section 5(a).

(d) Effective on each anniversary of the Commencement Date, LESSEE shall provide LESSOR a statement (the “Annual Statement”) of LESSEE’s Gross Income during the applicable calendar year period (or portion thereof). Such statement will be accompanied by the certification of LESSEE’s Controller (or his/her designee) confirming that the statement and the Percentage Rent payments were calculated in accordance with this Section 5. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, in the event that the Agreement expires or is terminated prior to the Commencement Date, LESSEE shall remit a statement and certification referenced in the preceding sentence, to LESSOR not later than 90 days after the date of expiration or termination.

(e) Within thirty (30) days after receipt of all Governmental Approvals necessary for the construction, operation and maintenance of the Telecommunications Facilities, LESSEE shall make a LESSOR a one-time, lump-sum payment in the amount of Twenty Five Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$25,000.00) which LESSOR shall apply to the benefit of LESSOR’s first responders/emergency communication departments.

**6. Interference.** Subject to LESSEE’s rights under this Agreement including, without limitation, non-interference, LESSEE shall not use the Leased Premises in any way which interferes with the use of the Property by LESSOR or its lessees or licensees with rights in the Property prior in time to LESSEE’s initial use thereof as a telecommunications facility. LESSOR shall not use, nor shall LESSOR permit its tenants, licensees, employees, invitees or agents to use, any portion of the Property in any way that interferes with the operations of LESSEE. Any interference prohibited by this paragraph shall be deemed to constitute a material breach of this Agreement, and the offending party shall, upon written notice from the other, promptly cause such interference to be terminated. In the event that any such interference is not so terminated, the injured party shall have the right, in addition to any other rights that it may have at law or in equity, to bring a court action to enjoin such interference or to terminate this Agreement immediately upon written notice to the other party.

**7. Construction of Improvements; Right to Create Wetlands.** (a) From time to time during the Term hereof, LESSEE shall have the right, in its sole judgment and at its sole cost and expense, to construct, install, operate, maintain, replace, remove, modify, add to, upgrade, rebuild, and/or relocate any or all of the Telecommunications Facilities. Notwithstanding the fact that certain such equipment and appurtenances that are a part of the Telecommunications Facilities may be classified as fixtures under applicable law, the parties agree and acknowledge that all such equipment and appurtenances are, and shall at all times remain, the sole property of LESSEE or its Customers, as the case may be, and that LESSEE shall have the right, but not the obligation, to remove any or all of the same during the Term of this Agreement and/or at the expiration or earlier termination hereof.

(b) The Telecommunication Facilities shall be initially configured as generally set forth in the Site Plan referenced in Exhibit “B”. LESSEE shall have the right to modify, replace, add to, upgrade, rebuild, and/or relocate the Telecommunication Facilities at any time during the Term.

(c) LESSEE shall be solely responsible for the operation, maintenance, repair of, and the insurance for, the Telecommunications Facilities.

(d) As reflected in the Site Plan, a portion of the wetlands located on the Property will be disturbed in connection with LESSEE’s construction of the access/egress/utility easements supporting the Telecommunications Facilities. Accordingly, LESSOR

hereby grants to LESSEE the right, at LESSEE's sole cost and expense, to create, grade, and landscape such additional wetlands on the Property as are (i) reasonably required by LESSEE, and/or (ii) as may be required by any federal, state, and/or local government/regulatory entity(s) of appropriate jurisdiction in connection with LESSEE's entitlement, construction, and operation of the Telecommunications Facilities.

(e) Effective upon the Commencement Date of this Agreement and throughout the Term hereof, LESSEE shall post a removal bond to the benefit of LESSOR substantially conforming to the draft bond attached hereto and incorporated herein as **Exhibit "D"** (the "**Removal Bond**"). LESSEE's failure to timely remove its Telecommunications Facilities from the Leased Premises pursuant to the terms of this Agreement shall constitute a default under this Agreement and LESSOR shall so notify the Surety in writing.

**8. Access.** (a) As partial consideration for the Rent paid by LESSEE pursuant to this Agreement, LESSEE shall have, throughout the Term hereof, the right to access the Leased Premises over and across the Property twenty-four (24) hours per day, seven (7) days a week for the purpose of ingress, egress, operation, maintenance, replacement, and repair of the Telecommunications Facilities (the "**Access Rights**"). The Access Rights granted herein (i) include the nonexclusive right to enter the Property from the nearest public street and driveway, parking rights, and (ii) extend to LESSEE, its Customers, their contractors, subcontractors, equipment and service providers, governmental agencies of appropriate jurisdiction, and the duly-authorized employees, inspectors, representatives, and agents of each of them.

(b) In addition to the Access Rights set forth in the preceding paragraph, during the period that the Telecommunications Facilities are being constructed, LESSOR grants to LESSEE and its Customers the right to use such portions of the Property and the Adjacent Property as are reasonably required for the construction and installation of the Telecommunications Facilities, including, but not necessarily limited to, (i) the right of ingress to and egress from the Property and, to the extent reasonably required, the Adjacent Property for construction machinery and related equipment, and (ii) the right to use such portions of the Property and/or Adjacent Property as are reasonably necessary for the storage of construction materials and equipment. As used herein, "**Adjacent Property**" means other real property owned by LESSOR that is contiguous to, surrounds, or in the immediate vicinity of the Property.

**9. Utilities.** (a) LESSOR hereby grants to LESSEE, at LESSEE's sole cost and expense, the right to install, and, to the extent applicable, improve, upgrade, and modify utilities at the Leased Premises (including, without limitation, telephone service, telecommunications lines (including, fiber) and electricity). LESSEE shall, to the extent reasonably practicable, install separate meters or sub-meters, as the case may be, for utilities used in the operation of the Telecommunications Facilities on the Leased Premises.

(b) As partial consideration for the Rent paid by LESSEE under this Agreement, LESSOR hereby grants to LESSEE and the servicing utility companies a nonexclusive right of way over and across the Property as necessary for the construction, installation, running, servicing and maintenance of electrical power and other utilities necessary to serve the Telecommunication Facilities. Upon LESSEE's request, LESSOR agrees to promptly execute any and all documents necessary to evidence the rights granted to LESSEE pursuant to this paragraph including, without limitation, right-of-way and easement documents, and further grants to LESSEE an irrevocable power of attorney to execute, on LESSOR's behalf, any and all such documents.

**10. Default and Termination.** (a) In addition to other events or circumstances permitting the termination of this Agreement, this Agreement may be terminated, without any penalty or further liability, as follows: (i) by either party, upon a breach or default of any covenant or term hereof by the other party, which breach or default is not cured within thirty (30) days of the breaching party's receipt of written notice thereof from the non-breaching party; *provided, however*, that if efforts to cure such breach are commenced within such thirty (30) day period and are thereafter diligently prosecuted to completion, such period shall be extended for a period of time not to exceed six (6) months, and further provided that the cure period for any monetary default shall be thirty (30) days from the defaulting party's receipt of the other party's written notice of payment delinquency; (ii) by LESSEE, upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to LESSOR, in the event that the Leased Premises become technologically unsuitable, in LESSEE's opinion, for LESSEE's Telecommunications Facilities for reasons including, but not limited to, unacceptable radio signal interference and any addition, alteration, or new construction on, adjacent to, or in the vicinity of the Leased Premises and/or the Property that blocks, either partially or totally, transmission or receiving paths; (iii) by LESSEE, upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to LESSOR, in the event that any Governmental Approval that LESSEE considers to be necessary or convenient for the construction, operation, maintenance, reconstruction, modification, addition to, or removal of the Telecommunications Facilities is not, in LESSEE's sole discretion, reasonably obtainable or maintainable in the future; (iv) by LESSEE, upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to LESSOR, in the event that the Leased Premises cease to be economically viable as a telecommunications site (as determined by LESSEE in its sole business judgment); and (v) by LESSEE, upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to LESSOR, if any Hazardous Substance (as defined in Section 13 below) is or becomes present on the Property in violation of any Environmental Laws (as also defined in Section 13 below) to the extent that such is not caused by LESSEE.

(b) Except as expressly limited by this Agreement, a party's termination hereof as the result of a breach thereof by the other party that is not cured within the applicable period set forth in Section 10(a) shall be in addition to, and not in lieu of, any and all remedies available to the terminating party, whether at law or in equity.

**11. Condemnation.** If all or any part of the Leased Premises, or if all or any part of the Property underlying the Telecommunication Facilities or providing access to the Premises is taken by eminent domain or other action by governmental authority(s) of appropriate jurisdiction (each, an "Act of Condemnation"), and if, in LESSEE's sole discretion, such an Act(s) of Condemnation renders the Premises unusable for the Permitted Use set forth in Section 3 hereof, then LESSEE shall have the right to immediately terminate this Agreement upon written notice to Lessor, and all Rent obligations (except those that accrued prior to the effective date of termination) shall cease. If LESSEE elects not to terminate this Agreement following an Act of Condemnation, then this Agreement shall continue unaffected, except that the Rent shall be reduced or abated in proportion to the actual reduction or abatement of LESSEE's use of the Leased Premises as a result of such Act of Condemnation. In the event of an Act of Condemnation (whether in whole or in part), LESSEE shall be entitled to pursue and receive the award related to the Telecommunication Facilities and any equipment and/or infrastructure owned or constructed by LESSEE that is related thereto. The terms set forth in this Section 11 shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement.

**12. Indemnification.** Subject to the provisions of Section 14 below, LESSEE shall defend (with counsel reasonably acceptable to LESSOR), indemnify, and hold LESSOR harmless from and against any claims (including reasonable attorneys' fees, costs and expenses incurred in defending against such claims), losses, damages, and liabilities (collectively, "Claims") resulting from the negligence or willful misconduct of LESSEE and LESSEE's agents, licensees, invitees, and contractors, and the shareholders, directors, officers, and employees of each of them (the "LESSEE Parties") occurring in or about the Premises or the Property. The terms set forth in this Section 12 shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement.

**13. Hazardous Substances.** LESSOR and LESSEE each agree that, during the Term of this Agreement, they will not use, generate, store, or dispose of any Hazardous Material on, under, about or within the Property or the Leased Premises in violation of any federal, state, or local law, rule, or regulation pertaining to the environment, public health or safety, or the handling, manufacturing, treatment storage, use, transportation, spillage, leakage, dumping, discharge or disposal of Hazardous Substances (collectively, "Environmental Laws"). As used herein, "Hazardous Substances" means hazardous substances, materials or wastes regulated under any Environmental Law(s). LESSEE shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless LESSOR and LESSOR's agents, licensees, invitees, and contractors, and the shareholders, directors, officers, and employees of each of them (the "LESSOR Parties"), from and against any and all Claims (as defined in Section 12) arising from LESSEE's breach of any obligation, representation, or warranty contained in this paragraph except for Claims arising solely from the LESSOR Parties' use or occupancy of the Property. The indemnification provisions set forth in this Section 13 shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement.

**14. Insurance.** a) During the Term of this Agreement, LESSEE shall, at its sole cost and expense, procure and maintain the following insurance with customary exceptions and exclusions: (i) Bodily Injury: \$1,000,000.00 for injury to any one (1) person, and \$2,000,000.00 for injury(s) sustained by more than one (1) person in any one (1) occurrence; and (ii) Property Damage: replacement cost for all of LESSEE's equipment located at the Leased Premises (collectively, the "LESSEE Policies"). LESSEE covenants and agrees that LESSOR shall be named as an additional insured under the LESSEE Policies. In the event of LESSOR's written request therefore, LESSEE shall provide LESSOR with a certificate of insurance evidencing the coverage required hereby not later than thirty (30) days following its receipt of LESSOR's request.

(b) LESSEE hereby releases and holds harmless LESSOR and the LESSOR Parties from and against any personal injury/death occurring at the Premises and/or the Property that results from risks insured against under any LESSEE Policy(s) that is/are in force at the time of any such injury or damage. LESSEE shall use commercially reasonable efforts to cause all LESSEE Policies to include a waiver of subrogation with respect to any injury or damage covered under such policy. The waivers and releases in this paragraph shall not only apply as between the parties, but shall also apply to any claims under or through either party as a result of any asserted right of subrogation.

(c) Notwithstanding the foregoing insurance requirements, the insolvency, bankruptcy, or failure of any insurance company carrying or writing any of the policies referenced in this Section 14 shall not be construed as a waiver of any of the provisions of this Agreement, nor shall any such insolvency, bankruptcy, or failure relieve either party from its obligations hereunder. The terms set forth in this Section 14(c) shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement.

**15. Taxes.** LESSOR has the right, pursuant to the terms of this Agreement and any communications license agreement by and between LESSEE, as licensor and LESSOR, as licensee, to occupy certain mutually-agreed upon space at the Telecommunications Facilities for the placement and operation of LESSOR's Equipment (as defined in Section 21). To the extent not prohibited by applicable law, in consideration for the benefits to be derived by LESSOR with respect to the rent payable under this Agreement and the right to locate and operate the LESSOR's Equipment at the Telecommunications Facilities without an attendant rent obligation, LESSOR shall, to the extent permissible under applicable laws, rules and regulations, throughout the Term of this Agreement, refrain from imposing real and personal property taxes, assessments, and similar charges with respect to LESSEE's use and occupancy of the Leased Premises and the Telecommunications Facilities and related equipment owned by LESSEE located thereon (collectively, the "Telecommunications Facilities Property Taxes"). In the event that applicable law prohibits LESSOR from refraining to assess or impose the Telecommunications Facilities Property Taxes, then LESSOR and LESSEE agree that LESSEE shall have the right to offset the aggregate amount of the Telecommunications Facilities Property Taxes so assessed/imposed against Rent that become due and owing to LESSOR under this Agreement.

**16. Quiet Enjoyment, Title and Authority.** (a) During the Term of this Agreement, LESSEE may, provided that it is not in default hereunder beyond any applicable notice and cure period, peaceably and quietly hold and enjoy the Premises, free from disturbance from any person claiming by, through, or under LESSOR.

(b) LESSOR covenants and warrants to LESSEE that: (i) LESSOR has full right, power, and authority to execute this Agreement; (ii) LESSOR has good and unencumbered title to the Property, free and clear of any liens or mortgages, except those disclosed to LESSEE and of record as of the date of this Agreement; and (iii) LESSOR's execution and performance of this Agreement will not violate the covenants, provisions, representations, or warranties of any mortgage, deed of trust, lease, or other agreement to which LESSOR is a party or by which LESSOR is otherwise bound.

(c) LESSOR agrees that, during the Term of this Agreement, LESSEE will have the exclusive right to use the Property or any portion thereof for use as telecommunications facilities providing transmission and/or receiving facilities for wireless providers and/or users, and that that LESSOR shall not itself operate wireless telecommunications facilities on the Property, or any portion thereof, nor will LESSOR grant a lease, sublease, license, or other right to use the Property, any portion thereof, or any property that is adjacent thereto that may be owned by LESSOR, to any other person or entity for the operation of antenna and/or telecommunications facilities.

**17. Notices.** All notices, demands, requests, or other communications which are required to be given, served, or sent by one party to the other pursuant to this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be mailed, postage prepaid, by registered or certified mail, or forwarded by a reliable overnight courier service with delivery verification, to the following addresses for LESSOR and LESSEE, or to such address as may be designated in writing by either party pursuant to this Section 17:

If to LESSEE, to:  
Homeland Towers, LLC  
9 Harmony St, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Danbury, CT 06810  
Telephone: (203) 297-6345

With a copy to:  
Infra Holdings, LLC  
ATTN: Legal Department  
1800 Diagonal Road, Suite 600  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
(571) 366-1720

If to LESSOR, to:  
Town of Yorktown  
363 Underhill Ave  
Yorktown Heights, NY 10598  
Attn: Supervisor

With a copy to:  
Town Attorney  
363 Underhill Ave  
Yorktown Heights, NY 10598

Notice given by certified or registered mail or by reliable overnight courier shall be deemed to have been delivered on the date of receipt (or on the date receipt is refused, as the case may be) as shown on the certification of receipt or on the records or manifest of the U.S. Postal Service or courier service.

**18. Estoppel, Non-Disturbance and Attornment.** (a) From time to time during the Term of this Agreement, LESSOR agrees, upon not less than ten (10) days prior written notice from LESSEE, to execute, acknowledge and deliver to LESSEE a written estoppel

certificate (the "Lessor Estoppel") certifying that as of the date of the certification: (i) the Agreement is a valid and enforceable Agreement and is in full force and effect; (ii) that LESSEE is not in default under any of the terms, conditions, or covenants of the Agreement beyond or any applicable cure period or, if applicable, truthfully specifying any default by LESSEE hereunder and the cure period applicable thereto; (iii) the commencement and expiration dates of the then-current term hereof together with any remaining Renewal Term(s); (iv) the amount of the then-current rent payable under the Agreement; and (v) a true and correct copy of the Agreement and all amendments thereto shall be attached to the Lessor Estoppel.

(b) LESSOR shall use good faith efforts to obtain for LESSEE from the holder of any mortgage and/or deed of trust now or hereafter encumbering the Property a non-disturbance and attornment agreement in a form reasonably satisfactory to LESSEE, which agreement shall provide that as long as LESSEE is not in default of any of its material obligations under this Agreement beyond any applicable cure period, its rights as LESSEE hereunder shall not be terminated and its access to and possession of the Leased Premises shall not be disturbed by the mortgagee or trustee, as the case may be, or by any proceedings on the debt which any such mortgage or deed of trust secures, and that any sale at foreclosure shall be subject to this Agreement.

(c) For purposes of allowing LESSEE to satisfy its lender's continuing rights with respect to LESSEE's property on the Leased Premises, and with respect to LESSEE's rights and interests under this Agreement, LESSOR agrees as follows:

(i) LESSOR shall recognize the subleases and/or licenses of all Customers of LESSEE on the Leased Premises, and, notwithstanding any default hereunder by LESSEE, will permit such Customers to remain in occupancy thereof so long as such Customer is not in default of any material obligation under its sublease/license with LESSEE beyond any applicable notice and cure period;

(ii) LESSOR consents to the granting by LESSEE of a lien and security interest in and/or mortgaging of LESSEE's interest in this Agreement and all of LESSEE's personal property and fixtures located on or attached to the Property, and furthermore consents to the exercise by LESSEE's mortgagee of its rights of foreclosure with respect to such mortgagee's lien and/or security interest. LESSOR agrees to recognize LESSEE's mortgagee as LESSEE hereunder upon any such exercise by LESSEE's mortgagee of its rights of foreclosure. LESSOR further agrees (A) to subordinate any lien or security interest which it may have which arises by law or pursuant to this Agreement to the lien and security interest of LESSEE's mortgagee in the collateral securing all indebtedness at any time owed by LESSEE to its mortgagee (collectively the "Collateral"), and (B) that, upon an event of default by LESSEE under this Agreement or under any applicable mortgage, security agreement, or other loan document executed in favor of LESSEE's mortgagee, LESSEE's mortgagee shall have the full right, title, and authority to exercise its rights against the Collateral prior to the exercise by the LESSOR of any rights which it may have or claim to have therein, including, but not limited to, the right to enter upon the Leased Premises and remove the Collateral free and clear of any applicable lien or security interest of LESSOR;

(iii) Within a reasonable time after the occurrence thereof, LESSOR shall give LESSEE's lender written notice of any breach or default of the terms of this Agreement that is not cured by LESSEE within any applicable notice and cure period(s) (an "Uncured LESSEE Default"). In this regard, LESSEE agrees to notify LESSOR in writing from time to time during the Term of the names and notice addresses of LESSEE's lenders. LESSOR further agrees that no default shall be deemed to have occurred under this Agreement unless LESSOR gives the notice required to lender that is required by this paragraph, and that in the event of any Uncured LESSEE Default, lender shall have the right, to the same extent and with the same effect as LESSEE, for the period set forth in this Agreement, to cure or correct any such Uncured LESSEE Default, whether the same shall consist of the failure to pay rent or the failure to perform, and LESSOR agrees to accept such payment or performance on the part of lender as though the same had been made or performed by the LESSEE; and

(iv) LESSOR acknowledges and agrees that nothing contained in this Agreement shall construed as obligating LESSEE's mortgagee to take any action hereunder, or to perform or discharge any obligation, duty, or liability of LESSEE under this Agreement.

**19. Assignment and Subletting** LESSEE shall have the right to assign its interest in this this Agreement, whether in whole or in part, without LESSOR's consent. Upon notification to LESSOR of such assignment, LESSEE shall be relieved of all future performance, liabilities and obligations under this Agreement. In addition, LESSEE shall have the right to license or sublet the Leased Premises, in whole or in part, without LESSOR's consent, for the Permitted Use set forth in Section 3.

**20. Limited Right of First Refusal.** If during the Term of this Agreement, LESSOR receives a bona fide offer ("Bona Fide Offer") from a third party to lease or purchase the LESSOR's interest in this Agreement including, but not limited to, LESSOR's right to receive

rents hereunder (the "Leasehold Interest"), LESSEE shall have the limited right of first refusal ("Right of First Refusal") to so acquire the Leasehold Interest. LESSOR shall provide LESSEE with a written copy of the Bona Fide Offer, and LESSEE shall have thirty (30) days following its receipt thereof to notify LESSOR in writing as to whether it wishes to exercise its right to purchase the Leasehold Interest. If LESSEE fails to exercise its Right of First Refusal, this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect and such Right of First Refusal will lapse with respect to the Bona Fide Offer (but not with respect to any subsequent Bona Fide Offer(s)) unless LESSOR fails to convey the Leasehold Interest within one hundred eighty (180) days of the date of LESSEE's waiver of its Right of First Refusal.

**21. Lessor's Use of Leased Premises.** Subject to the above limitations, during the term of this Agreement, Lessor's police, highway, fire, water, ambulance and emergency service providers (with the specific exclusion of any county, state or federal providers, each an "Emergency Provider") shall have the non-exclusive right to install, maintain, and operate antennas, equipment and/or improvements more fully described in the communications license/ agreement with LESSEE substantially in the form attached hereto as **Exhibit "E"** (the "Communications License Agreement"). The relocation and initial installation of the LESSOR's Equipment shall be performed by a contractor reasonably acceptable to LESSEE and at LESSEE's expense. The subsequent maintenance of the LESSOR's Equipment shall be the sole responsibility of LESSOR and/or the Emergency Provider. The LESSOR's Equipment shall not interfere with any existing or future Customers. Any of LESSOR's Tower mounted Equipment that provides service in the Town of Yorktown, shall be limited as follows: (i) the antenna or equipment shall be equal to or higher than one hundred thirty (130) feet or between the height of 40 feet to ninety (90) feet of the communications tower located at the Leased Premises (the "Tower"); and (ii) Lessor's antennas shall be placed on the Tower as shown in Exhibit B. LESSOR shall provide LESSEE with a list of current operating frequencies within ninety (90) days of full execution of this Agreement, to be used for Lessor's Equipment and LESSEE shall take commercially reasonable efforts to ensure that all existing and future Customers shall not cause interference with such operating frequencies.

**22. Miscellaneous.** (a) This Agreement, including Exhibits A-E hereto which are hereby incorporated herein by this reference, constitutes the entire Agreement and understanding of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and supersedes all prior offers, negotiations, and agreements with respect thereto. There are no representations or understandings of any kind not set forth herein. Any amendments to this Agreement must be in writing and be executed by a duly authorized representative of each party.

(b) LESSOR shall, not later than thirty (30) days following the Effective Date hereof, provide LESSEE with a copy of LESSOR's organizational documents which may include, by way of example, (i) LESSOR's Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, Partnership Agreement, Operating Agreement and the like, which documents shall evidence LESSOR's authority, right, and ability to enter into this Agreement, (ii) current certificates of good standing and incumbency, (iii) a duly-executed and authorized resolution authorizing the transactions contemplated hereby, and (iv) a document evidencing, to LESSEE's commercially-reasonable satisfaction, the signature authority of the LESSOR representative who executed this Agreement on LESSOR's behalf.

(c) Concurrently with the execution of the Agreement, the parties shall execute the Memorandum of Lease attached hereto and incorporated herein as **Exhibit "C"** (the "Memorandum"). LESSEE shall cause the Memorandum to be recorded, at LESSEE's sole cost and expense, in the official records of the county and state in which the Leased Premises are located. Upon determination of the legal description of the Leased Premises by LESSEE (the "Leased Premises Legal Description"), LESSOR and LESSEE shall amend this Agreement and record an amendment to the Memorandum to incorporate the Leased Premises Legal Description.

(d) Any sale or conveyance of all or any portion of the Premises shall be subject to this Agreement and LESSEE's rights hereunder.

(e) This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the state in which the Premises are located, without regard to the choice of law rules thereof.

(f) If any term of this Agreement is found to be void or invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remaining terms of this Agreement, which shall continue in full force and effect.

(g) This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts (including by facsimile or by electronic copy or transmission), each of which shall be the binding agreement of the executing party, and which, when taken together, shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

(h) The provisions of this Section 21 shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement.



(i) LESSEE agrees and acknowledges that this Agreement is subject to all necessary legal approvals, including state legislative approval for the alienation of parkland (estimated square footage of the parkland alienation is 51,109 square feet) and a resolution by the Yorktown Town Board that will be subject to a permissive referendum, and a building permit.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS.]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Option and Ground Lease Agreement to be executed by their duly-authorized representatives as of the Effective Date set forth above.

**TOWN OF YORKTOWN  
("LESSOR")**

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

\_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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**HOMELAND TOWERS, LLC  
("LESSEE")**

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

\_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Manuel J. Vicente  
President

\_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT "A" TO OPTION AND GROUND LEASE AGREEMENT**

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY**

**Parcel No. 27.11-1-33:**

ALL THAT CERTAIN PLOT, PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, SITUATE, LYING AND BEING IN THE TOWN OF YORKTOWN, COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER AND STATE OF NEW YORK, BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF GRANITE SPRINGS ROAD, SAID POINT BEING ON A CURVE FORMING THE INTERSECTION BETWEEN THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF SAID GRANITE SPRINGS ROAD AND THE WESTERLY SIDE OF FALMOUTH COURT;

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RUNNING THENCE FROM SAID POINT OF TANGENCY NORTH 39° 48' 25" EAST 170.00 FEET TO A POINT ON A CURVE HAVING A RADIUS OF 200 FEET;

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RUNNING THENCE FROM SAID POINT NORTH 4° 47' 50" EAST 169.45 FEET

RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 85° 12' 10" EAST 353.50 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 4° 47' 50" WEST 571.86 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 43° 44' 13" WEST 21.04 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE NORTH 46° 15' 47" WEST 311.48 FEET AND NORTH 50° 11' 35" WEST 203.24 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 39° 48' 25" WEST 170.00 FEET TO A POINT OF CURVE HAVING A RADIUS OF 30 FEET;

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RUNNING THENCE WESTERLY ALONG THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF GRANITE SPRINGS ROAD NORTH 50° 11' 35" WEST 110.00 FEET TO THE POINT OR PLACE OF BEGINNING.

TAX I.D. NUMBER: 27.11-1-33

BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO TOWN OF YORKTOWN, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, GRANTEE, FROM RUTH WHEAT, GRANTOR, BY DEED RECORDED 05/23/2005, AS DOCUMENT NO. 451290168 AND CORRECTED IN DEED RECORDED 01/24/2006 AS DOCUMENT NO. 460060131 OF THE WESTCHESTER COUNTY RECORDS.

**Parcel No. 27.07-1-53:**

**[To be inserted prior to Agreement execution]**



**EXHIBIT “B” TO OPTION AND GROUND LEASE AGREEMENT**

**DEPICTION/DESCRIPTION/SITE PLAN OF LEASED PREMISES (SITE PLAN)<sup>1</sup>**

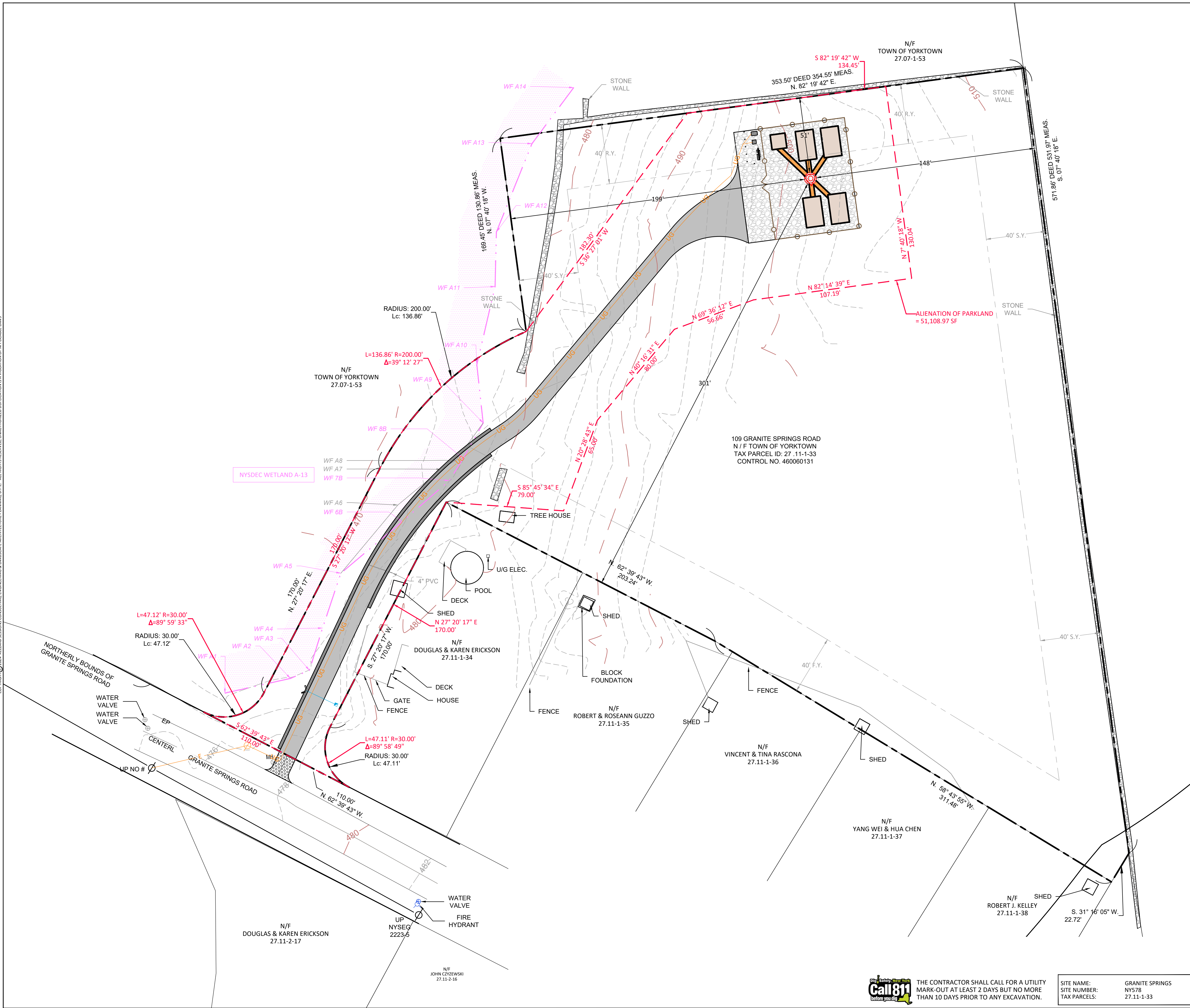
[See attached drawings, three (3) pages, Lease Exhibit Sheets LE1, LE2 and LE3 most recently revised on April 29, 2024, prepared by Kellard Sessions Consulting Engineering on behalf of Homeland Towers, LLC.]

  X   The Leased Premises includes ground space.

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<sup>1</sup> LESSEE reserves the right to replace this Exhibit during the Term of this Agreement with a legal description of the Leased Premises (the “Leased Premises Legal Description”) and an as-built site plan (the “As-Built Site Plan”). Effective on the date of LESSEE’s delivery of the Leased Premises Legal Description/As-Built Site Plan to LESSOR, such Legal Description/As-Built Site Plan shall replace the text of this Exhibit.

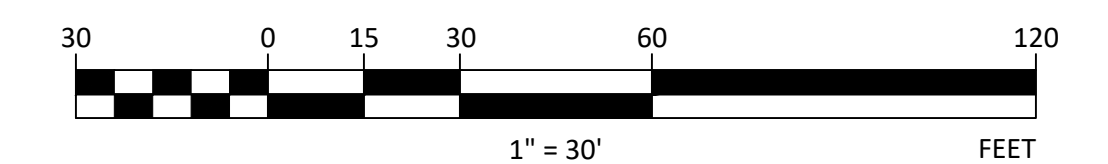
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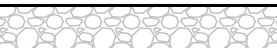
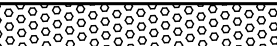




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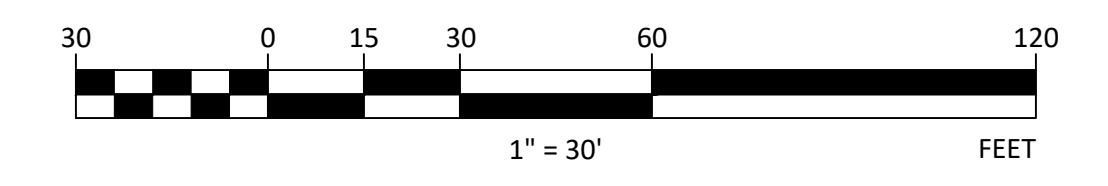
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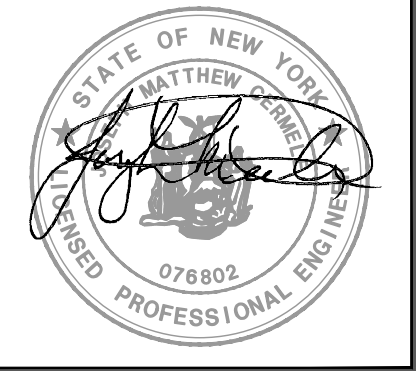
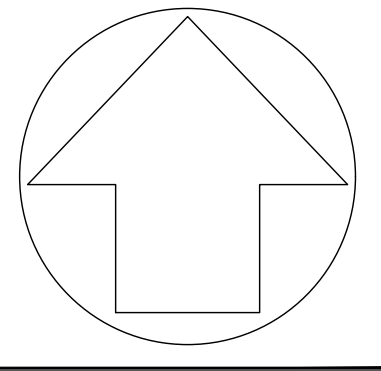
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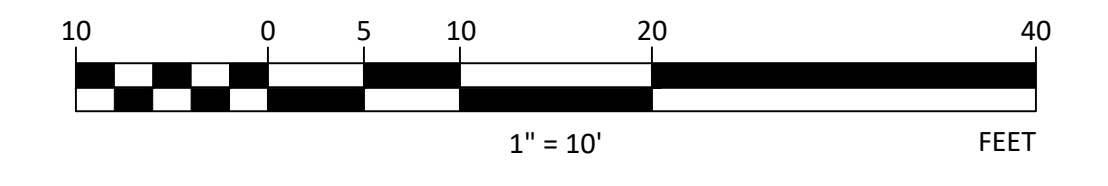
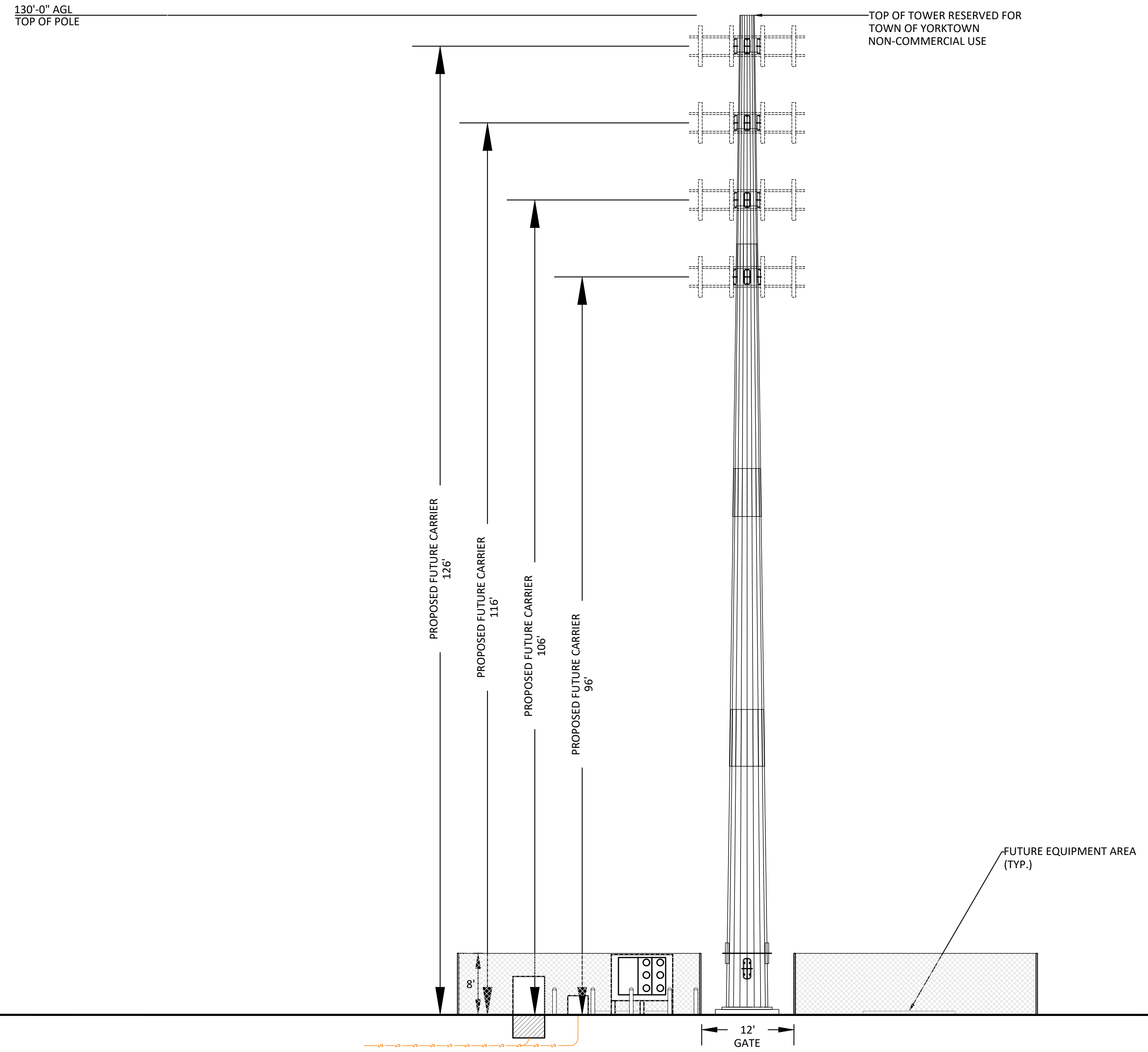
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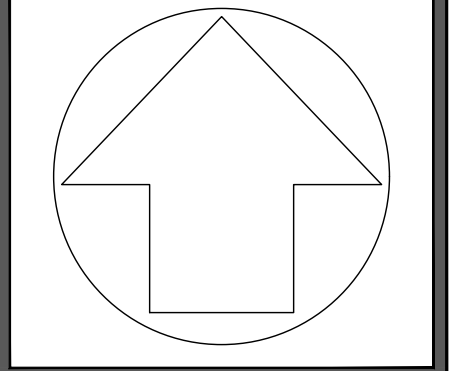


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**FORM OF MEMORANDUM OF LEASE**

[SEE ATTACHED.]

**Prepared/Recording Requested By:**

Homeland Towers, LLC  
9 Harmony Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Danbury, CT 06810

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Attn: Post Closing  
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Akron, Ohio 44311  
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THIS MEMORANDUM OF OPTION AND GROUND LEASE AGREEMENT (this "Memorandum"), made and entered into on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024 by and between the Town of Yorktown, a municipal corporation, with an address of 363 Underhill Avenue, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598 ("Lessor") and HOMELAND TOWERS, LLC, a New York limited liability company, with an address of 9 Harmony Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Danbury, CT 06810 ("Lessee"), is a record of that certain Option and Ground Lease Agreement ("Lease") between Lessor and Lessee of even date herewith. The Lease contains, among other things, the following terms:

1. Description of Property. The Leased Premises are located on that certain real property described in Exhibit A hereto (the "Property").
2. Term. The "Initial Term" of the Lease is ten (10) years beginning on the date that Lessee exercises the Option set forth in Section 1 of the Lease. Lessee has the right to extend the term of the Lease for four (4) successive terms of five (5) years each (individually, a "Renewal Term," and collectively, the "Renewal Terms"). The Initial Term and any applicable Renewal Term(s) are collectively referred to as the "Term."
3. Quiet Enjoyment. Pursuant to the Lease, Lessee has the exclusive right to use the Property or any portion thereof for use as telecommunications facilities providing transmission and/or

receiving facilities for wireless providers and/or users, Pursuant to the Lease, Lessor shall not grant a lease, sublease, license, or other right to use the Property, any portion thereof, or any property that is adjacent thereto that may be owned by LESSOR, to any other person or entity for the operation of antenna and/or telecommunications facilities.

4. Subletting. Lessee has the right, at any time during the Term of the Lease, to sublet any portion of the Leased Premises or to permit any portion of the Leased Premises to be occupied or used by its subtenants, licensees, and customers in connection with the provision of communication services.

5. Limited Right of First Refusal. The Lease grants LESSEE a limited right of first refusal in the event of a sale, transfer, or other conveyance of LESSOR's interest in the Lease including, without limitation, the right to receive rents under the Lease.

6. Limited First Right to Negotiate. In the event that LESSEE exercises all of the Renewal Terms under the Lease, the Lease grants LESSEE an exclusive right to negotiate with LESSOR with respect to the terms of a new lease for a period of two (2) months commencing on the last day of the final Renewal Term. In the event that LESSEE and LESSOR have not reached agreement as to all of the material terms of the new lease on or before the expiration of such two (2) month period, then LESSEE's exclusive right to negotiate shall be of no further force or effect.

7. Forms Necessary for Recordation of Memorandum. Promptly following LESSEE's request, LESSOR agrees to complete and execute any and all government or transfer tax forms necessary for the recording of this Memorandum.

8. Ratification of Lease; Release of Memorandum. By this Memorandum, the parties: (a) intend to record a reference to the Lease; (b) hereby ratify and confirm all of the terms and conditions of the Lease; and (c) declare that the Leased Premises are subject to the Lease. Following the expiration or earlier termination of the Lease, Lessee will, upon Lessor's written request therefore, execute and deliver to the Lessor an instrument in recordable form evidencing the expiration/termination of the Lease and the release of this Memorandum.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Lessor and Lessee have executed this Memorandum of Option and Ground Lease as of the date first above written.

Town of Yorktown  
a municipal corporation  
("LESSOR")

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence  
of:

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

State of \_\_\_\_\_  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

On \_\_\_\_\_, 2024, before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally  
appeared \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ of  
\_\_\_\_\_ who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the  
person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they  
executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the  
instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

(Affix Notarial Seal)

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Commission No.: \_\_\_\_\_

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Lessor and Lessee have executed this Memorandum of Option and Ground Lease as of the date first above written.

HOMELAND TOWERS, LLC,  
a New York limited liability company  
("LESSEE")

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence  
of:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Manuel J. Vicente  
Title: President

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

State of \_\_\_\_\_  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

On \_\_\_\_\_, 2024, before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

(Affix Notarial Seal)

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Commission No.: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT "A" TO MEMORANDUM OF OPTION AND GROUND LEASE AGREEMENT**

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY**

**Parcel No. 27.11-1-33:**

ALL THAT CERTAIN PLOT, PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, SITUATE, LYING AND BEING IN THE TOWN OF YORKTOWN, COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER AND STATE OF NEW YORK, BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF GRANITE SPRINGS ROAD, SAID POINT BEING ON A CURVE FORMING THE INTERSECTION BETWEEN THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF SAID GRANITE SPRINGS ROAD AND THE WESTERLY SIDE OF FALMOUTH COURT;

RUNNING THENCE ALONG THE ARC OF SAID CURVE HAVING A RADIUS OF 30 FEET AND TO A POINT OF TANGENCY A LENGTH OF 47.12 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE FROM SAID POINT OF TANGENCY NORTH 39° 48' 25" EAST 170.00 FEET TO A POINT ON A CURVE HAVING A RADIUS OF 200 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE ALONG THE ARC OF SAID CURVE 136.86 FEET TO A POINT OF TANGENCY;

RUNNING THENCE FROM SAID POINT NORTH 4° 47' 50" EAST 169.45 FEET

RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 85° 12' 10" EAST 353.50 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 4° 47' 50" WEST 571.86 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 43° 44' 13" WEST 21.04 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE NORTH 46° 15' 47" WEST 311.48 FEET AND NORTH 50° 11' 35" WEST 203.24 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 39° 48' 25" WEST 170.00 FEET TO A POINT OF CURVE HAVING A RADIUS OF 30 FEET;

RUNNING THENCE ALONG THE ARC OF SAID CURVE 47.12 FEET TO A POINT ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF GRANITE SPRINGS ROAD;

RUNNING THENCE WESTERLY ALONG THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF GRANITE SPRINGS ROAD NORTH 50° 11' 35" WEST 110.00 FEET TO THE POINT OR PLACE OF BEGINNING.

TAX I.D. NUMBER: 27.11-1-33

BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO TOWN OF YORKTOWN, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, GRANTEE, FROM RUTH WHEAT, GRANTOR, BY DEED RECORDED 05/23/2005, AS DOCUMENT NO. 451290168 AND CORRECTED IN DEED RECORDED 01/24/2006 AS DOCUMENT NO. 460060131 OF THE WESTCHESTER COUNTY RECORDS.

**Parcel No. 27.07-1-53:**

**[To be inserted prior to Agreement execution]**

**EXHIBIT "D" TO OPTION AND GROUND LEASE AGREEMENT**  
**FORM OF TOWER REMOVAL BOND**

[SEE ATTACHED]

**Bond No.**

**Tower Removal Bond**

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That we \_\_\_\_\_, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of \_\_\_\_\_, as Principal and \_\_\_\_\_, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto \_\_\_\_\_ as Obligee, in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_) for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, the liability of the Surety being limited to the penal sum of this bond regardless of the number of years the bond is in effect.

Whereas, the Principal has obtained written approval from the Obligee for the construction and erection of a wireless communication tower located at \_\_\_\_\_. Now, therefore if the principal well and truly complies with the maintenance, replacement, removal or relocation of the tower from the aforementioned address within 30 days upon receipt of written notice from the Obligee, to remove, replace, modify, or relocate the tower from said premises then this obligation is void otherwise to remain in full force and effect unless cancelled as set forth below:

1. It shall be a condition precedent to any right of recovery hereunder that, in the event of any default on the part of the Principal, a written statement of the particular facts of such default shall be, within Thirty (30) days, delivered to Surety at it Home Office located at \_\_\_\_\_ by registered mail to the Surety and the Surety shall not be obligated to perform Principals obligation until sixty (60) days after Surety's receipt of such statement.
2. The surety may cancel this bond at any time by giving Thirty (30) days notice, by registered mail or overnight courier service to \_\_\_\_\_ (Obligee).
3. No action, suit, or proceeding shall be maintained against the Surety on this bond unless the action is brought within twelve (12) months of the cancellation date of this bond.
4. Regardless of the number of years this bond may be renewed; in no event shall the liability of the Surety exceed the penal sum of this bond.
5. It is understood that the non-renewal of this bond by the Surety, or failure or inability of the Principal to file a replacement bond shall not constitute a loss recoverable by the Obligee under this bond.

Signed, sealed, and witnessed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Principal

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Surety

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
, Attorney-in-Fact



**EXHIBIT "E" TO OPTION AND GROUND LEASE AGREEMENT**  
**FORM OF COMMUNICATIONS LICENSE AGREEMENT**

[SEE ATTACHED]

LICENSOR SITE: NY578 Granite Springs

LICENSEE SITE:

LICENSEE: Town of Yorktown

## COMMUNICATIONS LICENSE AGREEMENT

This Communications License Agreement (“Agreement”) is entered into this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 202\_ (“Execution Date”), between **Homeland Towers, LLC**, a New York limited liability company (“LICENSOR”), and **Town of Yorktown**, a New York municipal corporation (“LICENSEE”).

**1. Scope of License.** Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement and the underlying Master Lease, LICENSOR hereby grants permission to LICENSEE to install, maintain and operate the radio communications equipment, antennas, cable runs, electrical and communications equipment, equipment shelter(s) and other supporting equipment described in attached **Exhibit “A”** (the “**Equipment**”) at LICENSOR’s communication site described in the attached **Exhibit “B”** (the “**Site**”), at the location described in the attached **Exhibit “C”** (“**Licensed Premises**”) together with the nonexclusive right to use, subject to the terms, conditions, and covenants of this Agreement, the rights-of way shown on Exhibit C for cable runs from the tower to the ground space, ingress and egress and electric and telephone utility services.

**2. Term.** The “**Term**” of this Agreement shall commence on the Commencement Date and shall continue thereafter for so long as the Master Lease (as defined in Section 16 below) remains in full force and effect, *provided, however*, that LICENSEE is not then in default hereunder beyond any applicable notice and cure period.

**3. License Fee.** (a) On the Commencement Date, LICENSEE shall pay to LICENSOR an annual fee of One and 00/100 Dollar (\$1.00) (“**License Fee**”). LICENSEE agrees that payment of the License Fee or other sums that become due under this Agreement shall be due and payable without the necessity of a demand or invoice from LICENSOR.

(b) LICENSEE shall obtain electricity directly from the public utility company servicing the Site and have a separate electric meter installed at LICENSEE’s sole cost and expense to measure LICENSEE’s electric consumption. LICENSEE shall pay directly to the public utility company for the installation of the meter and for any electricity consumed by LICENSEE at the Site.

(c) If applicable, LICENSEE shall pay all personal property taxes or other taxes assessed against LICENSEE’s Equipment located within the Licensed Premises, and its pro-rata share of any increase in real property taxes and other similar taxes and assessments levied against the Site over any real estate taxes and other similar taxes and assessments paid by LICENSOR prior to the Commencement Date of this Agreement. LICENSOR agrees to furnish proof of any such increase to LICENSEE. If applicable, LICENSEE further agrees to pay any sales or use tax assessed by local and/or state jurisdictions with respect to any revenues paid by LICENSEE to LICENSOR hereunder.

**4. Inspection of Licensed Premises.** The Licensed Premises shall be provided in “AS IS” condition by LICENSOR. LICENSEE acknowledges that no representations or warranties have been made to LICENSEE by LICENSOR as to the condition of the Licensed Premises, including the tower(s), as the case may be, and/or the storage facilities, or as to any engineering data. LICENSEE is responsible for determining all aspects as to the acceptability, accuracy and adequacy of the Licensed Premises for LICENSEE’s use. LICENSOR shall have no obligation to obtain licenses for LICENSEE, or to maintain, insure, operate or safeguard LICENSEE’s equipment.

**5. Permitted Use, Installation, Operating Procedures.** (a) The Licensed Premises may be used by LICENSEE for the transmission and reception of communications signals, including wireless communication purposes and uses incidental thereto (the “**Permitted Use**”). LICENSEE shall obtain all licenses, certificates, permits, authorizations or approvals from all applicable government and/or regulatory entities (the “**Governmental Approvals**”).

(b) LICENSEE shall install, construct, and maintain the Equipment on the Licensed Premises in compliance with all local, State and Federal regulations. All installations, operation and maintenance of Equipment must be in accordance with LICENSOR’s policies as set forth in the attached **Exhibit “D”** (“**Installation and Maintenance Standards**”), annexed hereto. Prior to the installation of LICENSEE’s Equipment or any modifications, supplement, replacement, upgrade or relocation to the Equipment within the Licensed Premises at any time during the Term is subject to the following:

(i) LICENSEE shall submit in writing all plans for such installations, modifications or changes for LICENSOR’s written approval, such approval not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed, to engineers and consultants selected by LICENSOR for review and approval.

(ii) All work performed at the Licensed Premises in connection with such installation, maintenance, operation, modification and removal of LICENSEE's Equipment shall be performed at LICENSEE's sole cost and expense by LICENSEE's employees or by contractors approved by LICENSOR, such approval not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed. The engagement of a contractor by LICENSEE shall not relieve LICENSEE of any of its obligations under this Agreement.

(iii) No work performed by LICENSEE, its contractors, subcontractors or materialsmen pursuant to this Agreement, whether in the nature of construction, installation, alteration or repair to the Licensed Premises or to the Equipment, will be deemed for the immediate use and benefit of LICENSOR so that no mechanic's lien or other lien will be allowed against the property and estate of LICENSOR by reason of any consent given by LICENSOR to LICENSEE to improve the Licensed Premises.

(iv) All of LICENSEE's Equipment shall be clearly marked to show LICENSEE's name, address, telephone number and the name of the person to contact in case of emergency, FCC call sign, frequency and location. All coaxial cable relating to the Equipment shall be identified in the same manner at the bottom and top of the line. At LICENSOR's request, LICENSEE shall promptly deliver to LICENSOR written proof of compliance with all applicable Federal, State, and local laws, rules and regulations in connection with any installations or modifications of Equipment.

(c) LICENSOR agrees that LICENSEE shall have the right to nonexclusive access to the Licensed Premises over and across the Site ("Access") twenty-four (24) hours per day, seven (7) days per week, during the Term for the purpose of ingress, egress, maintenance and operation of the Equipment and any associated utilities. In the event that LICENSOR is charged a fee to access the Site, LICENSEE agrees to pay LICENSOR for its pro-rata portion of such fee based on any reasonable allocation method selected by LICENSOR.

(d) LICENSEE shall not sublease, share or utilize, in whole or in part, its Equipment, its frequencies or its interests pursuant to this Agreement.

**6. Interference.** (a) The installation, maintenance and operation of the LICENSEE's Equipment shall not interfere electrically, or in any other manner whatsoever, with the equipment, facilities or operations of LICENSOR or with any other licensee or sub-tenants at the site on the Commencement Date. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, it is expressly understood and agreed that if the installation or operation of LICENSEE's Equipment shall interfere:

(i) with other radio communications systems and equipment installed prior to the Commencement Date of this Agreement, LICENSEE shall upon request (verbal or otherwise) immediately suspend its operations (except for intermittent testing) and do whatever LICENSOR deems necessary to eliminate or remedy such interference. If it is determined that such interference cannot be rectified by LICENSEE within fifteen (15) days after written notice of said interference, then LICENSOR may, at its option, terminate this Agreement upon written notice to LICENSEE unless LICENSEE commences curing the interference within said fifteen (15) day period and thereafter continuously and diligently pursues to cure the interference ("Cure Period"). In the event the interference is not cured during the initial fifteen (15) day notification period or any Cure Period, LICENSOR may, at its option, terminate this Agreement upon written notice to LICENSEE, whereupon LICENSEE shall remove the Equipment at its sole cost and expense and in accordance with Paragraph 8 herein. If LICENSEE fails to take possession of its Equipment within thirty (30) days after notice of termination, said Equipment will be deemed abandoned; or

(ii) with any other radio communications systems and equipment installed at the Licensed Premises after the Commencement Date of this Agreement, LICENSEE shall cooperate fully with LICENSOR and any future licensee or sub-tenant injured by LICENSEE's interference ("Future Party") to remedy the interference. LICENSEE shall do whatever LICENSOR deems reasonably necessary to cure such interference, provided, however, that all costs related to remedying such interference shall be the responsibility of the Future Party, unless such interference is due to failure, defects or deficiencies in LICENSEE's system, Equipment, or installation.

(b) LICENSEE hereby acknowledges that LICENSOR has licensed, and will continue to license, space at and upon the Site to third parties for the installation and operation of radio communication facilities. LICENSEE accepts this Agreement with this knowledge and waives any and all claims against LICENSOR resulting from or attributable to interference caused by present or future equipment, facilities or methods of operation employed by LICENSOR in its business upon the Site. LICENSEE also waives any and all claims against LICENSOR arising from interference resulting to LICENSEE by virtue of equipment, facilities or operations employed by any other licensee or sub-tenant of LICENSOR in its business upon the Site. In the event that any such interference occurs that materially interferes with LICENSEE's utilization of the Licensed Premises, LICENSEE, as its sole remedy, in lieu of any and all other remedies at law, or in equity, may terminate this Agreement at any time thereafter by giving LICENSOR prior written notice to that effect.

(c) LICENSOR reserves the right to require LICENSEE to relocate one or more of its antenna(s) and/or equipment within the building or shelter, and LICENSEE agrees to relocate said antenna(s) and/or equipment at LICENSOR's expense, provided that said relocation does not substantially change the operation of LICENSEE's Equipment.

**7. Structural Modifications and Repairs.** In the event LICENSOR, in its sole discretion, determines that any structural modifications or repairs are needed to be made to any portion of the Licensed Premises due to the presence of LICENSEE's Equipment or other improvements, LICENSOR shall notify LICENSEE of the needed modifications or repairs, and LICENSEE shall, at its sole cost and expense, promptly make all such noticed modifications or repairs in accordance with Paragraph 5 hereof; if such noticed modifications are not completed within sixty (60) days of such notice either party shall have the right to terminate this Agreement by giving the other party thirty (30) days' prior written notice. However, that in the event of an emergency, LICENSOR shall have the right to make such modifications or repairs at LICENSEE's expense, upon notice to LICENSEE, and such sum shall be immediately due upon the rendering of an invoice as an additional fee hereunder.

**8. Removal of LICENSEE's Equipment.** At the expiration of this Agreement or earlier termination thereof, LICENSEE shall remove any and all of the Equipment. Such removal shall be performed pursuant to the guidelines set forth in Paragraph 5 of this Agreement, without any interference, damage or destruction to any other equipment, structures or operations at the Licensed Premises or any equipment of other licensee or sub-tenants thereon. Any and all interference or damage caused to the LICENSOR's equipment or equipment of other licensees or sub-tenants by such removal shall be immediately repaired or eliminated by LICENSEE. If LICENSEE fails to make such repairs, at LICENSEE's sole cost and expense, within ten (10) days after the occurrence of such damage, injury or interference, LICENSOR may perform all the necessary repairs at LICENSEE's cost and expense and such sum shall be immediately due upon the rendering of an invoice as an additional fee hereunder.

**9. Indemnification.** (a) LICENSEE shall indemnify and hold LICENSOR harmless from (i) all costs of any damage done to the facilities or equipment of the LICENSOR, and/or other licensee or sub-tenant located at the Site, that occur as a result of the installation, operation or maintenance of LICENSEE's Equipment or other improvements; and (ii) any claims, demands, or causes of action for personal injuries, including any payments made under any workers compensation law or any plan of employees disability and death benefits, arising out of LICENSEE's occupancy of the Licensed Premises or the installation, maintenance and operation or removal of LICENSEE's Equipment, except for damages, costs, claims, causes of action or demands caused solely by the gross negligence or willful misconduct of LICENSOR.

(b) LICENSEE shall also indemnify and hold LICENSOR harmless from any losses, liabilities, claims, demands or causes of action for property damage or personal injuries, including any payment made under any workers compensation law or any plan of employees disability and death benefits, arising out of or resulting from any claims, damages, losses, liabilities or causes of action resulting in any way from RF radiation emissions from LICENSEE's Equipment or any other harmful effect of LICENSEE's Equipment.

(c) LICENSOR shall not be responsible or liable to LICENSEE for any loss, damage or expense that may be occasioned by, through, or in connection with any acts or omissions of other licensees or sub-tenants occupying the Site. LICENSEE hereby assumes the risk of the inability to operate as a result of any structural or power failures at the Licensed Premises or failure of LICENSEE or LICENSEE's Equipment for any reason whatsoever and agrees to indemnify and hold LICENSOR harmless from all damages and costs of defending any claim or suit for damages of any kind, including but not limited to business interruption and attorneys fees, asserted against LICENSOR by reason of such failure.

**10. Damage or Destruction.** LICENSOR and LICENSEE agree that LICENSOR shall in no way be liable for loss of use or other damage of any nature arising out of the loss, destruction or damage to the Licensed Premises or to LICENSEE's Equipment located thereon, by fire, explosion, windstorms, water or any other casualty or acts of third parties. In the event the Licensed Premises or any part thereof is damaged or destroyed by the elements or any other cause, LICENSOR may elect to repair, rebuild, or restore the Licensed Premises or any part thereof, to the same condition as it was immediately prior to such casualty. If LICENSOR chooses not to repair, restore or rebuild the Licensed Premises, LICENSOR shall send to LICENSEE a notice of cancellation of this Agreement within thirty (30) days of such casualty.

**11. Condemnation.** In the event that any public or quasi-public authority under a power of condemnation or eminent domain takes any part of the Licensed Premises or any access way required by LICENSEE for the operation of its radio equipment, this Agreement shall terminate as of the date title to the Licensed Premises vests in the condemning authority. Sale of all or part of the Site to a purchaser with the power of eminent domain in the face of the exercise of that power shall be deemed a taking by condemnation.

**12. Insurance.** (a) LICENSEE shall keep in full force and effect during the Term a commercial general liability insurance policy, including blanket contractual and completed operations coverage, with the limits of liability of at least Two Million (\$2,000,000.00) Dollars in respect to bodily injury, including death, arising from any one occurrence, and Two Million (\$2,000,000.00) Dollars in respect to damage to property arising from any one occurrence and worker's compensation with a limit of not less than the applicable statutory limit. Said insurance policy shall be primary and shall be endorsed to include LICENSOR as an additional insured and shall provide that LICENSOR will receive at least thirty (30) days prior written notice of any cancellation or material change in such insurance policy.

Additionally, LICENSEE shall obtain a waiver of subrogation from its insurer on the policies listed above. LICENSEE shall be required to furnish to LICENSOR, prior to the installation of the Equipment, and for the duration of this Agreement thereafter, current certificates of insurance confirming that the insurance coverage as specified herein is in full force and effect.

(b) Notwithstanding the foregoing insurance requirements, the insolvency, bankruptcy, or failure of any insurance company carrying insurance for LICENSEE, or failure of any such insurance company to pay claims accruing, shall not be held to waive any of the provisions of this Agreement or relieve LICENSEE from any obligations under this Agreement.

**13. Notices.** All notices, demands, requests or other communications which are required to be given, served or sent by one party to the other pursuant to this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be mailed, postage prepaid, by registered or certified mail, or forwarded by a reliable overnight courier service with delivery verification, to the following addresses for LICENSOR and LICENSEE or such address as may be designated in writing by either party:

If to LICENSOR: Homeland Towers, LLC  
Attn: Manny Vicente  
9 Harmony Street, 2nd Floor  
Danbury, CT 06810  
203-297-6345

With a copy to: Roni D. Jackson, Esq.  
Infra Holdings, LLC  
1800 Diagonal Road, Suite 600  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
571-366-1720

If to LICENSEE: Town of Yorktown  
363 Underhill Avenue  
Yorktown Heights, NY 10598

Notice given by certified or registered mail or by reliable overnight courier shall be deemed delivered on the date of receipt (or on the date receipt is refused) as shown on the certification of receipt or on the records or manifest of the U.S. Postal Service or such courier service.

**14. Default.** (a) Any one or more of the following events shall constitute a default ("Default") under this Agreement: (i) the failure by LICENSEE to pay monetary amounts due under this Agreement within ten (10) days after LICENSOR provides written notice thereof to LICENSEE; (ii) If either party fails to observe or perform any non-monetary obligations under this Agreement and does not cure such failure within thirty (30) days from its receipt of written notice of breach or if the breach by its nature cannot be cured within said thirty (30) day period, the defaulting party shall not be in default if it commences curing within said thirty (30) day period and thereafter continuously and diligently pursues the cure to completion; (iii) abandonment of either the Equipment or that portion of the Licensed Premises upon which the Equipment was installed; or (iv) LICENSEE's failure to perform any other of its obligations under this Agreement and such failure continues for thirty (30) days after LICENSOR gives written notice thereof to LICENSEE.

(b) In the event of a Default, LICENSOR shall be entitled at LICENSOR's option to terminate this Agreement and to remove all of LICENSEE's Equipment, improvements, personnel or personal property located at the Licensed Premises at LICENSEE's cost and expense. No Default pursuant to this Paragraph 14, by operation of law or otherwise (except as expressly provided herein), no removal of the Equipment from the Licensed Premises pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, and/or no re-licensing of LICENSEE's former space at the Licensed Premises shall relieve LICENSEE of LICENSEE's obligations or liabilities hereunder, all of which shall survive such Default, removal and/or re-licensing. All of the rights, powers, and remedies of LICENSOR provided for in this Agreement or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity, or by statute or otherwise, shall be deemed to be separate, distinct, cumulative, and concurrent. No one or more of such rights, powers, or remedies, nor any mention or reference to any one or more of them in this Agreement, shall be deemed to be in the exclusion of, or a waiver of, any other rights, powers, or remedies provided for in this Agreement, or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity, or by statute or otherwise. The exercise or enforcement by LICENSOR of any one or more of such rights, powers, or remedies shall not preclude the simultaneous or later exercise or enforcement by LICENSOR of any or all of such other rights, powers, or remedies.

**15. Assignment.** (a) LICENSOR reserves the right to assign, transfer, mortgage or otherwise encumber the Licensed Premises and/or its interest in this Agreement. LICENSEE shall upon demand execute and deliver to LICENSOR such further instruments subordinating this Agreement, as may be required by LICENSOR in connection with LICENSOR's contemplated transaction.

(b) LICENSEE may not assign, transfer, or otherwise encumber its interest in this Agreement without the prior written consent of LICENSOR, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed.

**16. Master Lease.** LICENSEE hereby acknowledges that LICENSOR leases the Site pursuant to that certain Option and Ground Lease Agreement dated as of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024 between the Town of Yorktown (the "Master Lessor"), as lessor, and LICENSOR, as lessee (the "Master Lease"). This Agreement shall be subject and subordinate to the Master Lease, and to the matters to which the Master Lease is or shall be subject and subordinate. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be construed to create privity of estate or of contract between LICENSEE and Master Lessor. If for any reason the term of the Master Lease shall terminate prior to the expiration date of this Agreement, this Agreement shall thereupon be automatically terminated and LICENSOR shall not be liable to LICENSEE by reason thereof.

**17. Compliance with Laws.** LICENSEE shall maintain and operate its Equipment during the term of this Agreement in compliance with all present and future rules and regulations of any local, State or Federal authority having jurisdiction with respect hereto, including without limitation, the rules and regulations of the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC"), the Federal Aviation Administration ("FAA") and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration ("OSHA").

**18. RF Emissions Compliance.** (a) LICENSEE is aware of its obligation to comply with all applicable rules and regulations of the FCC pertaining to RF emissions standards, as well as all applicable rules and/or regulations of any other Federal or State agency (including but not limited to OSHA) having jurisdiction over the installation, operations, maintenance and/or working conditions involving RF emissions and/or safety and work standards performed on or near communication towers and antenna licensed premises. LICENSEE agrees to be solely responsible for compliance with all applicable FCC and other governmental requirements with respect to installation, operation and maintenance of its Equipment and for repairs to its Equipment at the Licensed Premises. LICENSEE will immediately remedy its operations to comply with such laws, rules and regulations as they apply to its operations and/or the operations of all licensees and users taken in the aggregate at the Licensed Premises.

(b) LICENSEE shall take any and all steps required to cooperate with all licensees and users at the Licensed Premises to comply individually and in the aggregate with all applicable FCC and other governmental RF emissions standards. In this respect, LICENSEE agrees to pay LICENSOR its pro rata share of the cost of any engineering studies performed at the request of the LICENSOR at the Licensed Premises, involving measurement and RF emissions compliance pertaining to the Licensed Premises.

**19. Replacement, Renovation and Extension of Tower.** LICENSOR reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to renovate, replace, rebuild or extend the tower structure, building or shelter and related improvements thereof. In such event, LICENSOR shall provide LICENSEE with space suitable to allow LICENSEE to continue to operate the Equipment in a substantially similar manner during any such construction period. LICENSEE agrees that if the tower structure is extended in order to accommodate additional customers of LICENSOR, LICENSOR reserves the right to require LICENSEE to relocate one or more of its antenna(s) and/or equipment on the tower as designated by LICENSOR in its sole discretion, and LICENSEE agrees to relocate said antenna(s) and/or equipment at LICENSOR's expense to said location, provided that the use of LESSEE's Equipment is not materially diminished.

**20. Environmental.** LICENSOR warrants and agrees that neither LICENSOR nor, to LICENSOR's actual knowledge, any third party has used, generated, stored or disposed of, or permitted the use, generation, storage or disposal of, any Hazardous Material (as defined below) on, under, about or within the Site in violation of any law or regulation. LICENSOR and LICENSEE each agree and represent that they will not use, generate, store or dispose of any Hazardous Material on, under, about or within the Site in violation of any law or regulation. LICENSEE agrees to defend and indemnify LICENSOR and its partners, affiliates, agents and employees against any and all losses, liabilities, claims and/or costs (including reasonable attorneys' fees and costs) caused by LICENSEE's breach of any warranty or agreement contained in this paragraph. LICENSOR agrees to defend and indemnify LICENSEE and its partners, affiliates, agents and employees against any and all losses, liabilities, claims and/or costs (including reasonable attorneys' fees and costs) caused by LICENSOR's breach of any warranty or agreement contained in this paragraph. "Hazardous Material" shall mean any substance, chemical or waste identified as hazardous, toxic or dangerous in any applicable federal, state or local law or regulation (including petroleum and asbestos).

**21. Miscellaneous.** (a) In the event of litigation between the parties in connection with this Agreement, each party shall be entitled to recover its reasonable attorneys' fees and court costs related to such issue on which that party is the prevailing party, as determined and allocated by the court as part of the judgment. (b) Each party agrees to furnish to the other, within ten (10) business days after request, such truthful estoppel information as the other may reasonably request. (c) This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement and understanding of the parties, and supersedes all offers, negotiations and other agreements. There are no representations or

understandings of any kind not set forth herein. Any amendments to this Agreement must be in writing and executed by both parties. (d) If either party is represented by a real estate broker in this transaction, that party shall be fully responsible for any fee due such broker, and shall hold the other party harmless from any claims for commission by such broker. (e) This Agreement creates a license only and LICENSEE acknowledges that LICENSEE does not and shall not claim at any time, any real property interest or estate of any kind or extent whatsoever in the Licensed Premises by virtue of this Agreement or LICENSEE's use of the Licensed Premises pursuant hereto. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as constituting a partnership, joint venture or agency between LICENSOR and LICENSEE. (f) Neither this Agreement nor any memorandum hereof shall be recorded in the land records of any county or city or otherwise without the prior written consent of LICENSOR. (g) This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the state of the Site. (h) If any term of this Agreement is found to be void or invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remaining terms of this Agreement, which shall continue in full force and effect. (i) LICENSOR and LICENSEE each hereby waive trial by jury in any action, proceeding or counterclaim brought by either party against the other on any matter arising out of or in any way related to this Agreement. (j) This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be an original, but all of which together shall constitute but one instrument. (k) LICENSOR acknowledges and agrees that LICENSEE's execution of this Agreement and the undertaking by LICENSEE of an investigation to determine whether the Licensed Premises are suitable for the purpose needed by LICENSEE are good and valuable consideration that have been delivered by LICENSEE and received by LICENSOR in connection with this Agreement. (l) The submission of this Agreement for examination does not constitute an offer to license the Licensed Premises, and this Agreement becomes effective only upon the full execution of this Agreement by the parties hereto.

This Agreement is executed as of the date reflected on page one hereof.

**LICENSOR: HOMELAND TOWERS, LLC**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Manuel J. Vicente  
President  
\_\_\_\_\_

**LICENSEE: TOWN OF YORKTOWN**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



**EXHIBIT A**

**Equipment**

Site Name and Number: NY578 Granite Springs

**LICENSEE: Town of Yorktown**

The mounting method and exact location of the space and equipment listed herein shall be subject to LICENSOR's approval.

***[Equipment Description/Location To Be Inserted Prior To Execution]***

**NOTE: ANY (i) CHANGE IN THE NUMBER, SIZE, PLACEMENT, ARRAY, OR LOCATION OF THE EQUIPMENT LISTED IN THIS EXHIBIT A, (ii) CHANGE IN FREQUENCY FROM THAT LISTED IN THIS EXHIBIT A, OR (iii) INCREASE IN THE SIZE OR FOOTPRINT OF THE LICENSED PREMISES SHALL REQUIRE THE WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE LICENSOR AND A WRITTEN AMENDMENT TO THIS AGREEMENT.**

**NOTE: AUDIBLE ALARMS RELATED TO GENERATOR AND HVAC EQUIPMENT SHALL BE PERMANENTLY DISABLED AT UNMANNED SITES.**

**EXHIBIT B**

**The Site**

**Site Name:** NY578 Granite Springs

The Site consists of the telecommunications tower and equipment shelter located in Westchester County, New York at:

Granite Springs Road  
Yorktown, NY 10598

**The geodetic coordinates of the Site are:**

North Latitude: ***[To Be Added Prior To Execution]***

West Longitude: ***[To Be Added Prior To Execution]***

**EXHIBIT C**

**Licensed Premises<sup>1</sup> and Rights-of Way**

[See attached drawings, pages numbered \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_ dated, \_\_\_\_\_, 202\_\_\_\_, prepared by \_\_\_\_\_ on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_.]

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<sup>1</sup> The parties agree that this Exhibit “C” will be replaced with a new Exhibit “C” which shall more particularly describe the location and dimensions of the Equipment and Licensed Premises, when the “AS-BUILT” drawings have been completed.

## EXHIBIT D

### Installation and Maintenance Standards

#### Purpose:

The purpose of these Standards is to insure that the installation of all LICENSEE electronics equipment at the Site meets or exceeds established Electronics Industry Association (EIA) standards. These Standards have been developed to insure a safe, interference free operating environment for all LICENSOR's licensees. LICENSOR reserves the right to make changes and/or modifications to these standards, from time to time, and shall provide LICENSEE with thirty (30) days prior written notice of any such changes or modifications.

#### General Considerations:

- All RF equipment installed must be FCC Type Accepted for Radio Service and frequencies proposed in the Agreement and attached exhibits.
- All 929/931 MHz PCP/RCC paging licensees are REQUIRED to install a bandpass filter on the final output of their transmitter. The bandpass filter should provide a minimum of 40dB attenuation at 896-901 MHz.
- Repeater systems shall have, as a minimum requirement, a single stage isolator and a bandpass/reject type duplexer. Notch type duplexers are not acceptable.
- All installed equipment shall be housed in suitable EIA approved enclosure(s) or equipment rack(s). All enclosure doors and covers shall remain closed and locked at all times except during actual equipment servicing.
- Site keys obtained by a LICENSEE will not be duplicated.
- LICENSEE or their representatives will refrain from making any adjustments to any on site LICENSOR equipment (heating, ventilation, air conditioning, generator, etc.)

#### Installation Standards:

- All LICENSEE installations require the use of certified electronics technicians, steeplejacks, electricians or licensed contractors that have received LICENSOR approval prior to commencing any installation work. All installation work shall be in accordance with a previously approved installation plan. LICENSOR at its sole discretion shall have the right to supervise the installation of any and all equipment. Certificates of Insurance may also be required by LICENSOR of any installer.
- All installation work shall conform to established EIA/TIA and manufacturer's installation standards, as well as any special standards imposed by LICENSOR. All work shall be performed in a neat and workmanlike manner. Any new installation will not cause mechanical, electrical or electronic interference to other licensee's RF equipment or other associated equipment, or any LICENSOR equipment located in the equipment shelter, generator shelter, tower structure or anywhere else at the Site.
- All installations shall comply with all applicable local, state and federal requirements. In the absence of any applicable government standards, applicable BOCA and NEC Codes, as well as EIA and TIA Standards will apply.
- Equipment shall be installed in locations and positions determined by LICENSOR. LICENSOR's representative will designate the exact locations for the installation of electronic equipment, transmission lines and antennas. If, for any reason, the proposed installation cannot conform to these instructions, LICENSOR's representative shall be contracted prior to any further work.

#### Transmission Line(s):

- All transmission lines shall be Heliac® Low Density Foam (LDF) Cable or approved equal with a minimum diameter of 0.5 inch (Andrew LDF4-050A or approved equal).
- All transmission lines will be attached to tower waveguide ladders using stainless steel hangers (Andrew 42396A Series or approved equal) secured to waveguide ladders with stainless steel barrel bolts (Andrew 31769 Series or approved equal). The use of stainless steel angle adapters (Andrews 31768-A or approved equal) is authorized. Cable ties, either metal or plastic, are not approved.
- Transmission lines shall be connected through an acceptable lightning arrester (Polyphaser ISPT50HN series or approved equal) located inside the equipment room and connected to the internal building "halo" ground buss.
- All transmission lines of less than 300 FT AGL overall length shall be equipped with three (03) standard grounding kits (Andrews 204989 Series or approved equal) mounted at the top and bottom of the vertical waveguide ladder and at the waveguide entry port on provided "halo" ground busses.
- All transmission lines of more than 300 FT AGL overall length shall be equipped with four (04) standard grounding kits (Andrews 204989 Series or approved equal) mounted at the top midpoint and bottom of the vertical waveguide ladder and at the waveguide entry port on provided "halo" ground busses.
- All transmission lines shall enter the equipment room through the provided four (4) or five (5) inch diameter waveguide entry port. Licensee is responsible for providing the appropriately sized waveguide entry port boot and boot cushion (Mircoflect B Series or approved equal).
- All transmission lines shall be tagged at the top and bottom of each run near the connector with an identification tag containing the Licensee's name, FCC or IRAC call sign, and the frequency assigned. Brass tags with copper wire are preferred. Plastic tags with vinyl labels or indelible ink markings are acceptable.

- Interior routing of transmission line(s) shall be via Licensor provided “unistrut” waveguide supports and using Licensee provided stainless steel hangers (Andrews 42396A Series or equal) to a point directly above Licensee’s equipment and should terminate in the required lightning arrester. Cabling from the lightning arrester to Licensee’s equipment shall be by “Superflex”® cable, Heliac® transmission line no larger than 0.5 inch (LDF4-50A) or approved equal. The installed waveguide ladders shall not be utilized to route transmission line(s) where overhead Unistrut® is installed, but may be used to route cabling from the lightning arrester to Licensee’s equipment.

**Power Cable Installations:**

- Power cables will be connected to designated electrical outlets. At many tower sites, all available electrical all outlets are reserved for test equipment use only, due to circuit breaker size. If an outlet of suitable size is not available, the installation of a suitable outlet by a qualified electrician is the responsibility of the LICENSEE. One circuit breaker per cabinet is preferred. Installation of overhead outlets attached to the side of the cable ladder above LICENSEE’s equipment by through bolting or by electrical box clamp is preferred.
- All electrical wiring shall be routed via electrical conduit or electrical metal tubing (EMT) using WATERTIGHT flexible jumpers. Wall runs are not authorized except to get to and from the cable or wire trays or ladder, where necessary. The use of Romex cable, BX cable or equal requires permission of LICENSOR’s representative.
- EIA or TIA approved lightning surge protection is required on all AC electrical circuits, in addition to any such protection provided by the utility.

**Grounding Requirements:**

- All installed equipment cabinets and racks shall be grounded to the equipment room interior overhead “halo” ground buss. Termination to equipment to be via lug bolt. Termination to “halo” ground buss to be by split bolt or by “micropress” pressure clamp.
- All equipment ground wires to be No. 6 AWG copper wire or better.
- Routing ground wire(s) via overhead cable ladders and trays is approved.

**Equipment Maintenance:**

- Licensee shall be responsible for all maintenance of its installed equipment in accordance with all applicable rules, regulations, and laws.
- Maintenance work shall be performed by certified electronics technicians, steeplejacks, licensed electricians and contractors previously approved by the LICENSOR.
- All equipment shall be maintained within normal operating parameters, as specified by the equipment manufacturer and in accordance with the FCC Type Acceptance certification(s). LICENSEE’s equipment will not be maintained or operated in a manner that will cause harmful interference or be the source of a hazard to other licensees using the tower site.
- Upon entering or exiting any shelter, building or tower site, all fence gates and doors opened shall be closed and securely locked behind the person entering or exiting the facility. In addition, any alarms disabled upon entry must be enabled upon exiting. It is the responsibility of the LICENSEE or his designated representative to see that the site is securely locked and the premises is clean before departing the tower site. At sites that are centrally monitored, the LICENSEE or his agent must notify the Central Monitoring Station of each entry and exit, disabling and resetting any applicable alarm device(s) installed. Any problems encountered should be reported to the LICENSOR during normal business hours at (888) 748-3647 or after hours to the Emergency Telephone Number at (949) 443-5810.

**Removal of Installed Equipment:**

- Any or all removal of Licensee’s equipment shall be performed by certified electronics technicians, steeplejacks, licensed electricians or licensed contractors previously approved by LICENSOR. All removal operations shall be in accordance with a previously approved removal plan. Removal operations shall be accomplished in a workmanlike manner without any interference, damage or destruction of any other equipment, structures or operations at the site or to any other equipment installed therein. All trash, scrap or debris shall be removed from the site along with all LICENSEE Equipment. The premises shall be left in a clean and orderly condition.
- Any equipment left by LICENSEE upon final departure from the site (all keys turned in) becomes the property of LICENSOR to do with as determined by LICENSOR.