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I read a letter you published, Mr. Lachterman, about the supposed gaps we have in our area.

Firstly, I want to thank Matt Slater for prompting you to address the mounting opposition.

Have you all done research on this plan yourselves? What have YOU done, not Homeland, to figure out what needs to be done for these alleged gaps (or as the article says 'predictions')? If you all cared even 1 ounce of your being, you'd see clear as day information saying WHAT TYPE OF EQUIPMENT we may need in OUR area. This monopoly is NOT what is recommended, point blank PERIOD! How much evidence do we have to show you? Have any of you laid your eyes on the proof/evidence your constituents have provided? You have no rebutted or response. You don't care what we say. You only care about Homeland says. Why? What is it about them that is making you bend over backwards for them? You are indebted to all of us, NOT THEM. If you don't trust us to provide accurate information, why don't you seek out your own UNBIASED professionals to provide you with all the information that you need?

At the conservation board meeting, the lawyers for your glorious King Homeland, said that they approached Stuart Farm as well as Jilco for access to their land for this tower, but those businesses said NO (God bless them). They went to you all because they knew they could take advantage of you, as every where you turn, Yorktown has a cell tower. For God's sake--- if a 130ft cell tower is the solution, Yorktown should be a beacon of cell phone activity!

I will give you credit, congratulations on playing the EMS card. You think, because Yorktown is a First Responders town, that we will just swallow what you and Homeland have to say because of that comment.

Members of the board, I don't trust Homeland, and now any of you, for a second. However, I do trust Cheif Noble, who said his service was never better, due to an updated system. He made that comment at the last meeting, remember?

It seems from your press release you have made up your mind and are ready, willing, and able to roll out the red carpet for your King. Hell, you already have. I just have one more question: will there be a photo op and ice cream at the ground breaking ceremony?

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