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Proposed telecommunications upgrade - Royston Veterinary Centre, Flint Cross, Melbourn,

Royston SG8 7PN (NGR: 540889, 242868) (CD/CTIL 110888 25) - Clerk Claire Littlewood

Attachments:

CTIL_110888_25, VMO2_70895 Planning Drawings (REV_A).pdf; CTIL_110888_25, VMO2_70895

Planning Consultation Letter to Melbourn Parish Council - Clerk Claire Littlewood.pdf

Dear Clerk

I am writing on behalf of Cornerstone with regards to the existing telecommunications site located at Royston Veterinary Centre, Flint Cross, Melbourn, Royston SG8 7PN (NGR: 540889, 242868).

VMO2 (trading as O2) have identified a requirement for an upgrade to this existing installation to improve network coverage within the surrounding area.

Please find the attached consultation letter and drawings in regards to the proposed alterations to the existing VMO2 site at Royston Veterinary Centre.

Kind Regards,

Acquisition Project Coordinator | Waldon Telecom



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Thursday, January 25, 2024

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BY EMAIL

Dear Melbourn Ward Representatives,

PROPOSED BASE STATION UPGRADE AT CTIL_110888_25, ROYSTON VETERINARY CENTRE, FLINT CROSS, MELBOURN, ROYSTON SG8 7PN (NGR: 540889, 242868)

Cornerstone is the UK's leading mobile infrastructure services company. We acquire, manage, and own over 20,000 sites and are committed to enabling best in class mobile connectivity for over half of all the country's mobile customers. We oversee works on behalf of telecommunications providers and wherever possible aim to:

- promote shared infrastructure
- maximise opportunities to consolidate the number of base stations
- significantly reduce the environmental impact of network development

Cornerstone have identified this site as suitable for an equipment upgrade for VMO2 (trading as O2).

The purpose of this letter is to consult with you and seek your views on our proposal before proceeding with the works. We understand that you are not always able to provide site specific comments, however, Cornerstone and VMO2 are committed to consultation with communities for mobile telecommunications proposals and as such would encourage you to respond.

As part of VMO2's network improvement program, there is a specific requirement for a radio base station upgrade at this location to improve 3G, 4G and provide new 5G network coverage in the local area.

Mobiles can only work with a network of base stations in place where people want to use their mobile phones or other wireless devices. Without base stations, the mobile phones, and other devices we rely on simply won't work.

In the first instance, all correspondence should be directed to the agent.

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Please find below the details of the proposed site: -

Our technical network requirement is as follows:

- CTIL_110888_25, Royston Veterinary Centre.
- To improve 3G, 4G and provide new 5G network coverage for VMO2 in the local area.

We consider the best solution is as follows:

- Royston Veterinary Centre, Flint Cross, Melbourn, Royston SG8 7PN (NGR: 540889, 242868).
- The proposed description comprises of the removal of the existing 22.5m monopole to be replaced with a new 22.5m monopole supporting 2no. antennas, 2no. 300mm dishes and 1no. 600mm dish, internal cabinet works and ancillary works thereto.
- This option has been chosen as it utilises an existing installation which will improve coverage with minimal changes to the equipment, reducing the visual impact on the surrounding area as far as technically possible.

The Local Planning Authority mast register and the Development Plan have been taken into account and the planning history of the site has been examined.

All Cornerstone installations are designed to be fully compliant with the public exposure guidelines established by the International Commission on Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection (ICNIRP). These guidelines have the support of UK Government, the European Union and they also have the formal backing of the World Health Organisation.

We look forward to receiving any comments you may have on the proposal within 14 days of the date of this letter.

Should you have any queries regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me (quoting cell number CTIL 110888 25)

Yours faithfully,



Waldon Telecom Ltd.

(for and on behalf of Cornerstone)

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