

# A G E N D A CITY OF WAUPUN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Waupun City Hall (201 E. Main Street, Waupun WI) or Zoom

Tuesday, December 28, 2021 at 4:30 PM

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#### **CALL TO ORDER**

#### **ROLL CALL**

**PUBLIC COMMENT** -- State name, address, and subject of comments. (2 Minutes)

#### **CONSIDERATION - ACTION**

- Approval of Agenda/Motion to Deviate
- 2. Approval of November 30, 2021 Economic Development Committee Open Session Minutes
- 3. Approval of November 30, 2021 Economic Development Committee Closed Session Minutes
- 4. US Cellular Contract Extension

#### **ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION**

The Waupun Common Council will adjourn in closed session under Section 19.85 (1) of the WI Statutes for: (e) Deliberating or negotiating the purchasing of public properties, the investing of public funds, or conducting other specified public business, whenever competitive or bargaining reasons require a closed session.

- 5. Investing Public Funds in Waupun Industrial Park
- 6. Negotiating on City Owned Land in TID 7

#### **RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION**

The Economic Development Committee will reconvene in open session under Section 19.85(2) of the WI Statutes.

#### **ACTION FROM CLOSED SESSION**

#### **ADVANCED PLANNING**

- 7. Potential Agenda Items
- 8. Date of Next Scheduled Meeting January 25, 2022 at 4:30 p.m.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

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### **MINUTES** CITY OF WAUPUN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT **COMMITTEE MEETING**

Video, Teleconference, and In Person (Waupun City Hall-201 E. Main Street, Waupun WI) Tuesday, November 30, 2021 at 4:30 p.m.

Committee Members Present: Rohn Bishop ......City Council Jim Cleveland ......Envision Great Fond du Lac Pete Kaczmarski ..... City Council ......Mayor

Jason Westphal .......City Council

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Staff Present:	
Jeff Daane	Public Works Director
Michelle Kast	Finance Director
Kathy Schlieve	Administrator
	en Community & Economic Development Coordinator
Dan VandeZan	deCity Attorney

#### **CALL TO ORDER:**

Mr. Kaczmarski called the meeting of the Economic Development Committee meeting to order at 4:32 p.m.

#### **ROLL CALL OF BOARD MEMBERS:**

Roll call and quorum determined.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT:**

None.

Mr. Brooks arrived at 4:33 p.m.

#### CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE FOLLOWING AGENDA ITEMS:

1. Approval of Agenda/Motion to Deviate

A motion to approve the agenda was made by Mr. Westphal and seconded by Mayor Nickel, passing unanimously.

2. Approval of September 28, 2021 Economic Development Committee Minutes

A motion to approve the September 28, 2021 Economic Development Committee minutes was made by Mr. Westphal and seconded by Mayor Nickel, passing unanimously.

3. Approval of September 28, 2021 Economic Development Committee Closed Session Minutes A motion to approve the September 28, 2021 Economic Development Committee Closed Session minutes was made by Mr. Westphal and seconded by Mayor Nickel, passing unanimously.

#### **ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION:**

A motion was made by Mayor Nickel and seconded by Mr. Westphal to adjourn into closed session under Section 19.85 (1) of the WI Statutes for:

- (e) Deliberating or negotiating the purchasing of public properties, the investing of public funds, or conducting other specified public business, whenever competitive or bargaining reasons require a closed session. Motion was unanimously approved.
  - 4. Investing Public Funds in Waupun Industrial Park
  - 5. Investing Public Funds at 103 Gateway Drive
  - 6. Investing Public Funds in TID 3 at 417 E. Main
  - 7. Investing Public Funds in TID 6 at 520 McKinley Street

Item 2.

#### **RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION**

A motion was made by Mayor Nickel and seconded by Mr. Westphal to reconvene in open session under Section 19.85(2) of the WI Statutes. Motion unanimously approved.

#### ACTION FROM CLOSED SESSION

None

#### **ADVANCED PLANNING:**

#### 8. Potential Agenda Items

• Will be determined, as needed.

#### 9. Date of Next Scheduled Meeting

The next meeting will be December 28, 2021 at 4:30 p.m. Due to the pace of opportunities presented, the members are willing to be flexible with future meeting dates and times.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Westphal and seconded by Mayor Nickel, passing unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 6:03 p.m.



## **AGENDA SUMMARY SHEET**

MEETING DATE: 12/28/21 TITLE: US Cellular Contract Extension

**AGENDA SECTION:** Discussion/Action

**PRESENTER:** Kathy Schlieve, City Administrator

DEPARMTENT GOAL(S) SUPPORTED (if applicable)	FISCAL IMPACT	
Economic Vitality	TBD	

US Cellular currently holds a lease agreement for land in the Waupun Industrial Park that will expire in 2024. The company is seeking five-year contract extension of the current agreement, that contains clause to renew for up to five consecutive five-year terms.

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

Draft contract renewal from US Cellular

#### **RECOMMENDED MOTION:**

Motion to either recommend for further negotiation and/or to Common Council for approval.

#### **GROUND LEASE**

This Ground Lease ("Lease") is made and entered into by and between City of Waupun, Attention: Office of Clerk, having an address at 201 E. Main Street, Waupun, Wisconsin 53963, hereinafter referred to as "Landlord," and United States Cellular Operating Company LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, having an address at Attention: Real Estate Lease Administration, 8410 West Bryn Mawr Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60631, hereinafter referred to as "Tenant."

WHEREAS, Landlord is the fee owner of property with an address of 1208 Moorman Drive located in the City of Waupun, County of Dodge, State of Wisconsin legally described in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated by reference (the "Landlord's Parcel").

WHEREAS, Tenant desires to occupy, and Landlord is willing to provide Tenant such Premises (as hereinafter defined) on the Landlord's Parcel for Tenant's use, as set forth in this Lease.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises, conditions, and other good and valuable consideration of the parties hereto, it is covenanted and agreed as follows:

#### 1. Demise of Premises.

Landlord hereby lets and demises unto Tenant, and Tenant hereby receives and accepts from Landlord the following described parcel (the "Leasehold Parcel"):

Approximate dimensions: 0.773 Acres

Approximate square footage: 243,153

Legal descriptions of the Landlord's Parcel and the Tenant's Premises are attached hereto as Exhibit A and a Site Plan of the Leasehold Parcel is attached to the lease as Exhibit B.

- 2. Grant of Easements. Landlord hereby grants to Tenant an access and utility easement twenty (20) feet in width from the Leasehold Parcel to the nearest accessible public right-of-way and to the nearest suitable utility company-approved service connection points (the "Easement"); the land underlying the Easement is referred to herein as the "Easement Parcel," which Easement Parcel are further described in Exhibits "A" & "B" attached hereto and incorporated herein). The Easement granted herein shall include, but not be limited to,
  - a. The right to clear vegetation, cut timber, and move earthen materials upon the Easement Parcel,
  - b. The right to improve an access road within the Easement Parcel,
  - c. The right to place use, repair, replace, modify and upgrade utility lines and related infrastructure and equipment within the Easement Parcel,
  - d. The right to enter and temporarily rest upon Landlord's adjacent lands for the purposes of

(i) Installing, repairing, replacing and removing the Improvements (as defined below) and any other personal property of Tenant from the Leasehold Parcel and

- (ii) Improving the Easement Parcel, including the right to bring in and use all necessary tools and machinery, and
- e. The right of pedestrian and vehicular ingress and egress to and from the Leasehold Parcel at any time over and upon the Easement Parcel. The Leasehold Parcel and the Easement Parcel are collectively referred to herein as the "Premises." Landlord agrees to make such additional direct grants of easement, such grants not to be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed, as Tenant may request in order to further the purposes for which Tenant has been granted the easements set forth in this Section 2.
- 3. <u>Use of the Premises</u>. Tenant shall be entitled to use the Premises to construct, operate, modify as necessary, and maintain thereon a communications antenna tower (including aviation hazard lights when required), an access road, one or more equipment buildings, back-up power devices and a security fence, together with all necessary lines, anchors, connections, devices, legally required signage and equipment for the transmission, reception, encryption, and translation of voice and data signals by means of radio frequency energy and landline carriage (collectively, the "Improvements"); Tenant's use described in this Section 3 is hereinafter referred to as the ("Permitted Use"). Tenant shall have unlimited access to the Premises 24 hours per day, 7 days a week.
- 4. <u>Term of Lease</u>. The initial Lease term will be five (5) years (the "Initial Term"), commencing upon March 1, 2024 (the "Commencement Date") and terminating at midnight on the day in which the fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) anniversary of the Commencement Date falls.
- 5. Option to Renew. The Initial Term of this Lease shall automatically extend for up to five (5) additional terms of five (5) years each (each, a "Renewal Term"), upon a continuation of all the same provisions hereof, unless Tenant gives Landlord written notice of Tenant's intention to terminate the Lease at least sixty (60) days before the expiration of the Initial Term or any Renewal Term.
- 6. Option to Terminate. Tenant shall have the unilateral right to terminate this Lease at any time by giving Landlord written notice of the date of such termination ("Termination Date"). The Indemnification obligations of each party contained in Section 12 and Tenant's requirement to remove improvements as provided in Section 20 shall survive termination of the Lease.
- 7. Rent. Tenant shall pay Rent to Landlord in the amount of Seven Thousand Six Hundred and Ninety-five and 13/100 Dollars (\$7,695.13) per year, the first payment of which shall be due within thirty (30) days of the Commencement Date, and installments thereafter at the first of each year, provided that Landlord shall submit to Tenant a complete and accurate IRS form W9 prior to Tenant's first payment of Rent. Landlord shall specify the name, address, and taxpayer identification number of a sole payee (or maximum two joint payees) who shall receive Rent on behalf of the Landlord. Rent will be prorated for any partial month. Any change to the Payee must be requested in accordance with the Notice provision herein, and a new IRS form W9 must be supplied prior to payment by Tenant to the new Payee.

8. <u>Adjusted Rent</u>. At the beginning of each Renewal Term throughout the duration of the Lease as renewed and extended, the Rent shall be increased by ten percent (10%) over the previous term's Rent.

- 9. <u>Utilities</u>. Tenant shall solely and independently be responsible for all costs of providing utilities to the Premises, including the separate metering, billing, and payment of utility services consumed by Tenant's operations. The word "utilities" shall mean any service that is necessary for the Tenant to conduct its operations on the Premises and "utility services" shall mean any provider who provides utility services or utility related infrastructure so that the Tenant can conduct its Permitted Use on the Premises.
- 10. Property Taxes. Landlord shall pay prior to delinquency any real estate taxes attributable to Landlord's Parcel. Tenant shall pay prior to delinquency any personal property taxes levied against Tenant's Improvements. Tenant shall pay to Landlord upon Landlord's demand, any increase in real property taxes levied against Landlord's Parcel which is attributable to Tenant's use or Improvements, provided that Landlord agrees to furnish reasonable documentation of such increase to Tenant. Furthermore, Landlord agrees to give timely notice to Tenant in the event it is notified of an assessment valuation change, or a change in property status. Landlord agrees that Tenant shall have the right to appeal any such change in status or any increase in real estate assessment for the Leasehold Parcel or Tenant's Improvements, and Landlord will reasonably cooperate, but at no cost to Landlord, with any such appeal by Tenant. Tenant shall only be responsible for property tax reimbursements requested by Landlord within one (1) year of payment of such property taxes by Landlord. Landlord's requests to Tenant for reimbursement of such property taxes should be addressed to:

U. S. Cellular Attention: Waupun/786314 P.O. Box 31369 Chicago, IL 60631-0369

In order to ensure that Tenant's leasehold interest is not extinguished in the event that the real property taxes related to Landlord's Parcel become delinquent, Tenant shall have the right, but not the obligation, to pay delinquent real property taxes related to Landlord's Parcel. Tenant shall be entitled to take a credit against the Rent under this lease for any such taxes paid by Tenant that exceed Tenant's proportionate share thereof.

- 11. <u>Repairs and Maintenance</u>. Tenant shall be responsible for all repairs and maintenance of the Improvements, including, if applicable, snow removal if Tenant has exclusive control over its access road, and may at its own expense alter or modify the Improvements to suit its needs consistent with the intended use of the Premises. Landlord will maintain the areas surrounding Tenant's Premises. Landlord's maintenance shall include, but is not limited to, if applicable, snow removal if all of or part of the Access Easement is shared between the parties.
- 12. Mutual Indemnification.

a. To the extent permitted by law, Tenant agrees to defend, indemnify and save harmless Landlord from and against all claims, losses, costs, expenses, or damages from a third party, arising from

- (i) The negligence or willful misconduct of Tenant, or its agents, employees, or contractors; or
- (ii) Any material breach by Tenant of any provision of this Lease. This indemnity and hold harmless agreement will include indemnity against all reasonable costs, expenses, and liabilities incurred in or in connection with any such claim, and the defense thereof. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Tenant will have no liability to Landlord to the extent any claims, losses, costs, expenses, or damages arise out of or result from any act, omission, or negligence of Landlord, or of Landlord's agents, employees or contractors.
- b. To the extent permitted by law, Landlord agrees to defend, indemnify and save harmless Tenant from and against all claims, losses, costs, expenses, or damages from a third party, arising from
  - (i) The negligence or willful misconduct of Landlord or its agents, employees, or contractors; or
  - (ii) Any material breach by Landlord of any provision of this Lease. This indemnity and hold harmless agreement will include indemnity against all reasonable costs, expenses, and liabilities incurred in or in connection with any such claim, and the defense thereof. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Landlord will have no liability to Tenant to the extent any claims, losses, costs, expenses, or damages arise out of or result from any act, omission, or negligence of Tenant, or of Tenant's, agents, employees or contractors.

#### 13. Insurance.

- a. Tenant shall maintain commercial general liability insurance insuring against liability for bodily injury, death or damage to personal property with combined single limits of One Million and No/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000). In addition, Tenant shall maintain worker's compensation in statutory amounts, employer's liability insurance with combined single limits of One Million and No/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000); automobile liability insurance insuring against claims for bodily injury or property damage with combined single limits of One Million and No/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000); and all risk property insurance covering all personal property of Tenant for full replacement value. Tenant shall provide Landlord with evidence of such insurance in the form of a certificate of insurance prior to obtaining occupancy of the Premises and throughout the term of this Lease or any Renewal Term.
- b. Landlord shall maintain general liability insurance insuring against liability for bodily injury, death or damage to personal property with combined single limits of One Million and No/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000). In addition, to the extent required by law, Landlord shall maintain worker's compensation in statutory amounts and employer's liability insurance with combined single limits of One Million and No/100 Dollars

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(\$1,000,000). Landlord shall provide Tenant with evidence of such insurance in the form of a certificate of insurance prior to Tenant obtaining occupancy and throughout the term of this Lease or any Renewal Term.

- 14. <u>Default</u>. Tenant shall be in default of this Lease if Tenant fails to make a payment of rent when due and such failure continues for fifteen (15) days after Landlord notifies Tenant in writing of such failure. If Landlord or Tenant fails to comply with any non-monetary provision of this Lease, the other party shall serve written notice of such failure upon the defaulting party, whereupon a grace period of thirty (30) days shall commence to run during which the defaulting party shall undertake and diligently pursue a cure of such failure at its sole cost and expense. Such grace period shall automatically be extended for an additional thirty (30) days, provided the defaulting party makes a good faith showing that efforts toward a cure are continuing.
- 15. <u>Compliance with Laws</u>. Tenant shall, at Tenant's cost and expense, comply with all federal, state, county or local laws, rules, regulations and ordinances now or hereafter enacted by any governmental authority or administrative agency having jurisdiction over the Premises and Tenant's operations thereupon.
- 16. <u>Assignment of Lease by Tenant</u>. This Lease shall be freely assignable by the Tenant to any other party without the necessity of obtaining Landlord's consent. Tenant's right to effect an outright transfer of the Lease, and the right of any collateral assignee to seize the Premises as defaulted security, is subject only to the limitation that the Premises shall be used for the purposes permitted herein. Tenant shall notify Landlord in writing of the name and address of any assignee or collateral assignee.
- 17. <u>Subleasing</u>. Tenant shall have the unreserved and unqualified right to sublet or license all or any portion of the Premises to subtenants without the necessity of obtaining Landlord's consent.
- 18. Right of First Refusal. Tenant (or its successor in interest, assignee or designee) shall have a right of first refusal ("Right of First Refusal") to purchase (a) all or any part of the fee ownership of the Premises; (b) any easement rights in or over all or any part of the Premises; (c) all or any part of Landlord's interest in or rights under this Lease, including, without limitation, the right to collect rents, or (d) any other legally recognizable interest in the Premises that Landlord may seek to transfer (each, "Landlord's Interest") whenever Landlord receives a bona fide offer from an unrelated third party to purchase, directly or indirectly, all or any part of Landlord's Interest that Landlord desires to accept ("Offer"). If the Offer is part of a larger transaction, including, without limitation, involving Landlord's Parcel, equity of Landlord or a larger package of assets which includes the Landlord's Interest, Landlord shall make a good faith estimate of the portion of such larger offer price attributable to the Landlord's Interest and provide that price to Tenant. Prior to accepting such Offer, Landlord shall give Tenant a copy of the Offer and other relevant documents, including the price and the terms and conditions upon which Landlord proposes to transfer Landlord's Interest (collectively, the "Right of First Refusal Notice"). Tenant shall have forty-five (45) days from the receipt of such notice to agree to purchase Landlord's Interest for the price and upon the terms and conditions specified in the Offer ("Tenant Approval Period").

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If Tenant elects to so purchase Landlord's Interest, Tenant shall give to Landlord written notice thereof within said Tenant Approval Period ("Acceptance Notice"). If Tenant delivers an Acceptance Notice as provided herein, then Landlord and Tenant shall enter into a mutually acceptable purchase and sale agreement pertaining to such Landlord's Interest (the "Purchase and Sale Agreement"), reflecting the terms of the Offer, as well as other customary covenants, representations and warranties contained in purchase and sale agreements for similar acquisitions in the metropolitan area in which the Premises is located. The parties agree to act reasonably and cooperatively in negotiating, executing and delivering the Purchase and Sale Agreement. Except as otherwise specified in the Offer, at the closing for the sale of all or any part of the Premises, Landlord shall deliver to Tenant a special warranty deed (or local equivalent), sufficient to convey to Tenant fee simple title. In the case of an assignment of the Lease or the grant of an easement, Landlord shall instead deliver to Tenant a customary assignment of the Lease or a customary easement.

If Tenant does not exercise the Right of First Refusal during the Tenant Approval Period, then Landlord may proceed to transfer Landlord's Interest upon the same terms and conditions set forth in the Offer; provided such transfer occurs within three (3) months following the end of the Tenant Approval Period, the transfer is made in accordance with all the other terms and conditions of this Lease, and such purchaser assumes the obligations of Landlord under this Lease including, without limitation, this Right of First Refusal which shall be an ongoing Right of First Refusal during the lease term. If Landlord has not transferred Landlord's Interest within such three (3) month period, or in the event any terms or conditions of the proposed deal change from the terms and conditions provided in the initial Right of First Refusal Notice, then Landlord shall not thereafter transfer Landlord's Interest to an unrelated third party without first renewing the Right of First Refusal Notice to Tenant in the manner provided above. Tenant's failure to exercise its Right of First Refusal or its express waiver of its Right of First Refusal in any instance shall not be deemed a waiver of Tenant's Right of First Refusal for subsequent instances when Landlord proposes to transfer Landlord's Interest to an unrelated third party during the lease term. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Landlord's right to sell all or any part of the Premises to a third party shall not be encumbered or restricted, except to the extent set forth in this Section.

19. Execution of Other Instruments. Landlord agrees to execute, acknowledge, and deliver to Tenant such other instruments respecting the Premises as Tenant or Tenant's lender may reasonably request from time to time. Such instruments may include, but are not limited to, a memorandum of lease that may be recorded in the appropriate local land records. Landlord also agrees to cooperate with Tenant's efforts to obtain all private and public consents related to Tenant's use of the Premises, including, but not limited to zoning and permitting applications. If it is needed for the Tenant's permitting purposes, Landlord grants to Tenant and its employees, representatives, agents, and consultants a limited power of attorney to prepare execute, submit, file and present on behalf of Landlord building, permitting, zoning, or land-use applications with appropriate local, state, and/or federal agencies necessary to obtain land use changes, special exceptions, zoning variances, conditional use permits, special use permits, administrative permits, construction permits, and or building permits.

20. <u>Removal of Improvements</u>. The Improvements are agreed to be Tenant's personal property and shall never be considered fixtures to the Premises. Tenant shall at all times be authorized to remove the Improvements from the Premises. Upon the expiration or earlier termination of this Lease, Tenant shall remove the above ground improvements from the Premises. Tenant shall be entitled to abandon, in place, all footings, foundations and other

21. <u>Quiet Enjoyment</u>. Landlord covenants that Tenant shall have quiet and peaceable possession of the Premises throughout the Initial Lease Term and any Renewal Term, if any, as the case may be, and that Landlord will not intentionally disturb Tenant's enjoyment thereof as long as Tenant is not in default under this Lease.

below ground improvements.

- 22. <u>Title, Access and Authority</u>. Landlord covenants and warrants to Tenant that Landlord presently owns a legally defined interest in and to Landlord's Parcel; that the Premises are served by legal access from a public way; that Landlord is duly authorized and empowered to enter into this Lease; and that the person executing this Lease on behalf of the Landlord warrants himself to be duly authorized to bind the Landlord hereto.
- 23. <u>Subordination and Non-Disturbance</u>. Tenant agrees to subordinate this Lease to any mortgage or trust deed which may hereafter be placed on the Premises, provided the mortgagee or trustee thereunder shall ensure to Tenant the right to possession of the Premises and other rights granted to Tenant herein so long as Tenant is not in default beyond any applicable grace or cure period, such assurance to be in writing and otherwise in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Tenant. If requested by Tenant, Landlord agrees to use Landlord's best efforts to assist Tenant in obtaining from any holder of a security interest in Landlord's Parcel a non-disturbance agreement in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Tenant.
- 24. Environmental Warranty. Landlord hereby represents and warrants to Tenant that Landlord has never generated, stored, handled, or disposed of any hazardous waste or hazardous substance upon the Premises, and that Landlord has no knowledge of such uses historically having been made of the Premises or such substances historically having been introduced thereon. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Landlord agrees to protect, indemnify and hold harmless Tenant from and against any claims or losses arising out or related to the presence or release of any hazardous substances at, on or beneath the Premises, whether existing prior to the date hereof or migrating onto the Premises during any portion of the Term, except to the extent caused by a spill or release of hazardous substances specifically brought on the Premises by or for the benefit of Tenant after the Commencement Date.
- 25. Notices. Any notice, request or demand required or permitted to be given pursuant to this Lease shall be in writing and shall be deemed sufficiently given if delivered by messenger at the address of the intended recipient, sent prepaid by Federal Express (or a comparable guaranteed overnight delivery service), or deposited in the United States first class mail (registered or certified, postage prepaid, with return receipt requested), addressed to the intended recipient at the address set forth below or at such other address as the intended recipient may have specified by written notice to the sender in accordance with the requirements of this paragraph. Any such notice, request, or demand so given shall be deemed given on the day it is delivered by messenger at the specified address, on the day

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after deposit with an overnight delivery service), on the date the receipt is refused, or on the day that is five (5) days after deposit in the United States mail, as the case may be.

TENANT: United States Cellular Operating Company, LLC

Attention: Real Estate Lease Administration

8410 West Bryn Mawr Avenue

Chicago, Illinois 60631 Phone: 1-866-573-4544

LANDLORD: City of Waupun

Office of Clerk 201 E. Main Street

Waupun, Wisconsin 53963 Phone: 920-324-7900

- 26. Contingencies. Tenant shall have the right to terminate this Lease upon written notice to Landlord, relieving both parties of all further obligations hereunder, if Tenant, acting reasonably and in good faith, shall be unable to obtain any or all licenses or permits required to construct its intended improvements upon the Premises or conduct Tenant's business at the Premises at any time during the Term; if Tenant's technical reports fails to establish to Tenant's satisfaction that the Premises are capable of being suitably engineered to accomplish Tenant's intended use of the Premises; if the Premises are taken by eminent domain by a governmental entity or a title commitment or report obtained by Tenant with respect to the Premises shows as exceptions any encumbrances or restrictions which would, in Tenant's opinion, interfere with Tenant's intended use of the Premises.
- 27. Attorneys' Fees. In any action on this Lease at law or in equity, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the other party the reasonable costs incurred by such party in such action, including reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of appeal.
- 28. Governing Law. This Lease will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State in which the Premises is located.
- 29. Binding Effect. All of the covenants, conditions, and provisions of this Lease shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.
- 30. Entire Agreement; Waiver. This Lease constitutes the entire agreement of the parties, and may not be modified except in writing signed by the party against whom such modification is sought to be enforced. No waiver at any time of any of the provisions of the Lease will be effective unless in writing. A waiver on one occasion will not be deemed to be a waiver at any subsequent time.
- 31. Modifications. This Lease may not be modified, except in writing signed by both parties.
- 32. Recording. Each party, on request of the other, agrees to execute a short form lease in recordable form and complying with applicable laws and reasonably satisfactory to both parties, which will be recorded in the appropriate public records.

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33. <u>Holdover</u>. In the event Tenant remains in possession of the Premises after the expiration of this Lease, this Lease will become a year to year tenancy, that can be terminated by either Landlord or Tenant with thirty (30) day notice before the end of the first year to year tenancy. Tenant shall pay, as Rent, during such holdover, a rent equal to one hundred-ten percent (110%) of the Rent payable immediately prior to the expiration or earlier Termination Date of this Lease. Except as otherwise provided for herein, all other covenants and conditions of this Lease shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect. Provided that the Landlord and Tenant are diligently working on the renewal and/or extension of the Lease, the increase in the Rent shall not be applied for any period after the expiration of the Lease.

- 34. <u>Headings</u>. The section headings throughout this instrument are for convenience and reference only, and are not to be used to explain, modify, amplify or aid in the interpretation, construction or meaning of the provisions of this Lease.
- 35. <u>Invalidity of Particular Provision</u>. If any term or provision of this Lease, or the application of such term or provision to any person or circumstance, to any extent, is invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Lease, or the application of such term or provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is invalid or unenforceable, will not be affected and each term and provision of this Lease will be valid and be enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.
- 36. <u>Remedies.</u> The parties shall be entitled to the application of all appropriate remedies available to them under state and federal law in the enforcement of this Lease.
- 37. <u>Errors and Omissions.</u> Landlord and Tenant agree as part of the basis of their bargain for this Ground Lease to cooperate fully in executing any and all documents (including amendments to this Ground Lease) necessary to correct any factual or legal errors, omissions, or mistakes, and to take any and all additional action, that may be necessary or appropriate to give full force and effect to the terms and intent of this Ground Lease.
- 38. <u>Non-Binding Until Full Execution</u>. Both parties agree that this Lease is not binding on either party until both parties execute the Lease.
- 39. <u>Electronic Reproductions</u>. The Parties agree that a scanned or electronically reproduced copy or image of this Lease, as executed, shall be deemed an original and may be introduced or submitted in any action or proceeding as competent evidence of such agreement, notwithstanding the failure or inability of either party to produce or tender an original executed counterpart.

[END OF LEASE - SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

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## SIGNATURE PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto bind themselves to this Ground Lease as of the date of full execution of this Ground Lease.

LANDLORD: City of Waupun	TENANT: United States Cellular Operating Company, LLC
By:	By:
Printed:	Printed:
Title:	Title: Vice President
Date:	Date:

[NOTARY PAGE TO FOLLOW]

STATE OF WISCONSIN	)
COUNTY OF	) _ )
I, the undersigned, a notary public certify that, known to the foregoing Ground Lease, appeared by	in and for the State and County aforesaid, do hereby to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed before me this day in person acknowledged that he/she bluntary act for the uses and purposes therein stated.
Given under my hand and seal this	day of, 20
$\overline{N}$	Jotary Public
M	My commission expires
STATE OF ILLINOIS	) )
COUNTY OF COOK	)
Depending Company LLC, known to me to Coregoing Ground Lease, appeared before 1	in and for the State and County aforesaid, do hereby, Vice President for United States Cellular be the same person whose name is subscribed to the me this day in person and acknowledged that, pursuant as his free and voluntary act on behalf of the named tated.
Given under my hand and seal this	day of, 20
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## Exhibit A

Legal Descriptions

## Exhibit B

Site Plan

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## MEMORANDUM OF GROUND LEASE

Document Number

THIS MEMORANDUM OF GROUND LEASE is made and entered				
into as of the day of, 20, by and between City of				
Waupun, Office of Clerk, whose address is 201 E. Main Street, Waupun,				
Wisconsin 53963, hereinafter referred to as "Landlord", and United States				
Cellular Operating Company LLC a Delaware limited liability company,				
whose address is Attention: Real Estate Lease Administration, 8410 West				
Bryn Mawr Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, 60631, hereinafter referred to as				
"Tenant."				

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, by the terms of a certain Ground Lease entered into as of \_\_\_\_\_\_, (the "Lease"), the Landlord leased to the Tenant that certain Premises (as defined in the Lease), that are a portion of the property being more particularly bounded and described as set forth in Exhibit "A", attached hereto and made a part hereof (the "Property").

Recording Area

Name and Return Address: United States Cellular Operating Company LLC 8410 W. Bryn Mawr Ave. Chicago, IL 60631

Site Name/Number: Waupun/786314

This is not a Real Estate conveyance. No transfer tax is required under Wis. Statutes 77.21 & 77.22. This is a lease for less than 99 years.

Parcel Identification Number (PIN): 29213150813000

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the sum of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Landlord and Tenant hereby amend the Lease upon the terms and conditions of the Lease, which is incorporated herein by specific reference, and do agree as follows:

- 1. Landlord and Tenant have entered into a previous lease that commenced on March 1, 1994 and will expire on February 29, 2024. The parties entered into the aforementioned Lease to continue their relationship.
- 2. The Lease will commence on March 1, 2024 and will run for an initial lease term of five (5) years. The Lease provides for five (5) successive five (5) year renewal terms upon the terms and conditions more particularly as set forth in the Lease.
- 3. Landlord also makes certain grants of easement for access and utilities, as more particularly described on the attached Exhibit A, which easements are in effect throughout the term of the Lease as renewed or extended, subject to terms and conditions as set forth in the Lease.
- 4. Tenant (or its assignee or designee) shall have a right of first refusal to purchase one or more of the following interests, (a) fee ownership of all or any part of the Premises; (b) any easement rights in or over all or any part of the Premises; or (c) all or any part of Landlord's interest in or rights under the Lease (each, "Landlord's Interest") whenever Landlord receives a bona fide offer from an unrelated third party to purchase directly or indirectly, all or any part of Landlord's Interest that Landlord desires to accept in accordance with the terms and conditions more particularly set forth in the Lease.

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made part hereof by reference as if all the provisions thereof were copied in full herein. Any conflict between the provisions of the Memorandum of Lease will be resolved in favor of the Lease. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Landlord and Tenant hereto have caused this Memorandum of First Amendment to Option and Site Lease Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized officers as of the day and year first above written. LANDLORD: City of Waupun TENANT: United States Cellular Operating Company LLC By: By: Printed: Printed: Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: Vice President STATE OF WISCONSIN COUNTY OF I, the undersigned, a notary public in and for the State and County aforesaid, do hereby certify that , known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Memorandum of Ground Lease, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he/she signed the said Memorandum as his/her free and voluntary act on behalf of the named Landlord, City of Waupun, for the uses and purposes therein stated. Given under my hand and seal this day of , 20 . Notary Public My commission expires STATE OF ILLINOIS COUNTY OF COOK I, the undersigned, a notary public in and for the State and County aforesaid, do hereby certify , Vice President known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Memorandum of Ground Lease, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that, pursuant to his authority, he signed the said Memorandum as his free and voluntary act on behalf of the named Tenant, for the uses and purposes therein stated. Given under my hand and seal this day of , 20 . Notary Public My commission expires

5. This Memorandum of Leases is subject to all the terms and provisions of the Lease which is incorporated her

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## **EXHIBIT A**

Legal Description of Leasehold Parcel, Access Easement, and Utility Easement

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