



City of Sidney, MT  
Budget and Finance Committee Meeting 8-23-22  
August 23, 2022 1:00 PM  
115 2nd Street SE |Sidney, MT 59270

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1.    **New Business**

a.    American Tower Lease Proposal

b.    Food Bank Request: donate water and sewer to proposed new location at 517 E Main

c.    **Changes to FY22-23 Preliminary Budget**

- a.    Increase Water Capital Projects by \$250,000 for spray lining the 200K Gallon Water Tank
- b.    Increase Streets, Water, Sewer and Sweeping machinery and equipment by \$2,500 (each) for the purchase of 2 used pick-ups from Pepsi
- c.    Increase TBID revenue and expenditures to \$300,000



**AMERICAN TOWER®**

**MD7**

August 11, 2022

City of Sidney Montana  
 ATTN: Jeff Hines  
 115 2nd St SE  
 Sydney, MT 59270

**RE: American Tower Site No. 420099 / 420099 ("Tower Site")**

Dear Valued Landlord,

As the leading independent operator of wireless and broadcast communication sites, American Towers LLC (together with its affiliates and subsidiaries, "American Tower") understands the importance of maintaining productive long-term relationships with its landlords. American Tower has therefore engaged MD7 to reach out to its landlords to review ways to grow and develop those relationships.

Based upon current market conditions, we need to adjust the financial terms of this Tower Site's contract in order to ensure the long-term stability of the Tower Site and allow all parties to benefit. The proposal below outlines two options available for the tower on your property:

**Option 1: Rent Reduction**

- A one-time signing bonus of \$10,000.00.
- \$415.00 per month commencing upon amendment completion.
- 10% term escalation will commence upon amendment completion.
- Providing 2 terms of 5 years each; final expiration date will be June 30, 2077.

**Option 2: Perpetual Easement**

- One-time payment of \$175,000.00 in exchange for a perpetual real estate interest.
- This can also be structured as a set number of monthly or annual installments payments personalized to fit your long-term financial needs.

I look forward to working with you to secure this mutually beneficial relationship for the years to come. After you review the options outlined above, please contact me to discuss further.

Respectfully,

**De'Andre Freeman**

DFreeman@md7.com  
 (858) 401-7299

**MD7 | Lease Consultant**

*An authorized vendor of American Towers LLC and its subsidiaries and affiliates*

**\*\*PLEASE NOTE:** All proposals are good for a limited time and for discussion purposes only. The parties will not be bound in any respect and with regard to any proposal until and unless a written agreement is signed by all applicable parties. Further, all proposals are contingent upon: 1) American Tower's confirmation, review and approval, in its sole discretion, of a title report and if necessary, a land survey of the property; and 2) final approval and authorization by American Tower's Executive Team. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as, or deemed to create, an agency, joint venture, or partnership relationship between American Tower and MD7.



## THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO LEASE AGREEMENT

This First Amendment to Lease Agreement (this "**Amendment**") is made effective as of the latter signature date hereof (the "**Effective Date**") by and between **City of Sidney, Montana ("Landlord")** and **Gold Creek Cellular of Montana Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("Tenant")** (Landlord and Tenant being collectively referred to herein as the "**Parties**").

### RECITALS

**WHEREAS**, Landlord owns the real property described on Exhibit A attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof (the "**Parent Parcel**"); and

**WHEREAS**, Landlord (or its predecessor-in-interest) and Tenant (or its predecessor-in-interest) entered into that certain Land Lease Agreement dated July 18, 2012 (as the same may have been amended, collectively, the "**Lease**"), pursuant to which the Tenant leases a portion of the Parent Parcel and is the beneficiary of certain easements for access and public utilities, all as more particularly described in the Lease (such portion of the Parent Parcel so leased along with such portion of the Parent Parcel so affected, collectively, the "**Leased Premises**"), which Leased Premises are also described on Exhibit A; and

**WHEREAS**, Tenant, Verizon Communications Inc., a Delaware corporation, and other parties identified therein, entered into a Management Agreement and a Master Prepaid Lease, both with an effective date of March 27, 2015 and both with ATC Sequoia LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("**American Tower**"), pursuant to which American Tower subleases, manages, operates and maintains, as applicable, the Leased Premises, all as more particularly described therein; and

**WHEREAS**, Tenant has granted American Tower a limited power of attorney (the "**POA**") to, among other things, prepare, negotiate, execute, deliver, record and/or file certain documents on behalf of Tenant, all as more particularly set forth in the POA; and

**WHEREAS**, Landlord and Tenant desire to amend the terms of the Lease to extend the term thereof and to otherwise modify the Lease as expressly provided herein.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the foregoing recitals and the mutual covenants set forth herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt, adequacy, and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

1. **One-Time Payment.** Tenant shall pay to Landlord a one-time payment in the amount of **Fifteen Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$15,000.00)**, payable within thirty (30) days of the Effective Date and subject to the following conditions precedent: (a) Tenant's receipt of this Amendment executed by Landlord, on or before April 7, 2017; (b) Tenant's confirmation that Landlord's statements as further set forth in this Amendment are true, accurate, and complete, including verification of Landlord's ownership; (c) Tenant's receipt of any documents and other items reasonably requested by Tenant in order to effectuate the transaction and payment contemplated herein; and (d) receipt by Tenant of an original Memorandum (as defined herein) executed by Landlord.
2. **Lease Term Extended.** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Lease or this Amendment, the Parties agree the Lease originally commenced on July 1, 2012 and, without giving effect to the terms of this Amendment but assuming the exercise by Tenant of all remaining renewal options contained in the Lease (each an "**Existing Renewal Term**" and, collectively, the "**Existing Renewal Terms**"), the Lease is otherwise scheduled to expire on June 30, 2037. In addition to any Existing Renewal Term(s), the Lease is hereby amended to provide Tenant with the option to extend the Lease for each of six (6) additional five (5) year renewal terms (each a "**New Renewal Term**" and, collectively, the "**New Renewal Terms**"). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Lease, (a) all Existing Renewal Terms and New Renewal Terms shall automatically renew unless Tenant notifies

Landlord that Tenant elects not to renew the Lease at least sixty (60) days prior to the commencement of the next Renewal Term (as defined below) and (b) Landlord shall be able to terminate this Lease only in the event of a material default by Tenant, which default is not cured within sixty (60) days of Tenant's receipt of written notice thereof, provided, however, in the event that Tenant has diligently commenced to cure a material default within sixty (60) days of Tenant's actual receipt of notice thereof and reasonably requires additional time beyond the sixty (60) day cure period described herein to effect such cure, Tenant shall have such additional time as is necessary (beyond the sixty [60] day cure period) to effect the cure. References in this Amendment to "**Renewal Term**" shall refer, collectively, to the Existing Renewal Term(s) and the New Renewal Term(s). The Landlord hereby agrees to execute and return to Tenant an original Memorandum of Lease in the form and of the substance attached hereto as **Exhibit B** and by this reference made a part hereof (the "**Memorandum**") executed by Landlord, together with any applicable forms needed to record the Memorandum, which forms shall be supplied by Tenant to Landlord.

3. **Rent and Escalation.** The Parties hereby acknowledge and agree that all applicable increases and escalations to the rental payments under the Lease (the "**Rent**") shall continue in full force and effect through the New Renewal Term(s). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Lease, all Rent and any other payments expressly required to be paid by Tenant to Landlord under the Lease and this Amendment shall be paid to **City of Sidney, MT**.
4. **Landlord and Tenant Acknowledgments.** Except as modified herein, the Lease and all provisions contained therein remain in full force and effect and are hereby ratified and affirmed. The Parties hereby agree that no defaults exist under the Lease. To the extent Tenant needed consent and/or approval from Landlord for any of Tenant's activities at and uses of the site prior to the Effective Date, including subleasing to American Tower, Landlord's execution of this Amendment is and shall be considered consent to and approval of all such activities and uses and confirmation that no additional consideration is owed to Landlord for such activities and uses. Landlord hereby acknowledges and agrees that Tenant shall not need consent or approval from, or to provide notice to, Landlord for any future activities at or uses of the Leased Premises, including, without limitation, subleasing and licensing to additional customers, installing, modifying, repairing, or replacing improvements within the Leased Premises, and/or assigning all or any portion of Tenant's interest in this Lease, as modified by this Amendment. Tenant and Tenant's sublessees and customers shall have vehicular (specifically including truck) and pedestrian access to the Leased Premises from a public right of way on a 24 hours per day, 7 days per week basis, together with utilities services to the Leased Premises from a public right of way. Upon request by Tenant and at Tenant's sole cost and expense and for no additional consideration to Landlord, Landlord hereby agrees to promptly execute and return to Tenant building permits, zoning applications and other forms and documents, including a memorandum of lease, as required for the use of the Leased Premises by Tenant and/or Tenant's customers, licensees, and sublessees. The terms, provisions, and conditions of this Section shall survive the execution and delivery of this Amendment.
5. **Limited Right of First Refusal.** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, this paragraph shall not apply to any fee simple sale of the Parent Parcel from Landlord to any prospective purchaser that is not a Third Party Competitor (as herein defined) or to American Tower. If Landlord receives an offer or desires to offer to: (i) sell or convey any interest (including, but not limited to, leaseholds or easements) in any real property of which the Leased Premises is a part to any person or entity directly or indirectly engaged in the business of owning, acquiring, operating, managing, investing in or leasing wireless telecommunications infrastructure (any such person or entity, a "**Third Party Competitor**") or (ii) assign all or any portion of Landlord's interest in the Lease to a Third Party Competitor (any such offer, the "**Offer**"), Tenant shall have the right, exercisable in Tenant's sole and absolute discretion, of first refusal to purchase the real property or other interest being offered by Landlord in connection with the

Offer on the same terms and conditions. If Tenant elects, in its sole and absolute discretion, to exercise its right of first refusal as provided herein, Tenant must provide Landlord with notice of its election not later than forty-five (45) days after Tenant receives written notice from Landlord of the Offer. If Tenant elects not to exercise Tenant's right of first refusal with respect to an Offer as provided herein, Landlord may complete the transaction contemplated in the Offer with the Third Party Competitor on the stated terms and price but with the express condition that such sale is made subject to the terms of the Lease, as modified by this Amendment. Landlord hereby acknowledges and agrees that any sale or conveyance by Landlord in violation of this Section is and shall be deemed to be null and void and of no force and effect. The terms, provisions, and conditions of this Section shall survive the execution and delivery of this Amendment. For the avoidance of doubt, American Tower, its affiliates and subsidiaries, shall not be considered a Third Party Competitor and this provision shall not apply to future transactions with American Tower, its affiliates and subsidiaries.

6. **Landlord Statements.** Landlord hereby represents and warrants to Tenant that: (i) to the extent applicable, Landlord is duly organized, validly existing, and in good standing in the jurisdiction in which Landlord was organized, formed, or incorporated, as applicable, and is otherwise in good standing and authorized to transact business in each other jurisdiction in which such qualifications are required; (ii) Landlord has the full power and authority to enter into and perform its obligations under this Amendment, and, to the extent applicable, the person(s) executing this Amendment on behalf of Landlord, have the authority to enter into and deliver this Amendment on behalf of Landlord; (iii) no consent, authorization, order, or approval of, or filing or registration with, any governmental authority or other person or entity is required for the execution and delivery by Landlord of this Amendment; (iv) Landlord is the sole owner of the Leased Premises and all other portions of the Parent Parcel; (v) there are no agreements, liens, encumbrances, claims, claims of lien, proceedings, or other matters (whether filed or recorded in the applicable public records or not) related to, encumbering, asserted against, threatened against, and/or pending with respect to the Leased Premises or any other portion of the Parent Parcel which do or could (now or any time in the future) adversely impact, limit, and/or impair Tenant's rights under the Lease, as amended and modified by this Amendment; and (vi) the square footage of the Leased Premises is the greater of Tenant's existing improvements on the Parent Parcel or the land area conveyed to Tenant under the Lease. The representations and warranties of Landlord made in this Section shall survive the execution and delivery of this Amendment. Landlord hereby does and agrees to indemnify Tenant for any damages, losses, costs, fees, expenses, or charges of any kind sustained or incurred by Tenant as a result of the breach of the representations and warranties made herein or if any of the representations and warranties made herein prove to be untrue. The aforementioned indemnification shall survive the execution and delivery of this Amendment.
7. **Confidentiality.** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Lease or in this Amendment, Landlord agrees and acknowledges that all the terms of this Amendment and the Lease and any information furnished to Landlord by Tenant or American Tower in connection therewith shall be and remain confidential. Except with Landlord's family, attorney, accountant, broker, lender, a prospective fee simple purchaser of the Parent Parcel, or if otherwise required by law, Landlord shall not disclose any such terms or information without the prior written consent of Tenant. The terms and provisions of this Section shall survive the execution and delivery of this Amendment.
8. **Notices.** All notices must be in writing and shall be valid upon receipt when delivered by hand, by nationally recognized courier service, or by First Class United States Mail, certified, return receipt requested to the addresses set forth herein: to Landlord at: 115 2<sup>nd</sup> Street SE, Sidney, MT 59270; to Tenant at: Verizon Wireless, Attn. Network Real Estate, 180 Washington Valley Road, Bedminster, NJ 07921; with copy to: American Tower, Attn: Land Management, 10 Presidential Way, Woburn, MA 01801; and also with copy to: Attn Legal Dept. 116 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA 02116. Any of the

Parties, by thirty (30) days prior written notice to the others in the manner provided herein, may designate one or more different notice addresses from those set forth above. Refusal to accept delivery of any notice or the inability to deliver any notice because of a changed address for which no notice was given as required herein, shall be deemed to be receipt of any such notice.

9. **Counterparts.** This Amendment may be executed in several counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered, shall be deemed an original and all of which, when taken together, shall constitute one and the same instrument, even though all Parties are not signatories to the original or the same counterpart. Furthermore, the Parties may execute and deliver this Amendment by electronic means such as .pdf or similar format. Each of the Parties agrees that the delivery of the Amendment by electronic means will have the same force and effect as delivery of original signatures and that each of the Parties may use such electronic signatures as evidence of the execution and delivery of the Amendment by all Parties to the same extent as an original signature.
10. **Governing Law.** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Lease and in this Amendment, the Lease and this Amendment shall be governed by and construed in all respects in accordance with the laws of the State or Commonwealth in which the Leased Premises is situated, without regard to the conflicts of laws provisions of such State or Commonwealth.
11. **Waiver.** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, in no event shall Landlord or Tenant be liable to the other for, and Landlord and Tenant hereby waive, to the fullest extent permitted under applicable law, the right to recover incidental, consequential (including, without limitation, lost profits, loss of use or loss of business opportunity), punitive, exemplary and similar damages.
12. **Tenant's Securitization Rights; Estoppel.** Landlord hereby consents to the granting by Tenant and/or American Tower of one or more leasehold mortgages, collateral assignments, liens, and/or other security interests (collectively, a "**Security Interest**") in Tenant's (or American Tower's) interest in this Lease, as amended, and all of Tenant's (or American Tower's) property and fixtures attached to and lying within the Leased Premises and further consents to the exercise by Tenant's (or American Tower's) mortgagee ("**Tenant's Mortgagee**") of its rights to exercise its remedies, including without limitation foreclosure, with respect to any such Security Interest. Landlord shall recognize the holder of any such Security Interest of which Landlord is given prior written notice (any such holder, a "**Holder**") as "Tenant" hereunder in the event a Holder succeeds to the interest of Tenant and/or American Tower hereunder by the exercise of such remedies. Landlord further agrees to execute a written estoppel certificate within thirty (30) days of written request of the same by Tenant, American Tower or Holder.
13. **Taxes.** The Parties hereby agree that Section 7 of the Lease is deleted in its entirety. During the term of the Lease, Landlord shall pay when due all real property, personal property, and other taxes, fees and assessments attributable to the Parent Parcel, including the Leased Premises. Tenant hereby agrees to reimburse Landlord for any personal property taxes in addition to any increase in real property taxes levied against the Parent Parcel, to the extent both are directly attributable to Tenant's improvements on the Leased Premises (but not, however, taxes or other assessments attributable to periods prior to the Effective Date), provided, however, that Landlord must furnish written documentation (the substance and form of which shall be reasonably satisfactory to Tenant) of such personal property taxes or real property tax increase to Tenant along with proof of payment of same by Landlord. Anything to the contrary notwithstanding, Tenant shall not be obligated to reimburse Landlord for any applicable taxes unless Landlord requests such reimbursement within one (1) year after the date such taxes became due. Landlord shall submit requests for reimbursement in writing to: *American Tower Corporation, Attn: Landlord Relations, 10 Presidential Way, Woburn, MA 01801* unless otherwise directed by Tenant from time to time. Subject to the requirements set forth in this Section, Tenant shall make such


reimbursement payment within forty-five (45) days of receipt of a written reimbursement request from Landlord. Tenant shall pay applicable personal property taxes directly to the local taxing authority to the extent such taxes are billed and sent directly by the taxing authority to Tenant. If Landlord fails to pay when due any taxes affecting the Parent Parcel as required herein, Tenant shall have the right, but not the obligation, to pay such taxes on Landlord's behalf and: (i) deduct the full amount of any such taxes paid by Tenant on Landlord's behalf from any future payments required to be made by Tenant to Landlord hereunder; (ii) demand reimbursement from Landlord, which reimbursement payment Landlord shall make within thirty (30) days of such demand by Tenant; and/or (iii) collect from Landlord any such tax payments made by Tenant on Landlord's behalf by any lawful means.

*[SIGNATURES COMMENCE ON FOLLOWING PAGE]*



**LANDLORD:**

**City of Sidney, Montana**

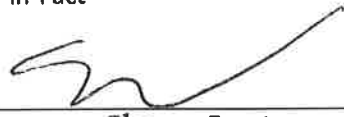
Signature:   
Print Name: Rick Norby  
Title: Mayor  
Date: 4/3/17

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**TENANT:**

**Gold Creek Cellular of Montana Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless**

By: ATC Sequoia LLC, a Delaware limited liability company  
Title: Attorney-in-Fact

Signature:   
Print Name: Shawn Lanier  
Title: Vice President - Legal  
Date: 6-20-2017

**EXHIBIT A**

*This Exhibit A may be replaced at Tenant's option as described below*

**PARENT PARCEL**

*Tenant shall have the right to replace this description with a description obtained from Landlord's deed (or deeds) that include the land area encompassed by the Lease and Tenant's improvements thereon*

The Parent Parcel consists of the entire legal taxable lot owned by Landlord as described in a deed (or deeds) to Landlord of which the Leased Premises is a part thereof with such Parent Parcel being described below:

Being situated in the County of Richland, State of Montana, and being known as  
Richland County APN: 27-3444-33-2-23-01-0000.

**Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in Block 19 of the Original Townsite of Sidney, Montana, according to the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Clerk and Recorder of Richland County, Montana.**

**EXHIBIT A (Continued)**

**LEASED PREMISES**

*Tenant shall have the right to replace this description with a description obtained from the Lease or from a description obtained from an as-built survey conducted by Tenant.*

The Leased Premises consists of that portion of the Parent Parcel as defined in the Lease which shall include access and utilities easements. The square footage of the Leased Premises shall be the greater of: (i) the land area conveyed to Tenant in the Lease; (ii) Tenant's (and Tenant's customers') existing improvements on the Parent Parcel; or (iii) the legal description or depiction below (if any).

A PORTION OF LOT 4 OF BLOCK 19 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF SIDNEY, LOCATED IN THE NORTHWEST ONE-QUARTER OF SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN MONTANA, CITY OF SIDNEY RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND BEING MORE SPECIFICALLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMENCING AT A FOUND REBAR WITH CAP MARKING THE MOST EASTERLY CORNER OF LOT 1, OF BLOCK 22 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF SIDNEY; THENCE NORTH 19°42'47" EAST, 80.00 FEET TO THE MOST SOUTHERLY CORNER OF LOT 6, OF BLOCK 19 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF SIDNEY; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 19°42'47" EAST ALONG THE SOUTHEASTERLY LINE OF SAID BLOCK 19 A DISTANCE OF 103.04 FEET; THENCE DEPARTING SAID SOUTHEASTERLY LINE NORTH 70°00'00" WEST, 74.51 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 70°00'00" WEST, 38.00 FEET TO A FOUND ALUMINUM CAP; THENCE NORTH 20°00'00" EAST, 38.00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 70°00'00" EAST, 38.00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 20°00'00" WEST, 38.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.  
CONTAINING 1,444 SQUARE FEET ( 0.033 ACRES) OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.

**ACCESS AND UTILITIES**

The access and utility easements include all easements of record as well that portion of the Parent Parcel currently utilized by Tenant (and Tenant's customers) for ingress, egress and utility purposes from the Leased Premises to and from a public right of way including but not limited to:

**ACCESS:**

A PORTION OF LOTS 4 AND 5 OF BLOCK 19 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF SIDNEY, LOCATED IN THE NORTHWEST ONE-QUARTER OF SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN MONTANA, CITY OF SIDNEY RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND BEING MORE SPECIFICALLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMENCING AT A FOUND REBAR WITH CAP MARKING THE MOST EASTERLY CORNER OF LOT 1, OF BLOCK 22 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF SIDNEY; THENCE NORTH 19°42'47" EAST, 80.00 FEET TO THE MOST SOUTHERLY CORNER OF LOT 6, OF BLOCK 19 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF SIDNEY; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 19°42'47" EAST ALONG THE SOUTHEASTERLY LINE OF SAID BLOCK 19 A DISTANCE OF 103.04 FEET;

ATC Site No: 420099  
VZW Site No: 251117  
Site Name: Sunrise, MT

**EXHIBIT A (Continued)**

THENCE DEPARTING SAID SOUTHEASTERLY LINE NORTH 70°00'00" WEST, 74.51 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE SOUTH 20°00'00" WEST, 20.00 FEET; THENCE NORTH 70°00'00" WEST, 65.39 FEET TO THE NORTHEASTERLY LINE OF SAID LOT 5; THENCE NORTH 19°42'47" EAST ALONG THE SAID NORTHEASTERLY LINE OF SAID LOTS 5 AND 4 A DISTANCE OF 20.00 FEET; THENCE DEPARTING SAID NORTHWESTERLY LINE SOUTH 70°00'00" EAST, 65.49 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

CONTAINING 1,308 SQUARE FEET (0.031 ACRES) OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.

**UTILITY:**

A PORTION OF LOT 4 OF BLOCK 19 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF SIDNEY, LOCATED IN THE NORTHWEST ONE-QUARTER OF SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN MONTANA, CITY OF SIDNEY RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND BEING MORE SPECIFICALLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMENCING AT A FOUND REBAR WITH CAP MARKING THE MOST EASTERLY CORNER OF LOT 1, OF BLOCK 22 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF SIDNEY; THENCE NORTH 19°42'47" EAST, 80.00 FEET TO THE MOST SOUTHERLY CORNER OF LOT 6, OF BLOCK 19 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF SIDNEY; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 19°42'47" EAST ALONG THE SOUTHEASTERLY LINE OF SAID BLOCK 19 A DISTANCE OF 103.04 FEET; THENCE DEPARTING SAID SOUTHEASTERLY LINE NORTH 70°00'00" WEST, 112.51 FEET; THENCE NORTH 20°00'00" WEST, 38.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE NORTH 70°00'00" WEST, 27.68 FEET TO THE NORTHWESTERLY LINE OF SAID LOT 4; THENCE NORTH 19°42'47" EAST ALONG THE SAID NORTHEASTERLY LINE A DISTANCE OF 8.26 FEET TO THE NORTHERLY CORNER OF SAID LOT 4; THENCE SOUTH 70°17'13" EAST ALONG THE NORTHEASTERLY LINE OF SAID LOT 4 A DISTANCE OF 77.72 FEET; THENCE DEPARTING SAID NORTHEASTERLY LINE SOUTH 20°00'00" WEST, 15.65 FEET; THENCE NORTH 70°00'00" WEST, 12.00 FEET; THENCE NORTH 20°00'00" EAST, 7.00 FEET; THENCE NORTH 70°00'00" WEST, 38.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

CONTAINING 741 SQUARE FEET (0.017 ACRES) OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.

LAND LEASE AGREEMENT

This Agreement, made this 18th day of July, 2012, between City of Sidney, with its principal offices located at 115 2nd Street SE, Sidney, Montana 59270, hereinafter designated LESSOR and Gold Creek Cellular of Montana Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, with its principal office located at One Verizon Way, Mail Stop 4AW100, Basking Ridge, New Jersey 07920 (telephone number 866-862-4404), hereinafter designated LESSEE. The LESSOR and LESSEE are at times collectively referred to hereinafter as the "Parties" or individually as the "Party".

1. PREMISES. LESSOR hereby leases to LESSEE a portion of that certain parcel of property (the entirety of LESSOR's property is referred to hereinafter as the Property), located at 115 2nd Street SE, Sidney, County of Richland, State of Montana, and being described as a 38' by 38' parcel containing 1,444 square feet (the "Land Space"), together with the non-exclusive right (the "Rights of Way") for ingress and egress, seven (7) days a week twenty-four (24) hours a day, on foot or motor vehicle, including trucks over or along a twenty (20') foot wide right-of-way extending from the nearest public right-of-way to the Land Space, and for the installation and maintenance of utility wires, poles, cables, conduits, and pipes over, under, or along one or more rights of way from the Land Space, said Land Space and Rights of Way (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Premises") being substantially as described herein in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof.

In the event any public utility is unable to use the Rights of Way, the LESSOR hereby agrees to grant an additional right-of-way either to the LESSEE or to the public utility at no cost to the LESSEE.

2. SURVEY. LESSOR also hereby grants to LESSEE the right to survey the Property and the Premises, and said survey shall then become Exhibit "B" which shall be attached hereto and made a part hereof, and shall control in the event of boundary and access discrepancies between it and Exhibit "A". Cost for such work shall be borne by the LESSEE.

3. TERM; RENTAL.

a. This Agreement shall be effective as of the date of execution by both Parties, provided, however, the initial term shall be for five (5) years and shall commence on the Commencement Date (as hereinafter defined) at which time rental payments for the first (1st) year of the initial term shall commence and be due at a total annual rental of \$9,600.00 to be paid in equal monthly installments on the first day of the month, in advance, to LESSOR or to such other person, firm or place as LESSOR may, from time to time, designate in writing at least thirty (30) days in advance of any rental payment date by notice given in accordance with Paragraph 23 below. The Agreement shall commence on the first day of July, 2012 ("Commencement Date"). LESSOR and LESSEE acknowledge and agree that initial rental payment(s) shall not actually be sent by LESSEE until thirty (30) days after the Commencement Date. By way of illustration of the preceding sentence, if the Commencement Date is January 1, LESSEE shall send to the LESSOR the rental payments for January 1 and February 1 by February 1.

Upon agreement of the Parties, LESSEE may pay rent by electronic funds transfer and in such event, LESSOR agrees to provide to LESSEE bank routing information for such purpose upon request of LESSEE.

b. LESSOR hereby agrees to provide to LESSEE certain documentation (the "Rental Documentation") evidencing LESSOR's interest in, and right to receive payments under, this Agreement, including without limitation: (i) documentation, acceptable to LESSEE in LESSEE's reasonable discretion, evidencing LESSOR's good and sufficient title to and/or interest in the Property and right to receive rental payments and other benefits hereunder; (ii) a complete and fully executed Internal Revenue Service Form W-9, or equivalent, in a form acceptable to LESSEE, for any party to whom rental payments are to be made pursuant to this Agreement; and (iii) other documentation requested by LESSEE in LESSEE's reasonable discretion. From time to time during the Term of this Agreement and within thirty (30) days of a written request from LESSEE, LESSOR agrees to provide updated Rental Documentation in a form reasonably acceptable to LESSEE. The Rental Documentation shall be provided to LESSEE in accordance with the provisions of and at the address given in Paragraph 23. Delivery of Rental Documentation to LESSEE shall be a prerequisite for the payment of any rent by LESSEE and notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, LESSEE shall have no obligation to make any rental payments until Rental Documentation has been supplied to LESSEE as provided herein.

Within fifteen (15) days of obtaining an interest in the Property or this Agreement, any assignee(s), transferee(s) or other successor(s) in interest of LESSOR shall provide to LESSEE Rental Documentation in the manner set forth in the preceding paragraph. From time to time during the Term of this Agreement and within thirty (30) days of a written request from LESSEE, any assignee(s) or transferee(s) of LESSOR agrees to provide updated Rental Documentation in a form reasonably acceptable to LESSEE. Delivery of Rental Documentation to LESSEE by any assignee(s), transferee(s) or other successor(s) in interest of LESSOR shall be a prerequisite for the payment of any rent by LESSEE to such party and notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, LESSEE shall have no obligation to make any rental payments to any assignee(s), transferee(s) or other successor(s) in interest of LESSOR until Rental Documentation has been supplied to LESSEE as provided herein.

4. EXTENSIONS. This Agreement shall automatically be extended for four (4) additional five (5) year terms unless LESSEE terminates it at the end of the then current term by giving LESSOR written notice of the intent to terminate at least six (6) months prior to the end of the then current term.

5. ANNUAL RENTAL INCREASES. The annual rental for the second (2nd) year of the initial term and for each year thereafter including any and all extension terms shall be equal to 102% of the annual rental payable with respect to the immediately preceding year.

6. ADDITIONAL EXTENSIONS. If at the end of the fourth (4th) five (5) year extension term this Agreement has not been terminated by either Party by giving to the other written notice of

an intention to terminate it at least three (3) months prior to the end of such term, this Agreement shall continue in force upon the same covenants, terms and conditions for a further term of five (5) years and for five (5) year terms thereafter until terminated by either Party by giving to the other written notice of its intention to so terminate at least three (3) months prior to the end of such term. Annual rental for each such additional five (5) year term shall be equal to the annual rental payable with respect to the immediately preceding five (5) year term. The initial term and all extensions shall be collectively referred to herein as the "Term".

7. TAXES. LESSEE shall have the responsibility to pay any personal property, real estate taxes, assessments, or charges owed on the Property which LESSOR demonstrates is the result of LESSEE's use of the Premises and/or the installation, maintenance, and operation of the LESSEE's improvements, and any sales tax imposed on the rent (except to the extent that LESSEE is or may become exempt from the payment of sales tax in the jurisdiction in which the Property is located), including any increase in real estate taxes at the Property which LESSOR demonstrates arises from the LESSEE's improvements and/or LESSEE's use of the Premises. LESSOR and LESSEE shall each be responsible for the payment of any taxes, levies, assessments and other charges imposed including franchise and similar taxes imposed upon the business conducted by LESSOR or LESSEE at the Property. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LESSEE shall not have the obligation to pay any tax, assessment, or charge that LESSEE is disputing in good faith in appropriate proceedings prior to a final determination that such tax is properly assessed provided that no lien attaches to the Property. Nothing in this Paragraph shall be construed as making LESSEE liable for any portion of LESSOR's income taxes in connection with any Property or otherwise. Except as set forth in this Paragraph, LESSOR shall have the responsibility to pay any personal property, real estate taxes, assessments, or charges owed on the Property and shall do so prior to the imposition of any lien on the Property.

LESSEE shall have the right, at its sole option and at its sole cost and expense, to appeal, challenge or seek modification of any tax assessment or billing for which LESSEE is wholly or partly responsible for payment. LESSOR shall reasonably cooperate with LESSEE at LESSEE's expense in filing, prosecuting and perfecting any appeal or challenge to taxes as set forth in the preceding sentence, including but not limited to, executing any consent, appeal or other similar document. In the event that as a result of any appeal or challenge by LESSEE, there is a reduction, credit or repayment received by the LESSOR for any taxes previously paid by LESSEE, LESSOR agrees to promptly reimburse to LESSEE the amount of said reduction, credit or repayment. In the event that LESSEE does not have the standing rights to pursue a good faith and reasonable dispute of any taxes under this paragraph, LESSOR will pursue such dispute at LESSEE's sole cost and expense upon written request of LESSEE.

8. USE; GOVERNMENTAL APPROVALS. LESSEE shall use the Premises for the purpose of constructing, maintaining, repairing and operating a communications facility and uses incidental thereto. A security fence consisting of chain link construction or similar but comparable construction may be placed around the perimeter of the Premises at the discretion of LESSEE (not including the access easement). All improvements, equipment, antennas and conduits shall be at LESSEE's expense and their installation shall be at the discretion and option of LESSEE. LESSEE shall have the right to replace, repair, add or otherwise modify its utilities, equipment, antennas



and/or conduits or any portion thereof and the frequencies over which the equipment operates, whether the equipment, antennas, conduits or frequencies are specified or not on any exhibit attached hereto, during the Term. It is understood and agreed that LESSEE's ability to use the Premises is contingent upon its obtaining after the execution date of this Agreement all of the certificates, permits and other approvals (collectively the "Governmental Approvals") that may be required by any Federal, State or Local authorities as well as satisfactory soil boring tests which will permit LESSEE use of the Premises as set forth above. LESSOR shall cooperate with LESSEE in its effort to obtain such approvals and shall take no action which would adversely affect the status of the Property with respect to the proposed use thereof by LESSEE. In the event that (i) any of such applications for such Governmental Approvals should be finally rejected; (ii) any Governmental Approval issued to LESSEE is canceled, expires, lapses, or is otherwise withdrawn or terminated by governmental authority; (iii) LESSEE determines that such Governmental Approvals may not be obtained in a timely manner; (iv) LESSEE determines that any soil boring tests are unsatisfactory; (v) LESSEE determines that the Premises is no longer technically compatible for its use, or (vi) LESSEE, in its sole discretion, determines that the use the Premises is obsolete or unnecessary, LESSEE shall have the right to terminate this Agreement. Notice of LESSEE's exercise of its right to terminate shall be given to LESSOR in writing by certified mail, return receipt requested, and shall be effective upon the mailing of such notice by LESSEE, or upon such later date as designated by LESSEE. All rentals paid to said termination date shall be retained by LESSOR. Upon such termination, this Agreement shall be of no further force or effect except to the extent of the representations, warranties and indemnities made by each Party to the other hereunder. Otherwise, the LESSEE shall have no further obligations for the payment of rent to LESSOR.

9. INDEMNIFICATION. Subject to Paragraph 10 below, each Party shall indemnify and hold the other harmless against any claim of liability or loss from personal injury or property damage resulting from or arising out of the negligence or willful misconduct of the indemnifying Party, its employees, contractors or agents, except to the extent such claims or damages may be due to or caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of the other Party, or its employees, contractors or agents.

10. INSURANCE. LESSEE agrees to maintain commercial general liability insurance with limits not less than \$1,000,000 for injury to or death of one or more persons in any one occurrence and \$500,000 for damage or destruction to property in any one occurrence.

11. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY. Except for indemnification pursuant to Paragraphs 9 and 28, neither Party shall be liable to the other, or any of their respective agents, representatives, employees for any lost revenue, lost profits, loss of technology, rights or services, incidental, punitive, indirect, special or consequential damages, loss of data, or interruption or loss of use of service, even if advised of the possibility of such damages, whether under theory of contract, tort (including negligence), strict liability or otherwise.

12. ANNUAL TERMINATION. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, provided LESSEE is not in default hereunder beyond applicable notice and cure periods,

LESSEE shall have the right to terminate this Agreement upon the annual anniversary of the Commencement Date provided that three (3) months prior notice is given to LESSOR.

13. INTERFERENCE. LESSEE agrees to install equipment of the type and frequency which will not cause harmful interference which is measurable in accordance with then existing industry standards to any equipment of LESSOR or other lessees of the Property which existed on the Property prior to the date this Agreement is executed by the Parties. In the event any after-installed LESSEE's equipment causes such interference, and after LESSOR has notified LESSEE in writing of such interference, LESSEE will take all commercially reasonable steps necessary to correct and eliminate the interference, including but not limited to, at LESSEE's option, powering down such equipment and later powering up such equipment for intermittent testing. In no event will LESSOR be entitled to terminate this Agreement or relocate the equipment as long as LESSEE is making a good faith effort to remedy the interference issue. LESSOR agrees that LESSOR and/or any other tenants of the Property who currently have or in the future take possession of the Property will be permitted to install only such equipment that is of the type and frequency which will not cause harmful interference which is measurable in accordance with then existing industry standards to the then existing equipment of LESSEE. The Parties acknowledge that there will not be an adequate remedy at law for noncompliance with the provisions of this Paragraph and therefore, either Party shall have the right to equitable remedies, such as, without limitation, injunctive relief and specific performance.

14. REMOVAL AT END OF TERM. LESSEE shall, upon expiration of the Term, or within ninety (90) days after any earlier termination of the Agreement, remove its building(s), antenna structure(s) (except footings), equipment, conduits, fixtures and all personal property and restore the Premises to its original condition, reasonable wear and tear and casualty damage excepted. LESSOR agrees and acknowledges that all of the equipment, conduits, fixtures and personal property of LESSEE shall remain the personal property of LESSEE and LESSEE shall have the right to remove the same at any time during the Term, whether or not said items are considered fixtures and attachments to real property under applicable Laws (as defined in Paragraph 32 below). If such time for removal causes LESSEE to remain on the Premises after termination of this Agreement, LESSEE shall pay rent at the then existing monthly rate or on the existing monthly pro-rata basis if based upon a longer payment term, until such time as the removal of the building, antenna structure, fixtures and all personal property are completed.

15. HOLDOVER. LESSEE has no right to retain possession of the Premises or any part thereof beyond the expiration of that removal period set forth in Paragraph 14 herein, unless the Parties are negotiating a new lease or lease extension in good faith. In the event that the Parties are not in the process of negotiating a new lease or lease extension in good faith, LESSEE holds over in violation of Paragraph 14 and this Paragraph 15, then the rent then in effect payable from and after the time of the expiration or earlier removal period set forth in Paragraph 14 shall equal to the rent applicable during the month immediately preceding such expiration or earlier termination.

16. RIGHT OF FIRST REFUSAL. If LESSOR elects, during the Term (i) to sell or otherwise transfer all or any portion of the Property, whether separately or as part of a larger

parcel of which the Property is a part, or (ii) to grant to a third party by easement or other legal instrument an interest in and to that portion of the Property occupied by LESSEE, or a larger portion thereof, for the purpose of operating and maintaining communications facilities or the management thereof, with or without an assignment of this Agreement to such third party, LESSEE shall have the right of first refusal to meet any bona fide offer of sale or transfer on the same terms and conditions of such offer. If LESSEE fails to meet such bona fide offer within thirty (30) days after written notice thereof from LESSOR, LESSOR may sell or grant the easement or interest in the Property or portion thereof to such third person in accordance with the terms and conditions of such third party offer. For purposes of this Paragraph, any transfer, bequest or devise of LESSOR's interest in the Property as a result of the death of LESSOR, whether by will or intestate succession, or any conveyance to LESSOR's family members by direct conveyance or by conveyance to a trust for the benefit of family members shall not be considered a sale of the Property for which LESSEE has any right of first refusal.

17. RIGHTS UPON SALE. Should LESSOR, at any time during the Term decide (i) to sell or transfer all or any part of the Property to a purchaser other than LESSEE, or (ii) to grant to a third party by easement or other legal instrument an interest in and to that portion of the Property occupied by LESSEE, or a larger portion thereof, for the purpose of operating and maintaining communications facilities or the management thereof, such sale or grant of an easement or interest therein shall be under and subject to this Agreement and any such purchaser or transferee shall recognize LESSEE's rights hereunder under the terms of this Agreement. To the extent that LESSOR grants to a third party by easement or other legal instrument an interest in and to that portion of the Property occupied by LESSEE for the purpose of operating and maintaining communications facilities or the management thereof and in conjunction therewith, assigns this Agreement to said third party, LESSOR shall not be released from its obligations to LESSEE under this Agreement, and LESSEE shall have the right to look to LESSOR and the third party for the full performance of this Agreement.

18. QUIET ENJOYMENT. LESSOR covenants that LESSEE, on paying the rent and performing the covenants herein, shall peaceably and quietly have, hold and enjoy the Premises.

19. TITLE. LESSOR represents and warrants to LESSEE as of the execution date of this Agreement, and covenants during the Term that LESSOR is seized of good and sufficient title and interest to the Property and has full authority to enter into and execute this Agreement. LESSOR further covenants during the Term that there are no liens, judgments or impediments of title on the Property, or affecting LESSOR's title to the same and that there are no covenants, easements or restrictions which prevent or adversely affect the use or occupancy of the Premises by LESSEE as set forth above.

20. INTEGRATION. It is agreed and understood that this Agreement contains all agreements, promises and understandings between LESSOR and LESSEE and that no verbal or oral agreements, promises or understandings shall be binding upon either LESSOR or LESSEE in any dispute, controversy or proceeding at law, and any addition, variation or modification to this Agreement shall be void and ineffective unless made in writing signed by the Parties or in a written acknowledgment in the case provided in Paragraph 3. In the event any provision of the

Agreement is found to be invalid or unenforceable, such finding shall not affect the validity and enforceability of the remaining provisions of this Agreement. The failure of either Party to insist upon strict performance of any of the terms or conditions of this Agreement or to exercise any of its rights under the Agreement shall not waive such rights and such Party shall have the right to enforce such rights at any time and take such action as may be lawful and authorized under this Agreement, in law or in equity.

21. GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement and the performance thereof shall be governed, interpreted, construed and regulated by the Laws of the State in which the Property is located.

22. ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement may be sold, assigned or transferred by the LESSEE without any approval or consent of the LESSOR to the LESSEE's principal, affiliates, subsidiaries of its principal or to any entity which acquires all or substantially all of LESSEE's assets in the market defined by the Federal Communications Commission in which the Property is located by reason of a merger, acquisition or other business reorganization. As to other parties, this Agreement may not be sold, assigned or transferred without the written consent of the LESSOR, which such consent will not be unreasonably withheld, delayed or conditioned. No change of stock ownership, partnership interest or control of LESSEE or transfer upon partnership or corporate dissolution of LESSEE shall constitute an assignment hereunder. LESSEE may sublet the Premises within its sole discretion, upon notice to LESSOR. Any sublease that is entered into by LESSEE shall be subject to the provisions of this Agreement and shall be binding upon the successors, assigns, heirs and legal representatives of the respective Parties hereto.

23. NOTICES. All notices hereunder must be in writing and shall be deemed validly given if sent by certified mail, return receipt requested or by commercial courier, provided the courier's regular business is delivery service and provided further that it guarantees delivery to the addressee by the end of the next business day following the courier's receipt from the sender, addressed as follows (or any other address that the Party to be notified may have designated to the sender by like notice):

LESSOR: City of Sidney  
115 2nd Street SE  
Sidney, Montana 59270  
Telephone: (307) 234-4507

LESSEE: Gold Creek Cellular of Montana Limited Partnership  
d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
180 Washington Valley Road  
Bedminster, New Jersey 07921  
Attention: Network Real Estate

Notice shall be effective upon actual receipt or refusal as shown on the receipt obtained pursuant to the foregoing.

24. SUCCESSORS. This Agreement shall extend to and bind the heirs, personal representative, successors and assigns of the Parties hereto.

25. RECORDING. LESSOR agrees to execute a Memorandum of this Agreement which LESSEE may record with the appropriate recording officer. The date set forth in the Memorandum of Lease is for recording purposes only and bears no reference to commencement of either the Term or rent payments.

26. DEFAULT.

a. In the event there is a breach by LESSEE with respect to any of the provisions of this Agreement or its obligations under it, including the payment of rent, LESSOR shall give LESSEE written notice of such breach. After receipt of such written notice, LESSEE shall have fifteen (15) days in which to cure any monetary breach and thirty (30) days in which to cure any non-monetary breach, provided LESSEE shall have such extended period as may be required beyond the thirty (30) days if the nature of the cure is such that it reasonably requires more than thirty (30) days and LESSEE commences the cure within the thirty (30) day period and thereafter continuously and diligently pursues the cure to completion. LESSOR may not maintain any action or effect any remedies for default against LESSEE unless and until LESSEE has failed to cure the breach within the time periods provided in this Paragraph.

b. In the event there is a breach by LESSOR with respect to any of the provisions of this Agreement or its obligations under it, LESSEE shall give LESSOR written notice of such breach. After receipt of such written notice, LESSOR shall have thirty (30) days in which to cure any such breach, provided LESSOR shall have such extended period as may be required beyond the thirty (30) days if the nature of the cure is such that it reasonably requires more than thirty (30) days and LESSOR commences the cure within the thirty (30) day period and thereafter continuously and diligently pursues the cure to completion. LESSEE may not maintain any action or effect any remedies for default against LESSOR unless and until LESSOR has failed to cure the breach within the time periods provided in this Paragraph. Notwithstanding the foregoing to the contrary, it shall be a default under this Agreement if LESSOR fails, within five (5) days after receipt of written notice of such breach, to perform an obligation required to be performed by LESSOR if the failure to perform such an obligation interferes with LESSEE's ability to conduct its business on the Property; provided, however, that if the nature of LESSOR's obligation is such that more than five (5) days after such notice is reasonably required for its performance, then it shall not be a default under this Agreement if performance is commenced within such five (5) day period and thereafter diligently pursued to completion.

27. REMEDIES. Upon a default, the non-defaulting Party may at its option (but without obligation to do so), perform the defaulting Party's duty or obligation on the defaulting Party's behalf, including but not limited to the obtaining of reasonably required insurance policies. The costs and expenses of any such performance by the non-defaulting Party shall be due and payable by the defaulting Party upon invoice therefor. In the event of a default by either Party with respect to a material provision of this Agreement, without limiting the non-defaulting Party in the exercise of any right or remedy which the non-defaulting Party may have by reason

of such default, the non-defaulting Party may terminate the Agreement and/or pursue any remedy now or hereafter available to the non-defaulting Party under the Laws or judicial decisions of the state in which the Premises are located; provided, however, LESSOR shall use reasonable efforts to mitigate its damages in connection with a default by LESSEE. If LESSEE so performs any of LESSOR's obligations hereunder, the full amount of the reasonable and actual cost and expense incurred by LESSEE shall immediately be owing by LESSOR to LESSEE, and LESSOR shall pay to LESSEE upon demand the full undisputed amount thereof with interest thereon from the date of payment at the greater of (i) ten percent (10%) per annum, or (ii) the highest rate permitted by applicable Laws. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if LESSOR does not pay LESSEE the full undisputed amount within thirty (30) days of its receipt of an invoice setting forth the amount due from LESSOR, LESSEE may offset the full undisputed amount, including all accrued interest, due against all fees due and owing to LESSOR until the full undisputed amount, including all accrued interest, is fully reimbursed to LESSEE.

## 28. ENVIRONMENTAL.

a. LESSOR will be responsible for all obligations of compliance with any and all environmental and industrial hygiene laws, including any regulations, guidelines, standards, or policies of any governmental authorities regulating or imposing standards of liability or standards of conduct with regard to any environmental or industrial hygiene conditions or concerns as may now or at any time hereafter be in effect, that are or were in any way related to activity now conducted in, on, or in any way related to the Property, unless such conditions or concerns are caused by the specific activities of LESSEE in the Premises.

b. LESSOR shall hold LESSEE harmless and indemnify LESSEE from and assume all duties, responsibility and liability at LESSOR's sole cost and expense, for all duties, responsibilities, and liability (for payment of penalties, sanctions, forfeitures, losses, costs, or damages) and for responding to any action, notice, claim, order, summons, citation, directive, litigation, investigation or proceeding which is in any way related to: a) failure to comply with any environmental or industrial hygiene law, including without limitation any regulations, guidelines, standards, or policies of any governmental authorities regulating or imposing standards of liability or standards of conduct with regard to any environmental or industrial hygiene concerns or conditions as may now or at any time hereafter be in effect, unless such non-compliance results from conditions caused by LESSEE; and b) any environmental or industrial hygiene conditions arising out of or in any way related to the condition of the Property or activities conducted thereon, unless such environmental conditions are caused by LESSEE.

29. CASUALTY. In the event of damage by fire or other casualty to the Premises that cannot reasonably be expected to be repaired within forty-five (45) days following same or, if the Property is damaged by fire or other casualty so that such damage may reasonably be expected to disrupt LESSEE's operations at the Premises for more than forty-five (45) days, then LESSEE may, at any time following such fire or other casualty, provided LESSOR has not completed the restoration required to permit LESSEE to resume its operation at the Premises, terminate this Agreement upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice to LESSOR. Any such notice of termination shall cause this Agreement to expire with the same force and effect as though the

date set forth in such notice were the date originally set as the expiration date of this Agreement and the Parties shall make an appropriate adjustment, as of such termination date, with respect to payments due to the other under this Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the rent shall abate during the period of repair following such fire or other casualty in proportion to the degree to which LESSEE's use of the Premises is impaired.

30. CONDEMNATION. In the event of any condemnation of all or any portion of the Property, this Agreement shall terminate as to the part so taken as of the date the condemning authority takes title or possession, whichever occurs first. If as a result of a partial condemnation of the Premises or Property, LESSEE, in LESSEE's sole discretion, is unable to use the Premises for the purposes intended hereunder, or if such condemnation may reasonably be expected to disrupt LESSEE's operations at the Premises for more than forty-five (45) days, LESSEE may, at LESSEE's option, to be exercised in writing within fifteen (15) days after LESSOR shall have given LESSEE written notice of such taking (or in the absence of such notice, within fifteen (15) days after the condemning authority shall have taken possession) terminate this Agreement as of the date the condemning authority takes such possession. LESSEE may on its own behalf make a claim in any condemnation proceeding involving the Premises for losses related to the equipment, conduits, fixtures, its relocation costs and its damages and losses (but not for the loss of its leasehold interest). Any such notice of termination shall cause this Agreement to expire with the same force and effect as though the date set forth in such notice were the date originally set as the expiration date of this Agreement and the Parties shall make an appropriate adjustment as of such termination date with respect to payments due to the other under this Agreement. If LESSEE does not terminate this Agreement in accordance with the foregoing, this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect as to the portion of the Premises remaining, except that the rent shall be reduced in the same proportion as the rentable area of the Premises taken bears to the total rentable area of the Premises. In the event that this Agreement is not terminated by reason of such condemnation, LESSOR shall promptly repair any damage to the Premises caused by such condemning authority.

31. SUBMISSION OF AGREEMENT/PARTIAL INVALIDITY/AUTHORITY. The submission of this Agreement for examination does not constitute an offer to lease the Premises and this Agreement becomes effective only upon the full execution of this Agreement by the Parties. If any provision herein is invalid, it shall be considered deleted from this Agreement and shall not invalidate the remaining provisions of this Agreement. Each of the Parties hereto warrants to the other that the person or persons executing this Agreement on behalf of such Party has the full right, power and authority to enter into and execute this Agreement on such Party's behalf and that no consent from any other person or entity is necessary as a condition precedent to the legal effect of this Agreement.

32. APPLICABLE LAWS. During the Term, LESSOR shall maintain the Property in compliance with all applicable laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, directives, covenants, easements, zoning and land use regulations, and restrictions of record, permits, building codes, and the requirements of any applicable fire insurance underwriter or rating bureau, now in effect or which may hereafter come into effect (including, without limitation, the Americans with Disabilities Act and laws regulating hazardous substances) (collectively "Laws"). LESSEE shall,

in respect to the condition of the Premises and at LESSEE's sole cost and expense, comply with (a) all Laws relating solely to LESSEE's specific and unique nature of use of the Premises (other than general office use); and (b) all building codes requiring modifications to the Premises due to the improvements being made by LESSEE in the Premises.

33. SURVIVAL. The provisions of the Agreement relating to indemnification from one Party to the other Party shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement. Additionally, any provisions of this Agreement which require performance subsequent to the termination or expiration of this Agreement shall also survive such termination or expiration.

34. CAPTIONS. The captions contained in this Agreement are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of the Agreement. They shall not affect or be utilized in the construction or interpretation of the Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have set their hands and affixed their respective seals the day and year first above written.

**LESSOR:** City of Sidney

By: But Smelser  
Its: Mayor  
Name: But Smelser  
Date: 5/17/12

**LESSEE:** Gold Creek Cellular of Montana Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellular Inc. Network Corporation,  
its General Partner

By: [Signature]  
Name: Walter L. Jones, Jr.  
Title: Area Vice President Network  
Date: 7/18/12

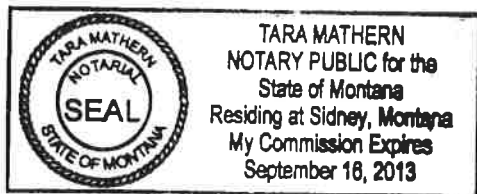


LESSOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF Montana )  
 ) ss.  
COUNTY OF Richland )

On this 17th day of May, 2012, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Montana, personally appeared Bret Smelser, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person who executed this instrument, on oath stated that He/She was authorized to execute the instrument, and acknowledged it as the Mayor of City of Sidney, to be the free and voluntary act and deed of said party for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal the day and year first above written.



Tara Mathern  
NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of MT,  
residing at Sidney, Montana  
My appointment expires September 18, 2013  
Print Name Tara Mathern

**CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
 ) ss.  
COUNTY OF ORANGE )

On July 18, 2012 before me, Gloria Van Ginkel, Notary Public, personally appeared Walter L. Jones, Jr., who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Gloria Van Ginkel  
Signature of Notary Public



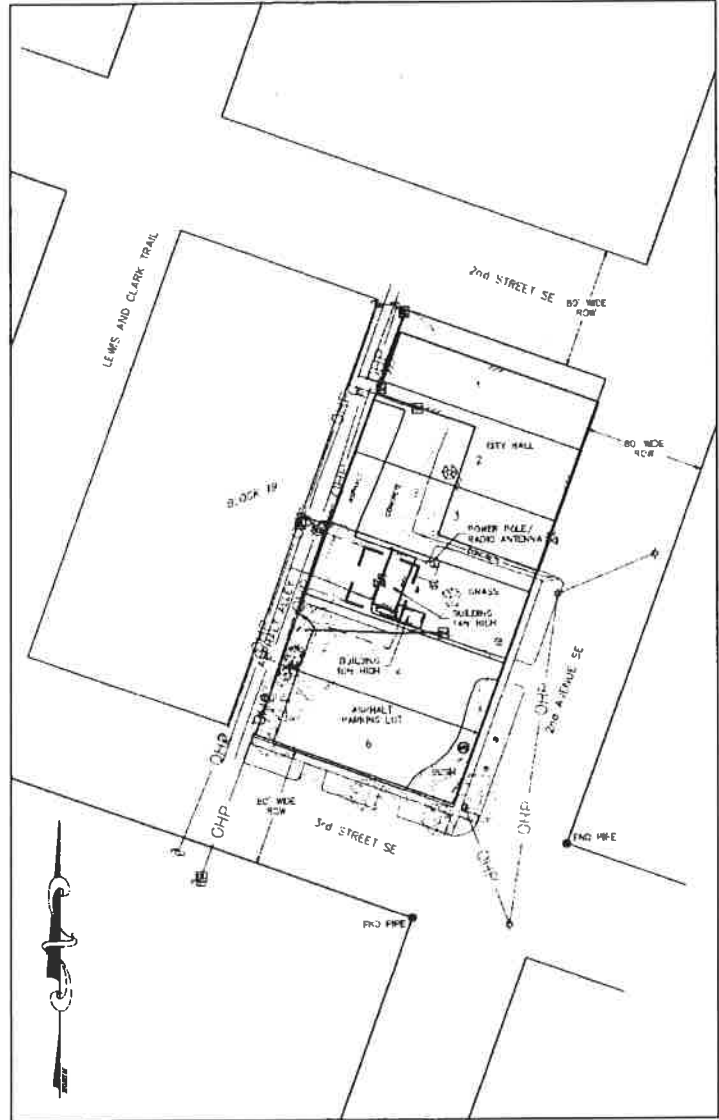
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**EXHIBIT "A"**  
**1 of 5**  
**LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

**Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in Block 19 of the Original Townsite of Sidney, Montana, according to the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Clerk and Recorder of Richland County, Montana.**

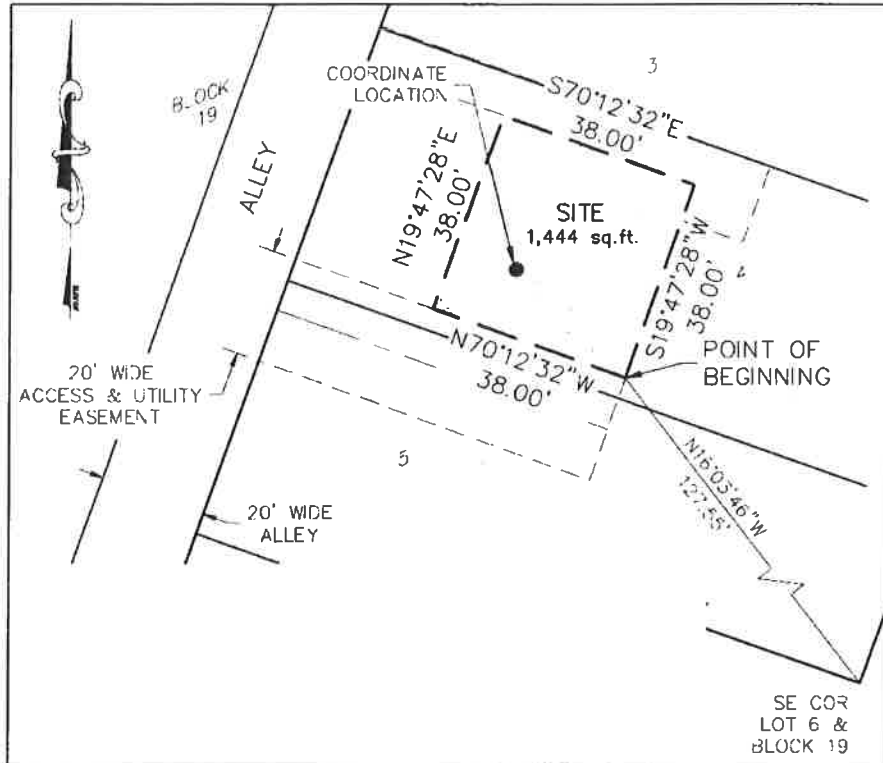
**EXHIBIT "A"**  
**2 of 5**  
**DESCRIPTION OF PREMISES**

GENERAL LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LESSOR'S PARCEL  
LOTS 1,2,3,4,5,and 6, in BLOCK 19 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF SIDNEY, MONTANA,  
SITUATED WITHIN THE NORTHWEST ONE-QUARTER OF SECTION 33,  
TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN MONTANA,  
CITY OF SIDNEY, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA



PARENT PARCEL & ACCESS AND UTILITY EASEMENT  
SCALE: 1" = 100'

**EXHIBIT "A"**  
**3 of 5**  
**DESCRIPTION OF PREMISES**



LEASE AREA  
SCALE: 1" = 30'

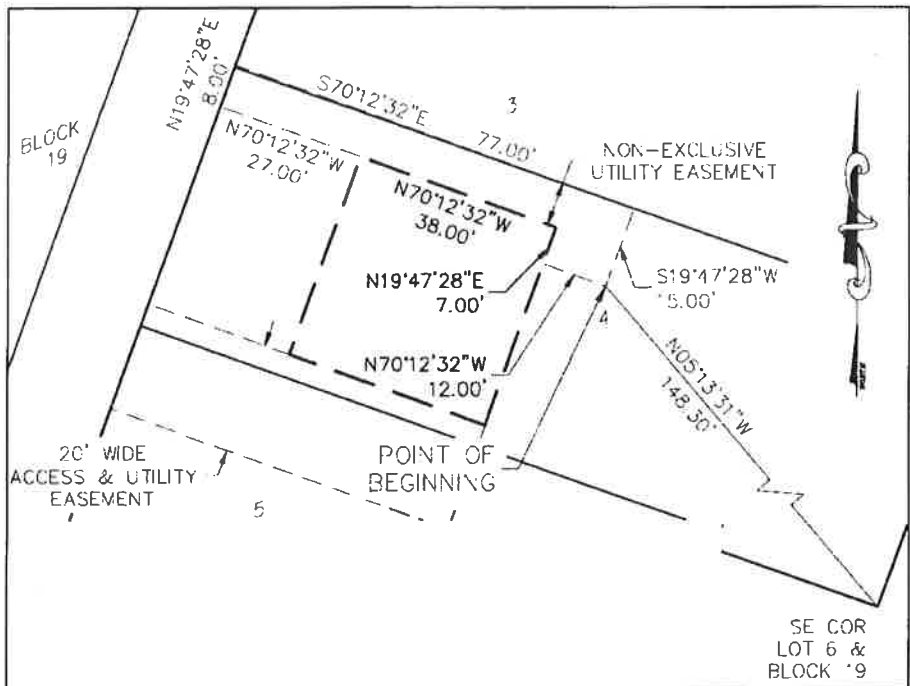
**LEASE AREA LEGAL DESCRIPTION – LESSEE/MT4 SUNRISE:**

The following is a description of a thirty eight foot by thirty eight foot (38.00'x38.00') parcel of land to be utilized as a telecommunications equipment lease area situated within Lot 4 of Block 19 of the Original Townsite of Sidney, located in the Northwest One-Quarter of Section 33, Township 23 North, Range 59 East, Principal Meridian Montana, City of Sidney, Richland County, Montana. Said Lease Area being specifically described as follows:

Beginning at a point which bears North 16°03'46" West a distance of 127.55 feet from the Southeast Corner of Lot 6 and said Block 19 of the Original Townsite of Sidney, thence North 70°12'32" West, a distance of 38.00 feet; thence North 19°47'28" East, a distance of 38.00 feet; thence South 70°12'32" East, a distance of 38.00 feet; thence South 19°47'28" West, a distance of 38.00 feet to the Point of Beginning

Said Lease Area being 1,444 square feet.

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**DESCRIPTION OF PREMISES**



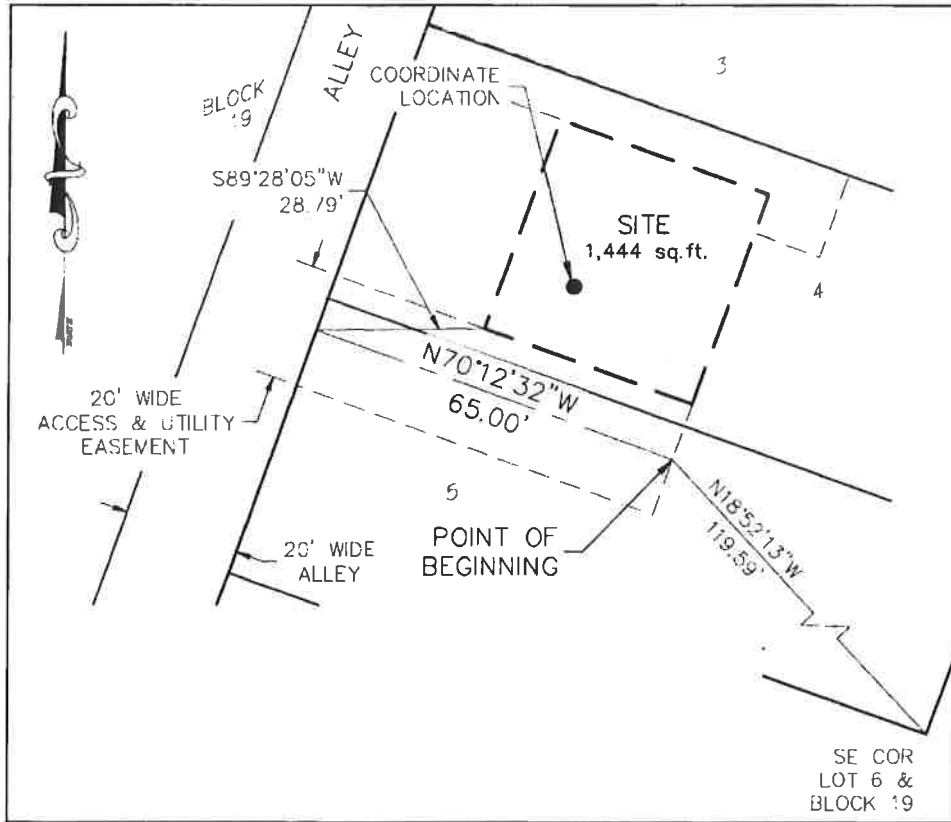
UTILITY EASEMENT  
SCALE: 1" = 30'

**NON-EXCLUSIVE UTILITY EASEMENT LEGAL DESCRIPTION**  
LESSEE/MT4 SUNRISE:

The following is a description of a Non-Exclusive Utility Easement situated within Lot 3 and Lot 4 of Block 19 of the Original Townsite of Sidney, located in the Northwest One-Quarter of Section 33, Township 23 North, Range 59 East, Principal Meridian Montana, City of Sidney, Richland County, Montana. Said Easement being specifically described as follows:

Beginning at a point which bears North 05° 3' 31" West a distance of 148.30 feet from the Southeast Corner of Lot 6 and said Block 19 of the Original Townsite of Sidney;  
 thence North 70°12'32" West a distance of 12.00 feet, to a point on the east line of the Lease Area;  
 thence North 19°47'28" East along the east line of the Lease Area, a distance of 7.00 feet to the Northeast Corner of the Lease Area,  
 thence North 70°12'32" West along the north line of the Lease Area, a distance of 38.00 feet to the Northwest Corner of the Lease Area;  
 thence North 70°12'32" West a distance of 27.00 feet, to the east line of a 20.00 foot wide alley ROW,  
 thence North 19°47'28" East along the alley ROW, a distance of 8.00 feet;  
 thence South 70°12'32" East, a distance of 77.00 feet,  
 thence South 19°47'28" West, a distance of 15.00 feet to the point of beginning.

**EXHIBIT "A"**  
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**DESCRIPTION OF PREMISES**



ACCESS & UTILITY EASEMENT  
SCALE: 1" = 30'

**ACCESS & UTILITY EASEMENT LEGAL DESCRIPTION LESSEE/MT4 SUNRISE:**

The following is a description of the centerline of a twenty foot wide (20.00') Access & Utility Easement situated within Lot 4 and Lot 5 of Block 19 of the Original Townsite of Sidney, located in the Northwest One-Quarter of Section 33, Township 23 North, Range 59 East, Principal Meridian Montana, City of Sidney, Richland County, Montana. Said Easement Centerline being specifically described as follows:

Beginning at a point which bears North 18°52'13" West a distance of 119.59 feet from the Southeast Corner of Lot 6 and said Block 19 of the Original Townsite of Sidney, thence North 70°12'32" West a distance of 65.00 feet, to a point on the west line of said Lot 5 of Block 19 of the Original Townsite of Sidney, said point bears South 89°28'05" a distance of 28.79 feet from the Southwest Corner of the Lease Site.