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To Whom It May Concern

As a Massachusetts licensed physician [active license 56364], I believe the cellular phone tower behind the Red Brook Road fire station must be erected for the safety and the medical necessity of all citizens in the southern portion of the Town of Mashpee, including the South Cape Beach area, Popponeset and New Seabury all of whom now have very spotty or no cellular phone service.

This is not optional nor something that can be put off. The elderly, children and the disabled must be able to communicate by phone at all times, especially when emergencies arise.

Presently, there is always a risk that the many people who rely on Comcast land lines may have a sudden loss of phone service in the event of storms that disrupt cable service, as what in fact happened early March of this year.

Please consider this cellular tower as mandatory for the citizens and visitors of the Town of Mashpee.

Thank you.

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