

To: Gordon County Board of Commissioners

From: Gordon County Historic Preservation Commission

Reference: Calhoun GA-006 Telecommunications Facility, Project No. SOU12P170

Date: May 7th, 2018

A request was forwarded for review by Gordon County Historic Preservation Commission on April 23, 2018 by Environmental, Inc. for comment regarding cultural and historic impact on a proposed 250' tall cell phone tower to be placed near 220 Porch Loop (identified as Gordon County Tax Parcel GC73 & 007).

On May 7, 2018 a review of said property indicated that there were no impact to historical or cultural sites listed, and none known to be eligible for the National Register of Historic Places.

On May 7th, 2018 the HPC made the recommendation by a majority vote in favor of the Board of Commissioners to consider approve this request.

Respectfully submitted,

Ken Padgett

Chair, Gordon County Historic Preservation Commission



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April 19, 2018

Ms. Becky Hood, Chairman
Gordon County Commission
201 North Wall Street
Calhoun, GA 30701

Subject:

Calhoun GA-006 Telecommunications Facility
Calhoun, Gordon County, Georgia
Environmental, Inc. Project No.: SOU12P1710

Dear Ms. Hood:

Pursuant to the requirements of the March 2005 "Nationwide Programmatic Agreement for Review of Effects on Historic Properties for Certain Undertakings Approved by the Federal Communications Commission" (NPA) we are requesting comment on behalf of Southern Towers regarding impact to historical or cultural sites listed on, or eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) by construction of a wireless telecommunications tower in Gordon County, Georgia.

The site is depicted on the United States Geological Survey 7.5-minute Topographic Quadrangle "Calhoun South, Georgia," dated 1982. The site is located at latitude 34° 27' 59.13" north and longitude 84° 55' 15.853" west. The site consists of a proposed 100-foot by 100-foot lease area and proposed site access road to be located near 220 Porch Loop in Calhoun, Gordon County, Georgia 30701. Proposed activities consist of construction of a 250-foot (260 feet with appurtenances) lattice wireless telecommunications tower and associated compound, enclosing the compound in a fence, placement of support equipment within the compound, grading an access road, and covering the compound and access road with gravel. I have attached the portion of the USGS topographic map and recent aerial photograph depicting the site location for your review.

Environmental, Inc. appreciates the opportunity to provide this information. Please reference the Environmental, Inc. project number (SOU12P1710) in correspondence regarding this site. Please provide comment within thirty days of the date of this letter. Thank you for your time and assistance and we look forward to your response. Please call us at (205) 629-3868 or email us at towerinfo@envciv.com if you have any questions or comments. You can also send a response to us via facsimile at (877) 847-3060.

Sincerely,
ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.

Cheryl L. Johnson
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Attachments: Site Location Map, Aerial Photograph

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Figure 1
 Site Location Map





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Figure 2
Site Location Aerial

