

Development Review Committee 1020 East Pioneer Road Draper, UT 84020

STAFF REPORT

February 22, 2022

To: Jennifer Jastremsky, Zoning Administrator

Approved Date

From: Jennifer Jastremsky, AICP, Planning Manager 801-576-6328, jennifer.jastremsky@draperutah.gov

Re: <u>ATT UTL02002 – Permitted Use Request</u>

Application No.:	USE-7-2022
Applicant:	Cierra House, representing Smart Link Group
Project Location:	Approximately 1111 E Draper Parkway
Current Zoning:	CC (Community Commercial) Zone
Acreage:	Approximately 1.92 Acres (Approximately 83,635 ft ²)
Request:	Request for approval of a Permitted Use Permit in the CC zone
	regarding approval to upgrade equipment on an existing roof
	mounted wireless cell facility.

SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND

This application is a request for approval of a Permitted Use for approximately 1.92 acres located on the north side of Draper Parkway (Exhibit B), at approximately 1111 East Draper Parkway. The property is currently zoned CC. The applicant is requesting that a Permitted Use be approved to allow for the updating of antenna and equipment on an existing roof mounted wireless cell facility.

The wireless facility was approved in 2017 for Verizon. AT&T co-located on the facility shortly after it was built.



<u>ANALYSIS</u>

<u>General Plan and Zoning</u>. The Land Use Map of the General Plan calls for the Neighborhood Commercial land use designation for the subject property (Exhibit C). This category is characterized as follows:

Neighborhood Commercial

LAND USE DESCRIPTION				
CHARACTERISTICS	 Small-scale commercial land uses that serve local residents in adjacent neighborhoods Minimal impact in predominantly residential areas Well-landscaped street frontages Limited traffic access points and pedestrian access from surrounding residential areas Don't overcrowd commercial lots; i.e., require adequate setback and landscape buffers Screened parking and adequate ingress and egress to parking areas Adequate drainage Low noise standards 			
LAND USE MIX	Small-scale commercialPlanned retailOffice			
COMPATIBLE ZONING	 Neighborhood Commercial (CN) Institutional Care (IC) Commercial Services (CS) 			
LOCATION	Adjacent to neighborhoodAlong local roads			

The property has been assigned the CC zoning classification (Exhibit D). According to Draper City Municipal Code (DCMC) Section 9-8-020 the purpose of the CC zone is to *"provide areas where commercial uses may be established which are generally oriented toward local residents rather than out of town patrons. Uses typical of this zone include planned retail and office development."* The subject property abuts the CC zone on the east and west, and the CG (General Commercial) and CC zone to the south. To the north is Sandy City and an existing residential neighborhood zoned R-1-8 (Residential Single-Family District, 8,000 square foot lot minimum).

<u>Requested modifications.</u> The applicant is requesting to upgrade the existing antennas and equipment on the existing facility. The application requests that the upgrades be approved as an eligible facilities request under the Federal Spectrum Act and FCC regulations.

Electronic Code of Federal Regulations

Title 47, Chapter I, Subchapter A, Part 1, Subpart U, §1.6100

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(b) Definitions.

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- (3) Eligible facilities request. Any request for modification of an existing tower or base station that does not substantially change the physical dimensions of such tower or base station, involving:
 - (i) Collocation of new transmission equipment;
 - (ii) Removal of transmission equipment; or
 - (iii) Replacement of transmission equipment.

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- (7) Substantial change. A modification substantially changes the physical dimensions of an eligible support structure if it meets any of the following criteria:
 - (i) For towers other than towers in the public rights-of-way, it increases the height of the tower by more than 10% or by the height of one additional antenna array with separation from the nearest existing antenna not to exceed twenty feet, whichever is greater; for other eligible support structures, it increases the height of the structure by more than 10% or more than ten feet, whichever is greater;
 - (A) Changes in height should be measured from the original support structure in cases where deployments are or will be separated horizontally, such as on buildings' rooftops; in other circumstances, changes in height should be measured from the dimensions of the tower or base station, inclusive of originally approved appurtenances and any modifications that were approved prior to the passage of the Spectrum Act.
 - (ii) For towers other than towers in the public rights-of-way, it involves adding an appurtenance to the body of the tower that would protrude from the edge of the tower more than twenty feet, or more than the width of the tower structure at the level of the appurtenance, whichever is greater; for other eligible support structures, it involves adding an appurtenance to the body of the structure that would protrude from the edge of the structure by more than six feet;
 - (iii) For any eligible support structure, it involves installation of more than the standard number of new equipment cabinets for the technology involved, but not to exceed four cabinets; or, for towers in the public rights-of-way and base stations, it involves installation of any new equipment cabinets on the ground if there are no pre-existing ground cabinets associated with the structure, or else involves installation of ground cabinets that are more than 10% larger in height or overall volume than any other ground cabinets associated with the structure;
 - (iv) It entails any excavation or deployment outside of the current site, except that, for towers other than towers in the public rights-of-way, it entails any excavation or deployment of transmission equipment outside of the current site by more than



30 feet in any direction. The site boundary from which the 30 feet is measured excludes any access or utility easements currently related to the site;

- (v) It would defeat the concealment elements of the eligible support structure; or
- (vi) It does not comply with conditions associated with the siting approval of the construction or modification of the eligible support structure or base station equipment, provided however that this limitation does not apply to any modification that is non-compliant only in a manner that would not exceed the thresholds identified in §1.40001(b)(7)(i) through (iv).

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(c) Review of applications. A State or local government may not deny and shall approve any eligible facilities request for modification of an eligible support structure that does not substantially change the physical dimensions of such structure.

The existing facilities are roughly 10-feet tall and 14-feet wide, as measured from the top of the parapet wall. The proposed antenna will not increase the height or width of the structures. The specific changes being made are listed below:

Monopole work:

- Remove 3 UMTS antennas
- Remove 3 LTE antennas
- Remove 6 remote radio heads
- Install 6 newer technology antennas
- Install 6 remote radio heads
- Install associated cables

<u>Criteria for Approval.</u> The criteria for review and potential approval of a Permitted Use request is found in Section 9-5-070(E) of the DCMC. This section depicts the standard of review for such requests as:

- *E. Approval Standards: The following standards shall apply to the issuance of a permitted use permit. A permitted use shall:*
 - 1. Be allowed as a permitted use in the applicable zone;
 - 2. Conform to development standards of the applicable zone;
 - 3. Conform to applicable regulations of general applicability and regulations for specific uses set forth in this title;
 - 4. Not be located on any land classified as a primary or secondary conservation area or sensitive land area, except as expressly permitted by provisions of this title;
 - 5. Not be located in any protected area as shown on a natural resource inventory; and
 - 6. Conform to any other applicable requirements of this code.

The proposed upgrade and installation of proposed appurtenances conform generally to applicable requirements of the code under 9-5-070(E), and FCC issued regulations.



The criteria for review and approval of an Eligible facilities request are found in the Electronic Code of Federal Regulations Title 47, Chapter I, Subchapter A, Part 1, Subpart U, §1.6100, (c). This section depicts the standard of review for such requests as:

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REVIEWS

<u>Planning Division Review</u>. The Draper City Planning Division has completed their review of the Permitted Use Permit submission. Comments from this division, if any, can be found in Exhibit A.

Engineering Division Review. The Draper City Engineering Division has completed their review of the Permitted Use Permit submission. Comments from this division, if any, can be found in Exhibit A.

<u>Fire Division Review</u>. The Draper City Fire Marshal has completed his review of the Permitted Use Permit submission. Comments from this division, if any, can be found in Exhibit A.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff finds that the application meets requirements for consideration as an Eligible Facilities request under FCC regulations and applicable requirements of the DCMC and recommends that the Zoning Administrator review the request and approve the application based on the findings listed below and the criteria for approval, as listed within the staff report.

If the Zoning Administrator decides to approve the request, staff recommends they include the following condition of approval:

1. The applicant shall obtain all applicable permits from Draper City Fire, the Engineering Division, and the Building Division for this installation.



DEVELOPMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We, the undersigned, as duly appointed members of the Draper City Development Review Committee, do acknowledge that the application which provides the subject for this staff report has been reviewed by the Committee and has been found to be appropriate for review by the Draper City Planning Commission and/or City Council.

Draper City Public Works Department

Draper City Planning Division

Draper City Fire Department

Draper City Legal Counsel

Draper City Building Division

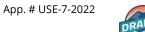


EXHIBIT A DEPARTMENT REVIEWS

REVIEWS ARE NOT MEANT TO BE AN ALL INCLUSIVE LIST OF POSSIBLE COMMENTS OR CONDITIONS.

Planning Division Review.

1. No additional comments.

<u>Fire Division Review.</u>

- 2A-10BC Fire Extinguishers required. The extinguisher needs to be a serviceable type meaning metal head and metal neck. Extinguishers need to be located in a conspicuous location where they will be readily accessible and immediately available for use. Placed on every level of the home. If in cabinet or not the extinguisher or cabinet needs to be mounted so that the top is not more than five (5) feet above the floor.
- 2. Fire Department Access is required to be maintained. Vehicles cannot park in such a way to impede fire department or emergency vehicle access.
- 3. Hazardous Material Permit A Draper City Fire Hazardous Material Permit may need to be obtained. This is for all new and existing installations.

EXHIBIT B AERIAL MAP



EXHIBIT C LAND USE MAP

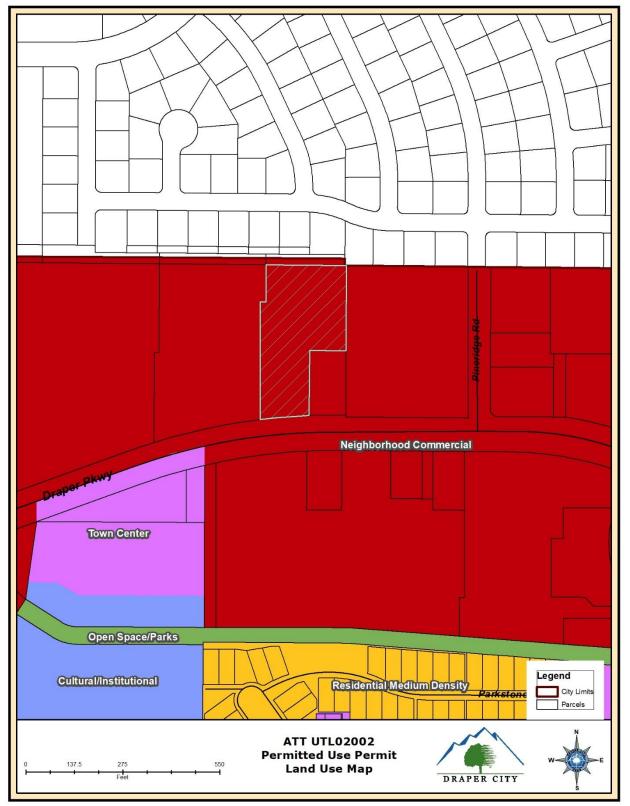


EXHIBIT D ZONING MAP

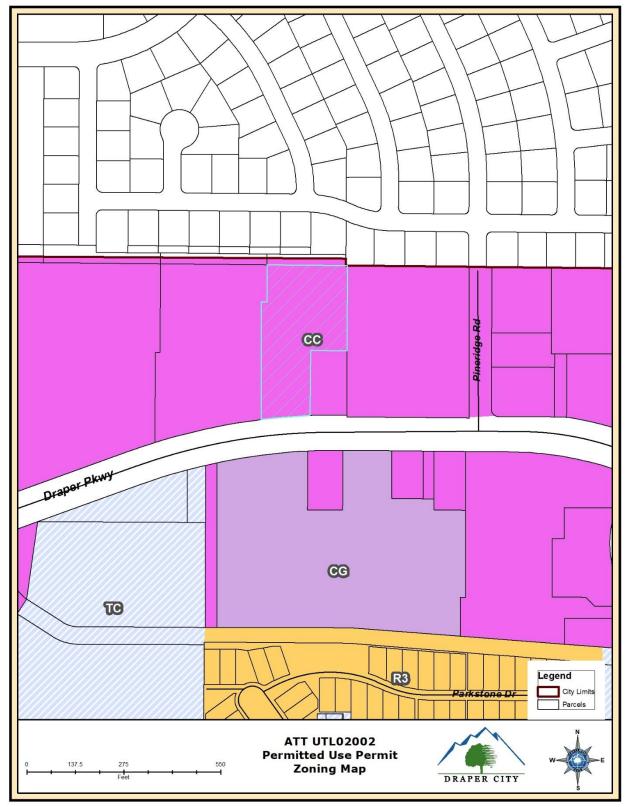
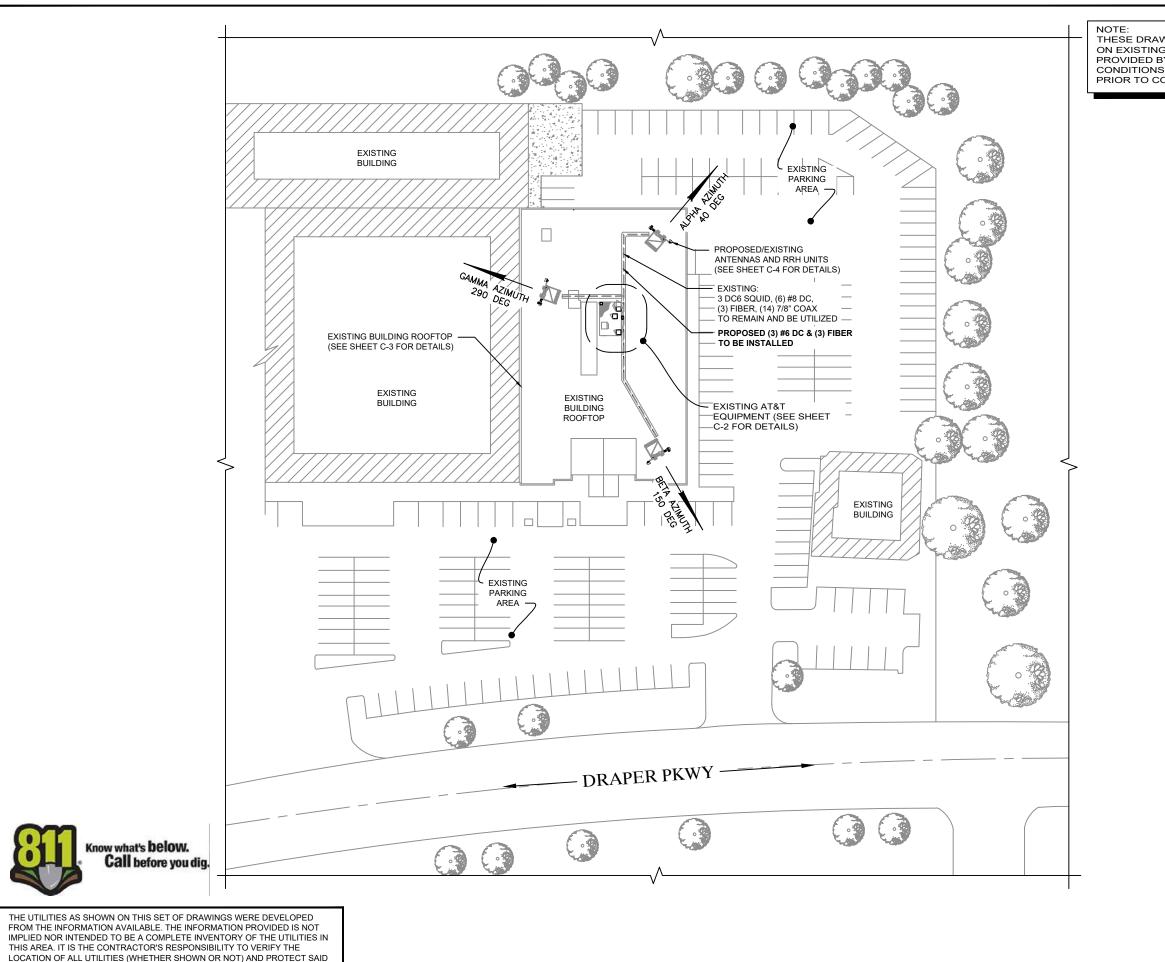


EXHIBIT E PLANS AND DRAWINGS

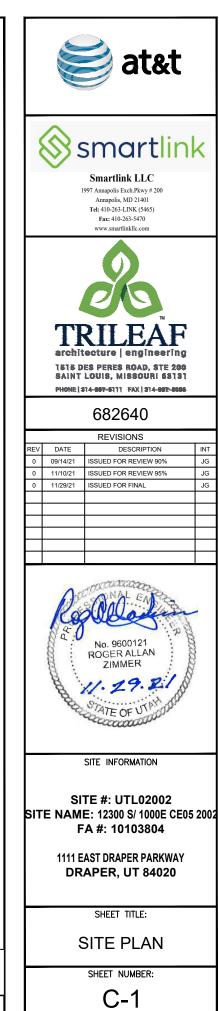


SITE PLAN

UTILITIES FROM ANY DAMAGE CAUSED BY CONTRACTOR'S ACTIVITIES.



THESE DRAWINGS WERE PREPARED BASED ON EXISTING DRAWINGS AND INFORMATION PROVIDED BY OTHERS. ALL EXISTING CONDITIONS SHOULD BE FIELD VERIFIED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.



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25'	SCALE:	1" = 25' (24x36)	1
	(OR)	1" = 50' (11x17)	I

