
USM cell antenna project - 44 Bedford St - permit #00940

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Wed, Jul 5, 2017 at 3:13 PM

Hi Nicole,

I have started review of this project and am working with the Planning Department to determine if a review through their department will also be needed. They had a couple questions I hoped you could answer:

- 1) What will the nature of the "RF transparent" panels be - will they look visually any different than what is there now?
- 2) Is there any visual screening or noise attenuation planned for the generator?

Thanks,
Chris

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Thu, Jul 6, 2017 at 1:16 PM

Good afternoon Christina,

I hope all is well and you are having a good day. Sorry for the delay in getting back to you regarding these questions.....

Basically the RF transparent, RF friendly, materials will be made of fiberglass but otherwise will look the same as the existing materials. It is actually a key part of our lease with the University to match the existing conditions.

As for the generator, it will be no more visible than the current chiller unit which is present on the roof in the exact same location – that unit will be removed with this project. In fact, being somewhat smaller, it should be less visible if the chiller is visible from the ground as-is. As for sound – a Level II Sound Enclosure will be installed, there should be no increased sound over existing conditions on the roof.

I hope that this answers your questions. If there are any other concerns or issues please let me know. I will be more than happy to answer any other questions that you or the inspector may have. Moving forward as well.

Thank you very much for your time and I look forward to hearing back from you soon.

Nicole Pelletier

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Hi Barbara,

See information below on the antenna project at Glickman Library. Let me know what you think.

Thanks,
Chris

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Barbara Barhydt <bab@portlandmaine.gov>
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Hi Chris:

This is helpful. The only condition I would put on it if it was an administrative authorization is that the regular maintenance tests of the generator be conducted between 9 and 5 during the work week.

If you could add that to the permit, I am ok with the permit. If you want to include my e-mail in the file, please do.

Thank you.

Barbara

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Sounds great, thanks.

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