

Resolution on New Cellular Telephone Installations

Whereas the overwhelming use of Cellular Phones now requires the installation of cellular antenna and their electrical panels at an alarming rate to serve their subscribers; and

Whereas these antenna along with their electrical panels in their basic form are unsightly in residential neighborhoods, especially along sidewalks; and

Whereas the cellular companies wish to install these antenna and electrical panels on public property totally in sight of the local community.

LET IT BE RESOLVED that the West Hills Neighborhood Council urges the City of Los Angeles to require that any standalone tower placed in our community be disguised as a fir or palm tree or any other camouflage to fit the environment;

LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED that the West Hills Neighborhood Council urges the City of Los Angeles to require that any tower placed on top of a building in our community where they would be visible, be hidden by a decorative panel;

LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED that the electrical panels be disguised by color or form that fits the environment or placed away from public view underground;

LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED that it is imperative that "all" applications for future cellular sites go before the Neighborhood Council. The Council Board Members live on the streets that are affected by these applications and are the "voice" of the communities that receive the Towers and Boxes.

Respectably Submitted

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