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Date: January 20, 2026
To: The Town Board of Yorktown, NY
Subject: Opposition to the Town retaining Douglas Fishman in conjunction with the proposed cell tower at 62 Granite Springs Rd & Opposition to the proposed cell tower
I am opposed to the Town Board passing a resolution to retain Douglas Fishman to review Homeland's proposal to construct a 130-foot cell tower at 62 Granite Springs Road and to provide his analysis at the Town Board meeting scheduled for February 3, 2026.
In reviewing Mr. Fishman's experience, I can see that he has worked for wireless companies. There is evidence that he leans towards siding with the developer or wireless company in local cell tower instances. This does not make him present as an "independent radio frequency engineering consultant." I ask that the town board consider an engineer that has not worked for wireless companies. It is possible to find someone completely independent that is not part of the wireless industry. Such a person is possible to find with an internet search.

If the Town Board was truly concerned with addressing residents' concerns, they would retain a truly independent radio frequency engineering consultant. If the Town Board were truly concerned with transparency and public feedback, they would elicit suggestions from concerned residents regarding who to retain.

I suggest the Town Board retain Kent Chamberlin as an independent radio frequency engineering consultant to review Homeland's proposal and to present his analysis at the 2/3/26 Town Board meeting. His CV can be found [here](#).

Additionally, retaining an RF expert would only potentially address some of the concerns raised by those in opposition to constructing this cell tower. The Town Board should also retain an independent wetlands expert to review the wetland delineation done by the Ericksons' expert, and to report on the effects of the construction and operation of the proposed tower on the ecosystem of the wetlands.

I remain strongly opposed to the construction of a 130-foot cell tower at 62 Granite Springs Road.

Thank you for your time and consideration,
Ingrid Gherson