From:	<u>Jim Pomajevich</u>
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Cc:	Jim Pomajevich
Subject:	Memo in protest to Conditional Use Permit Application P16CU00009
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### To: Green Valley Council info@gvcouncil.org

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Unfortunately I have to be out of state for the Meetings on the 30th of November and the 13th of December.

Please find attached my protest to the conditional use permit for the cell phone tower at the maintenance building site between the 3rd and 10th Fairways at San Ignacio Golf Course.

In addition to the memo you will find attached larger format photos as contained in the memo in a form that can be enlarged.

Thank you for your courtesy and consideration.

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Jim Pomajevich

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## Memorandum Opposing 95 foot cell tower as not in conformity with Pima County Code

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From: Jim Pomajevich, 4425 S Corte de Febrero, Green Valley, AZ 85622

#### Date: November 29, 2016

Re: Alternative Cell Tower Locations on San Ignacio Golf Course, Green Valley, AZ.

To whom it may concern:

At first blush it would seem to be an easy choice between the two alternative proposed locations.

A 54/58 foot tower is just less obtrusive than a 95 foot tower.

A 54 foot tower located in a parking lot with a 32 foot flag pole, several 24 foot parking lot lights, an approximately 24-30 foot restaurant/golf course pro shop is less obtrusive than a 95 foot tower between two golf course fairways where the tallest structure is 17 feet.



A 54 foot tower in the direct line of sight from the living rooms of no more than 10 homes is less obtrusive than a 95 foot tower in the direct line of sight of 75 or more living rooms and from the back yard of many others.



A 54 foot obscuring the visually sensitive partial views of skyline and mountain tops is less obtrusive than a 95 foot tower towering alone above a 17 foot building in full view and impacting the straight on visually sensitive views of foothills, mountain backdrops and skyline. Note these photos were taken the day the drone was flown and the drone can be seen at the top of the superimposed line in the top photo.



VIEW FROM 4425 S CORTE DE FEBRERO DAY DRONE FLEW REPRESENTATIVE OF TEN HOUSES ON CORTE DE FEBRERO VIA DE FEBRERO SIMILARLY IMACTED FROM FURTHER DISTANCE



# When the apparent is overlaid upon the Pima County Code for Cell Tower Locations the choice of the parking lot 54 foot tower location over the 95 foot tower is compelling.

Pima County Code of Ordinance for Land Use Regulations - 18.07.030

H. Communication towers:

1. Purpose:

c. To <u>maintain and preserve</u> the existing unique attributes of <u>community character</u> including, but not limited to, architecture, historic and cultural features, historic development patterns, l<u>andscape</u>, <u>hardscape</u> and the size, scale and spacing of buildings and other structures that define the community identity of rural and residential neighborhoods, and <u>to preserve property values in</u> <u>those neighborhoods</u>;

e. To <u>minimize the adverse impacts</u> of communications towers and related equipment areas on visually sensitive areas <u>including</u>, <u>but not limited</u>, to <u>skylines</u>, <u>rock outcroppings</u>, <u>foothills</u>, <u>mountain backdrops</u>, unique vegetation, streams and natural drainageways through the careful design, siting, landscape screening and innovative camouflaging techniques utilizing current and future technologies;

g. To protect the aesthetic quality of neighborhoods by encouraging the siting of communication towers to minimize negative aesthetic impacts and ensure to the extent possible that communications towers and related equipment areas are compatible with surrounding land uses;

The Parking Lot site and a 54 foot tall tower is more in keeping with the provisions of the Pima County Ordinance than the Maintenance building site with a 95 foot tall tower. The 95 foot tower is not in compliance with the Pima County Ordinance for Land Use Regulations.

Respectfully,

JAMES POMAJEVICH 4425 S Corte de Febrero Green Valley, AZ 85622