



## DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY SERVICES

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March 15, 2005

Mr. Calvin Nelson  
Community Based Planning  
Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission  
8787 Georgia Avenue  
Silver Spring, MD 20910

Re: Relocation of Light Pole/Monopole at Blake High School.

Dear Mr. Nelson:

As you requested, this is to confirm that at its March 9, 2005 meeting, the Telecommunications Transmission Facility Coordinating Group (TTF CG) voted to recommend the alternate site selected for a T-Mobile light pole/monopole at Blake High School.

During this meeting, the County's Tower Coordinator Bob Hunnicutt reported that the T-Mobile representative had advised him that the Historical Preservation Committee and the Planning Commission had asked T-Mobile to consider a different light pole on the school property than the proposed stadium light because of the stadium's close proximity to historic property adjacent to the school property. The TTF CG's July 14, 2004 recommendation for this application to replace the stadium light pole with a 140' monopole was conditioned on approval by the Historical Preservation Committee. Mr. Hunnicutt advised us that the new location (to the south and west of the original site proposed) is approximately 1,000' from the nearest residence, and that the site would be screened from the nearest residential areas by a line of tall trees. The selection of the new site also resulted in a lower height of the monopole (from 140' to 122'), thereby minimizing the visual impact of the facility to the surrounding community. The TTF CG voted in agreement with the alternate site.

Once the minutes for the March meeting are approved at the TTF CG's April meeting, copies will be forwarded to you for your records.



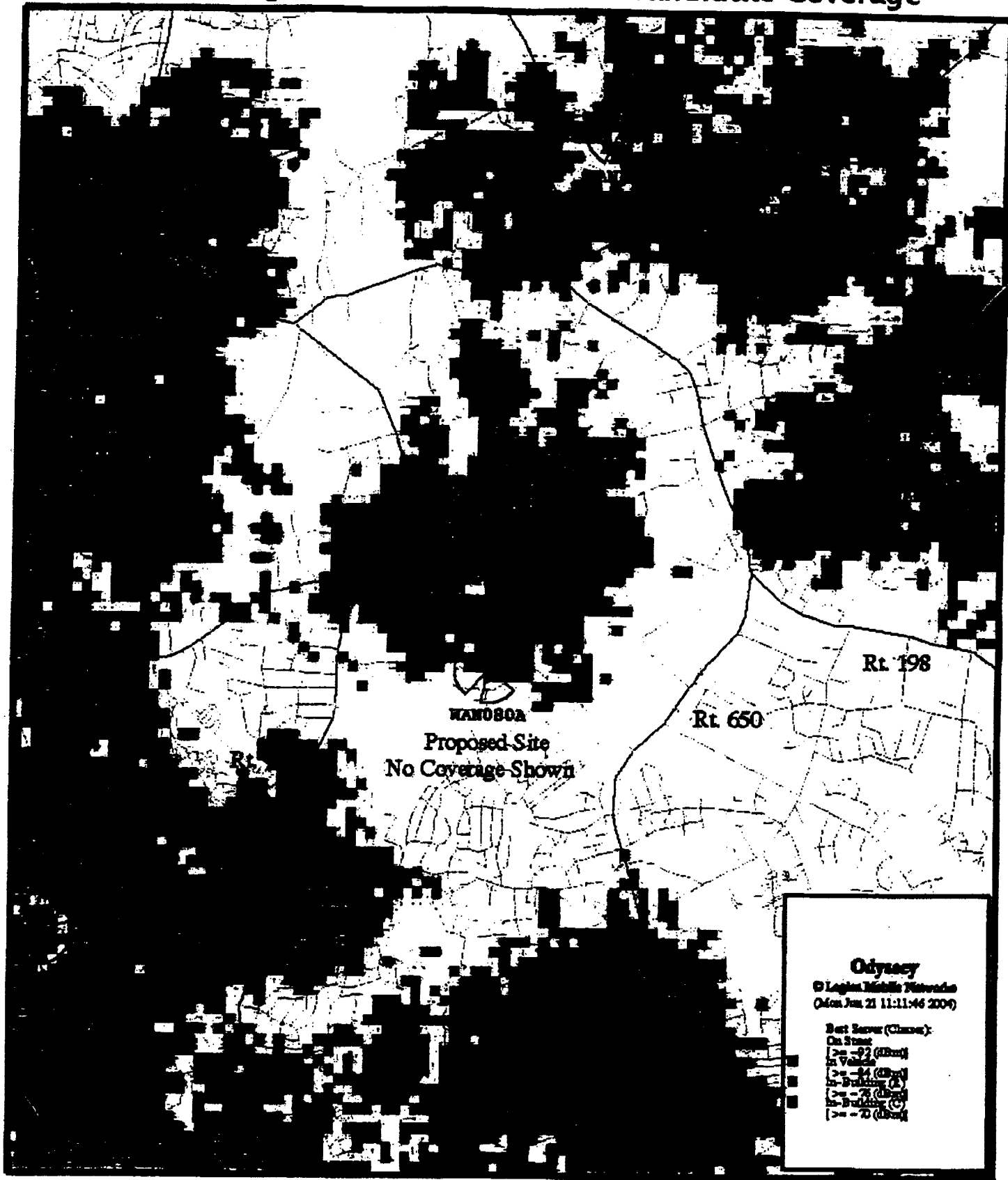
Sincerely,

*Jane Lawton*  
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Chair, TTF CG

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# Surrounding Sites without WAN080 Candidate Coverage



# WAN080-Blake High School Candidate with Surrounding Sites

