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November 25, 2016

The Town of Balgonie Box 310 Balgonie SK S0G 0E0

Re:

Design and Construction of a new 55.0m Self Support Structure –

Lot 7, Block 1, Plan 16960 South Railway Street

Balgonie, Saskatchewan

SaskTel is increasing efforts to upgrade and improve the wireless service offered to our customers. With the client needs in mind, we are pleased to announce the proposal of the above-mentioned project.

This new tower structure is required in order to continue to provide enhanced wireless communication services in the Town of Balgonie and surrounding area. SaskTel will be constructing a new 55.0m Self Support Tower on SaskTel's existing property. Upon completion of the new tower the existing 30.5m self-support tower will be removed.

As required by Industry Canada, all Proponents that propose to install a telecommunication structure in an area are required to consult with local land owners that are within an area of three (3) times the tower height. SaskTel has also placed a notice in the local paper.

The enclosed Public Notification Package is sent to you to aid in addressing any concerns or comments you may have regarding this proposal. Please carefully review the benefits of wireless services, details of the project and site plan. If you have any concerns or comments regarding this proposal, please reply in writing to this office by December 30, 2016.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this application, please phone the undersigned at the above noted number.

Yours truly,

Rob Kaminski, A.Sc.T.

Corporate Services Manager

Real Estate Admininstration Services

Enclosure

SaskTel

Public Notification Package
55.0m proposed New Telecommunication Facility in the
Town of Balgonie

Dear Resident of Town of Balgonie,



As more Canadians rely on wireless phone services for personal security, convenience, and business. SaskTel is required to respond to the demands of our customers by completing network expansion and improvements.

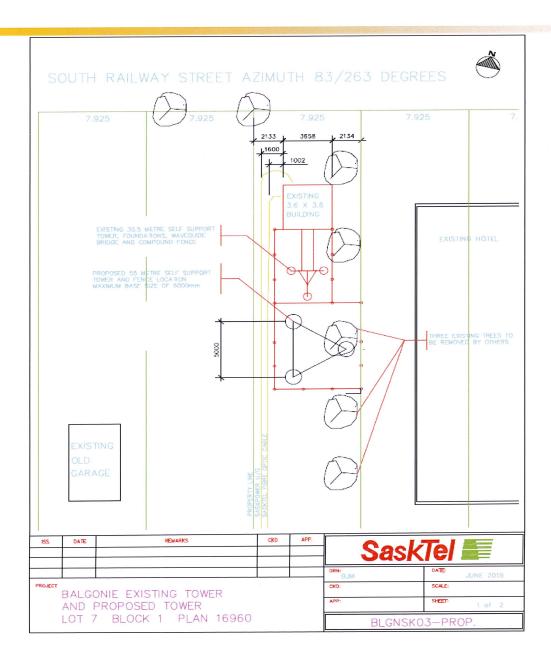
In order to allow for improved and additional wireless services in your community, we have applied to build a new communication facility to support the requirements of wireless services. SaskTel proposes to design and construct a new wireless facility in the Town of Balgonie in order to provide enhanced wireless communications in Balgonie and area. The existing wireless facility will be removed upon completion.

The purpose of this public notification package is to provide you with information on the details of our proposed facility, and how we selected the location in your community. You will find in this information package the location, and design of the proposed facility.

If you have any questions or comments please direct them to our attention and we will be certain to respond promptly to you.

Proposed Telecommunications System





Proposed New Tower

As the Town continues to grow better enhanced wireless capacity and coverage is required in order to meet the demands for wireless services. It was determined that the existing structure could not be used to support the facilities required to meet the wireless demands and coverage needed and would need to be replaced.

Other Infrastructure

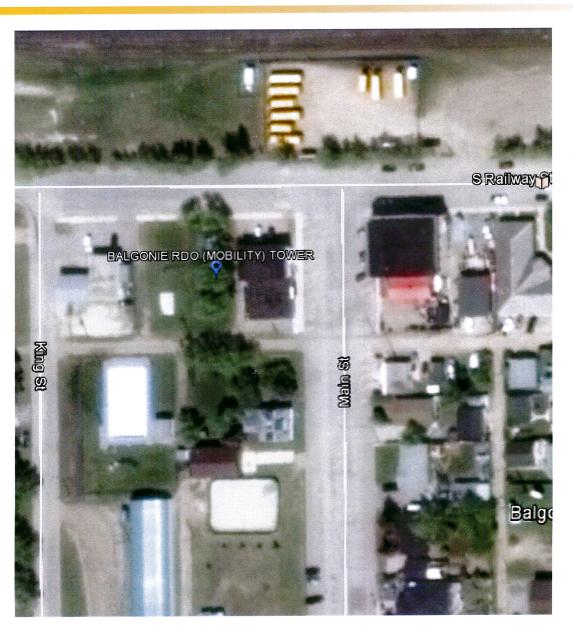
The location and the height of this new self support tower maximizes the network coverage area, which cannot be achieved by the existing self support tower.

Future Tower Sharing Opportunities

SaskTel towers are built to support multiple carriers and we welcome future tower sharing opportunities for this proposed tower.

Proposed Location





Geographic Coordinates

Latitude: 50°29'28.52"N, Longitude: 104°16'11.60"W

Legal Description

113 South Railway Street Surface Parcel # 110343899 Lot 7, Block 1, plan 16960.

Location

Proposed tower will be located on SaskTel's property 113 South Railway Street, Surface Parcel # 110343899, Lot 7, Block 1, plan 16960 in the Town of Balgonie.



Safety Code 6

The operation of all radio frequency equipment in Canada is regulated by a Health Canada safety code called Safety Code 6 – Limit of Human Exposure to Radiofrequency Electromagnetic Fields.

I, Bryan Sivertson on behalf of SaskTel, attest that the radio installation described in this notification package will be installed and operated on an ongoing basis so as to comply with Health Canada's Safety Code 6, as may be amended from time to time, for the protection of the general public including any combined effects of nearby installations within the local radio environment.

<u>Access</u>

The Self Support Tower will have anti climb device installed on the Tower.

Transport Canada

Site will meet necessary aeronautical obstruction marking requirements including painting and/or lighting as per Transport Canada request.

Environmental

The Canadian Environmental Assessment Act ensures that the installation and modification of antenna systems is done in a manner that complies with appropriate environmental legislation.

I, Rob Kaminski on behalf of SaskTel, attest that the Tower installation described in this notification package falls under the exclusion list according to Schedule 1, Section 2, Part 1 General Projects – Section 20 (a) (i) & (ii) of the Act.

Tower Structure

I, Jason Barsch, on behalf of SaskTel, attest that the Tower installation described in this notification package will be engineered, constructed and maintained in accordance with Canadian Standards Association specification "S37-13 Antennas, Towers and Antenna-Supporting Structures", as amended from time to time, for the protection of the general public respecting good engineering practices including structural adequacy.

All drawings and final designs will be reviewed and stamped by a Consulting Engineer licensed by the Association of Professional Engineers & Geoscientists of Saskatchewan.

Description of Proposed Antenna System



The proposed facility will consist of a 55.0m Self Support Tower. A Photosim of the proposed facility.



Local Land-Use Requirements



Land Use Requirements

Site will be constructed as per local land-use requirements and policies. SaskTel will follow the Industry Canada Radiocommunication and Broadcasting Antenna Systems policy CPC-2-0-03 dated July 15, 2014.

Public Notice

SaskTel proposes to design, construct, and install a new 55.0m Self Support facility installed at SaskTel's existing property 113 South Railway Street, Surface Parcel #110343899, Lot 7, Block 1, Plan 19960 in the Town of Balgonie. This new 55.0m Self Support facility will provide enhanced wireless phone services in the Town of Balgonie and area. The existing 30.5m self support tower will be removed upon completion of the new tower.

Public comments can be directed to SaskTel Corporate Communications within 30 days of this notice.

SaskTel Corporate Communications 12th Floor 2121 Saskatchewan Drive Regina, SK S4P 3Y2 (306) 777-4094

Additional Information

General information relating to antenna systems is available on the Industry Canada Spectrum Management and Telecommunications website at

http://strategis.ic.gc.ca/antenna

Contact Information



SaskTel

Comments to SaskTel can be directed to the following address;

SaskTel 10th Floor, 2121 Saskatchewan Drive Regina SK S4P 3Y2

Attention: Rob Kaminski, Corp. Serv. Mgr. Real Estate (306) 777-2426

Land Use Authority

Town of Balgonie Box 310 Balgonie, Saskatchewan SOG 0E0

Attention: Valerie Hubbard (306) 771-2284

Industry Canada Office

Industry Canada 600 – 1945 Hamilton Street Regina, Saskatchewan S4P 2C7

Attention: Gerald Fortier Spectrum Manager (306) 780-6984





Closing date for submission of written public comments will be December 30, 2016 .

Written comments must be submitted by mail directly to:

SaskTel 10th Floor, 2121 Saskatchewan Drive Regina SK S4P 3Y2

Attention: Rob Kaminski, Corp. Serv. Mgr. Real Estate (306) 777-2426 Fax (306) 359-0109

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