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Resolution No. 2017-18
A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF TROY, ILLINOIS
URGING THE GOVERNOR TO VETO SENATE BILL 1451

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Adopted by the City Council
of the City of Troy, Illinois
This 18TH Day of December, 2017.

RESOLUTION NO. 2017 -18

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF TROY, ILLINOIS
URGING THE GOVERNOR TO VETO SENATE BILL 1451**

WHEREAS, the City of Troy, Illinois, supports the goal of ensuring reliable wireless services in our communities and the advancement of technology in the telecommunications industry; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill ("SB") 1451 establishes the Small Wireless Facilities Deployment Act and severely limits municipal authority to regulate, site, or charge permit fees for wireless facilities; and

WHEREAS, SB 1451 permits a private business entity to use public right-of-way at a rate far below market value, distorting the private market for small wireless facilities; and

WHEREAS, SB 1451 permits wireless providers, and third parties who act as agents or contractors for wireless providers, to locate telecommunications equipment with an antenna as large as six (6) cubic feet in size, and associated equipment up to twenty-five (25) cubic feet in size, on existing or new utility poles subject to minimal zoning regulations by the municipality; and

WHEREAS, SB 1451 creates an automatic approval timeline, which is one-sided and detrimental to the public, presuming that municipalities are negligent-and providers not-when a permit is incomplete or inadequate; and

WHEREAS, state legislators amended SB 1451 to exempt the City of Chicago in an effort to pass the legislation; and

WHEREAS, many municipalities have already enacted ordinances, or are in the process of updating their codes to address small wireless facilities, or are developing right-of-way use agreements with the industry, indicating that municipalities are making a significant effort to develop reasonable standards for the deployment of wireless facilities; and

WHEREAS, Illinois municipalities are diverse and each one must be given the opportunity to develop reasonable regulations that will protect their specific needs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

1. The recitals set forth above are hereby incorporated herein as if fully set forth.
2. The City of Troy, Illinois, opposes SB 1451 as passed by the Illinois General Assembly and urges the Governor to veto the legislation.

3. A copy of this resolution as passed shall be forwarded to the Office of the Governor of the State of Illinois.
4. This Resolution shall be in effect following its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.
5. Any and all Resolutions, sections or subsections of Resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Troy, Madison County, Illinois, approved by the Mayor, and deposited in the office of the City Clerk this 18th day of December, 2017.

Those voting aye: Henderson, Italiano, Jackson, Levo, Partney, Thompson, Turner and Zarzecki.

Those voting nay: _____

Those absent: _____

APPROVED:

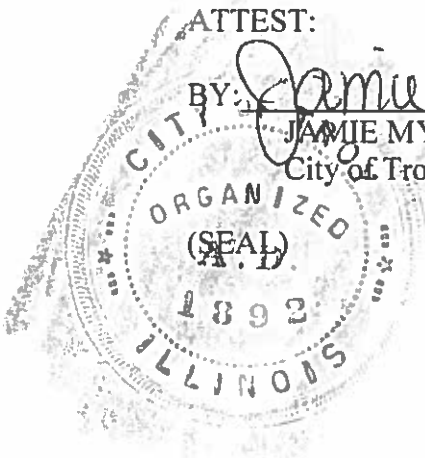
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ALLEN P. ADOMITE, Mayor
City of Troy, Illinois

ATTEST:

BY: _____

JAMIE MYERS, Clerk
City of Troy, Illinois



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