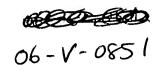
617.20 Appendix A State Environmental Quality Review FULL ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FORM



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x A.	The project will not result in any large ar significant impact on the environment, the			
☐ B.	Although the project could have a signifi for this Unlisted Action because the mitiga CONDITIONED negative declaration	gation measures descri		
C.	The project may result in one or more la environment, therefore a positive decla			significant impact on the
*A Conditions	ed Negative Declaration is only valid for U	nlisted Actions		
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- Part 2: Focuses on identifying the range of possible impacts that may occur from a project or action. It provides guidance as to whether an impact is likely to be considered small to moderate or whether it is a potentially-large impact. The form also identifies whether an impact can be mitigated or reduced.
- Part 3: If any impact in Part 2 is identified as potentially-large, then Part 3 is used to evaluate whether or not the impact is actually important.

THIS AREA FOR LEAD AGENCY USE ONLY

DETERMINATION OF SIGNIFICANCE -- Type 1 and Unlisted Actions

	he project will not result in any large and	act, it is reasonably determined by the lead agency that: d important impact(s) and, therefore, is one which will not have a crefore a negative declaration will be prepared.
fo		ant effect on the environment, there will not be a significant effect ation measures described in PART 3 have been required, therefore be prepared.*
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ATTACHMENT H

EXPLANATORY NOTES TO ATTACHMENT H

- 1. This Attachment H consists of: (a) a Department of Environmental Conservation "Full Environmental Assessment Form" ("EAF") for Verizon's offering of cable service in Grand View-on-Hudson, New York, with Part 1 filled in; (b) an EAF Addendum providing certain additional background information; and (c) exhibits to the Addendum, including maps showing environmentally relevant features of the franchise area and a list of state and federal historic sites within that area.
- 2. The Attachment is submitted without prejudice to Verizon's positions that:
 (a) the activities for which it seeks approval in this proceeding are not "actions" under the State Environmental Quality Review Act ("SEQRA"), and that therefore no EAF is required; and (b) if an EAF is required in this case, a short-form EAF will suffice.
- 3. The EAF and the EAF Addendum are based on information in Verizon's possession or available to us through research in readily available sources. Beyond such sources, we have not undertaken any "new studies, research or investigation." In some cases, Verizon may rely on information provided orally by representatives of the Village.
- 4. Historic site information was derived from the SPHINX database of the New York State Historic Preservation Office (see http://www.nysparks.state.ny.us/shpo/resources/ index.htm). Coastal area information was obtained from the New York State Geographic Information Systems Clearinghouse website (see http://www.nysgis.state.ny.us/gisdata/ inventories/details.cfm?DSID=317), as was flood plain data (see http://www.nysgis.state.ny.us/gisdata/inventories/details.cfm?DSID=246). Information on wetlands locations and agricultural districts was obtained from the Cornell University Geospatial Information Repository (see http://cugir.mannlib.cornell.edu/mapbrowse.jsp?series=counties). Information on "critical-environmental areas" was obtained from the website of the State Department of Environmental Conservation (http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dcs/seqr/cea/index.html). Information on National Natural Landmarks was obtained from the website of the National Park Service (see http://www.nature.nps.gov/nnl/Registry/USA Map/States/NewYork/new york.cfm).
- 5. In response to several questions in Part 1, Verizon has indicated that the question is "Not Applicable" ("N/A") to the confirmation that is the subject of the Petition. The activities to be undertaken pursuant to the franchise for which confirmation is sought involve the delivery of video programming and, thus, do not have a definite location or "area." To the extent any construction including line extensions, placement of drop wires, extensions, and repairs takes place after the franchise becomes effective, all of the locations within the franchise area at which such activity will occur cannot be known in advance.

The information provided for contiguity to historic sites, etc., has been provided with respect to Verizon's FTTP facilities in the franchise area, even though it is Verizon's position that such facilities have been constructed pursuant to independent permissions and authorities.

¹ See Full Environmental Assessment Form at 2.

PART 1--PROJECT INFORMATION Prepared by Project Sponsor

NOTICE: This document is designed to assist in determining whether the action proposed may have a significant effect on the environment. Please complete the entire form, Parts A through E. Answers to these questions will be considered as part of the application for approval and may be subject to further verification and public review. Provide any additional information you believe will be needed to complete Parts 2 and 3.

It is expected that completion of the full EAF will be dependent on information currently available and will not involve new studies, research or investigation. If information requiring such additional work is unavailable, so indicate and specify each instance.

Name of Action Award of Cable Television Franchise	e to Verizon	
Location of Action (include Street Address, Municipali	ity and County)	
Discrete Areas within the Village of Grand View-on-	-Hudson, NY	
Name of Applicant/Sponsor Verizon New York Inc.	("Verizon")	
Address c/o Thomas McCarroll, 158 State Street		
City / PO Albany	State NY	Zip Code 12207
Business Telephone (518) 396-1001	·	
Name of Owner (if different) N/A		
Address		
City / PO	State	Zip Code
Business Telephone		
Description of Action:		
Activities undertaken by Verizon pursuant to the aut	thority awarded by the franchise.	
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Please Complete Each Question--Indicate N.A. if not applicable

A. SITE DESCRIPTION

P	nysical setting of overall project, both developed and	I undeveloped areas	•		
1.	Present Land Use: Urban Industrial	Commercial Other	✓ Residentia		Rural (non-farm)
	- Volcat - Management				
•					applies to the activities at
2.	Total acreage of project area:acres.	issue here, it has d in the franchise are			FTTP facilities constructed The width of the
	APPROXIMATE ACREAGE		-		adily determine at this time -of-way used by Verizon.
	Meadow or Brushland (Non-agricultural)	tilo avelago violit (acres	acres
	Forested			acres	acres
	Agricultural (Includes orchards, cropland, pasture,	etc.)	•	acres	acres
	Wetland (Freshwater or tidal as per Articles 24,25	of ECL)		acres	acres
	Water Surface Area			acres	acres
	Unvegetated (Rock, earth or fill)		*******	acres	acres
	Roads, buildings and other paved surfaces			acres	acres
	Other (Indicate type)			acres	acres
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3.	What is predominant soil type(s) on project site?	N/A			
	a. Soil drainage: Well drained	% of site	loderately well dr	ained % of	site
	Poorly drained		oboliutory Work di		Site.
	b. If any agricultural land is involved, how many Classification System? acres (see 1		ssified within soil	group 1 through	h 4 of the NYS Land
4.	Are there bedrock outcroppings on project site?	Yes No	N/A		
	a. What is depth to bedrock (in feet)		**	Parts of Verizon	n's FTTP network in
5.	Approximate percentage of proposed project site w	vith slopes: N/A	the	e Village pass h	istoric sites. See
	0-10%%	15% or grea		ldendum.	
6.	Is project substantially contiguous to, or contain a Historic Places?	building, site, or dis	trict, listed on the	State or Nation	al Registers of
7.	Is project substantially contiguous to a site listed of	n the Register of Na	tional Natural Lar	idmarks?	Yes No
8.	What is the depth of the water table?(in	feet) N/A			
9.	Is site located over a primary, principal, or sole sou	rce aquifer?	Yes	■ No	
10.	Do hunting, fishing or shell fishing opportunities pr	esently exist in the	project area?	Yes	No N/A

According to:							
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are there any unit	que or unusual land	I forms on the pro	oject site? (i.e.,	cliffs, dunes, other	geological forma	ations?	
Yes	No N/A			0.			
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the project site	presently used by t	the community or	neighborhood i	s an open space or	recreation area?	?	
Yes	No N/A						
yes, explain:							
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oes the present :	site include scenic v	views known to b	e important to	the community?	Yes	No N	N/A
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reams within or	contiguous to proje	ect area: N/A					
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	tland areas within o	or contiguous to p	project area:	See Addendum.			
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akes, ponds, we		or contiguous to p	project area:	See Addendum.			
		or contiguous to p	project area:	See Addendum.			

17.	. Is the site served by existing public utilities?
	a. If YES, does sufficient capacity exist to allow connection?
	b. If YES, will improvements be necessary to allow connection?
18.	Is the site located in an agricultural district certified pursuant to Agriculture and Markets Law, Article 25-AA, Section 303 and 304? Yes No
19.	. Is the site located in or substantially contiguous to a Critical Environmental Area designated pursuant to Article 8 of the ECL, and 6 NYCRR 617? Yes No
20.	Has the site ever been used for the disposal of solid or hazardous wastes? Yes No N/A
В.	Project Description
1.	Physical dimensions and scale of project (fill in dimensions as appropriate).
	a. Total contiguous acreage owned or controlled by project sponsor: N/A acres.
	b. Project acreage to be developed: N/A acres initially; N/A acres ultimately.
	c. Project acreage to remain undeveloped: N/A acres.
	d. Length of project, in miles: * (if appropriate) * See response to Item 2 on Page 3.
	e. If the project is an expansion, indicate percent of expansion proposed. N/A %
	f. Number of off-street parking spaces existing N/A; proposed N/A
	g. Maximum vehicular trips generated per hour: N/A (upon completion of project)?
	h. If residential: Number and type of housing units: N/A
	One Family Two Family Multiple Family Condominium
	Initially
	Ultimately
	i. Dimensions (in feet) of largest proposed structure:N/A height;N/A width;N/A length.
	j. Linear feet of frontage along a public thoroughfare project will occupy is? N/A ft.
2.	How much natural material (i.e. rock, earth, etc.) will be removed from the site?N/A_ tons/cubic yards.
	Will disturbed areas be reclaimed Yes No No
	a. If yes, for what intended purpose is the site being reclaimed?
1	b. Will topsoil be stockpiled for reclamation? Yes No
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	c. Will upper subsoil be stockpiled for reclamation?

5.	Will any mature forest (over 100 years old) or other locally-important vegetation be removed by this p	project?
	Yes No	* Although it is Verizon's
6.	If single phase project: Anticipated period of construction: months, (including demolition)*	position that any further
7.	If multi-phased: N/A	FTTP construction activity in the franchise area is
	a. Total number of phases anticipated (number)	being undertaken pursuant to independent authority,
	b. Anticipated date of commencement phase 1: month year, (including demolition)	rather than pursuant to the franchise, Verizon expects
	c. Approximate completion date of final phase: month year.	to complete its build out as
	d. Is phase 1 functionally dependent on subsequent phases? Yes No	required by the franchise.
8.	Will blasting occur during construction? Yes • No	
9.	Number of jobs generated: during constructionN/A; after project is complete N/A	
10	. Number of jobs eliminated by this project N/A	
11	. Will project require relocation of any projects or facilities? Yes No	
	If yes, explain:	
12.	. Is surface liquid waste disposal involved? Yes No	
	a. If yes, indicate type of waste (sewage, industrial, etc) and amount	
	b. Name of water body into which effluent will be discharged	
13.	Is subsurface liquid waste disposal involved? Yes No Type	
14.	Will surface area of an existing water body increase or decrease by proposal? Yes No	
	If yes, explain:	
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15.	Is project or any portion of project located in a 100 year flood plain?	
16.	Will the project generate solid waste? Yes No	
	a. If yes, what is the amount per month?tons	
	b. If yes, will an existing solid waste facility be used? Yes No	
	c. If yes, give name; location	
		No

e. If yes, explain:	
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17. Will the project involve the disposal of solid waste? Yes No	
a. If yes, what is the anticipated rate of disposal? tons/month.	
b. If yes, what is the enticipated site life? years.	
18. Will project use herbicides or pesticides? Yes	
19. Will project routinely produce odors (more than one hour per day)? Yes No	
20. Will project produce operating noise exceeding the local ambient noise levels? Yes	
21. Will project result in an increase in energy use? Yes No	•
If yes, indicate type(s)	
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22. If water supply is from wells, indicate pumping capacity <u>N/A</u> gallons/minute.	
23. Total anticipated water usage per day <u>N/A</u> gallons/day.	
24. Does project involve Local, State or Federal funding? Yes No	
If yes, explain:	
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23. Approvata requires.			Туре	Submittal Date
	<u></u>		Village of	
City, Town, Village Board	Yes	No	Grand View-on-Hudson	
			Award Franchise	7/17/06*
			* Franchise was award	ed on this date.
City, Town, Village Planning Board	Yes	■ No	,	N -
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City, Town Zoning Board	Yes	■ No		
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	Yes	■ No	· .	
City, County Health Department	L Yes	[] NO		
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Other Local Agencies	Yes	■ No		
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Other Regional Agencies	Yes	■ No		
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State Agencies	Yes	☐ No	Public Service Commission	7/18/06
			Confirmation	7/18/00
	•	•		
Federal Agencies	Yes	■ No		
C. Zoning and Planning Information			7 [] .	
Does proposed action involve a plan	ning or zonir	ng decision?	Yes No	
If Yes, indicate decision required:	_		huma	
Zoning amendment	Zoning va	riance	New/revision of master plan	Subdivision
Site plan	Special us	e permit	Resource management plan	Other

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Vhat is the maximum	n potential development of the	site if developed as permitted by the pres	sent zoning? N/A	1
Vhat is the proposed	zoning of the site? N/A			
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the proposed action	n consistent with the recomme	ended uses in adopted local land use plans	s? Yes	No N
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/hat are the predomi	inant land use(s) and zoning c	lassifications within a ¼ mile radius of pro	posed action?	N/A
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10. W	Vill proposed action require any authorization(s) for the formation of sewer or water districts? Yes No
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1 1 . W	Vill the proposed action create a demand for any community provided services (recreation, education, police, fire protection?
	☐ Yes ■ No
a.	If yes, is existing capacity sufficient to handle projected demand?
2. Wi	If yes, is the existing road network adequate to handle the additional traffic.
. Inf	formational Details
Atı ssocia	tach any additional information as may be needed to clarify your project. If there are or may be any adverse impacts ated with your proposel, please discuss such impacts and the measures which you propose to mitigate or avoid them.
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l ce	ertify that the information provided above is true to the best of my knowledge.
Ap	plicant/Sponsor Name Verizon New York Inc. Date 7/18/06
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Title	e Vice President Regulatory Affairs, NY & CT

If the action is in the Coastal Area, and you are a state agency, complete the Coastal Assessment Form before proceeding with this assessment.

PART 2 - PROJECT IMPACTS AND THEIR MAGNITUDE

Responsibility of Lead Agency

General Information (Re	ad Carefully)
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- In completing the form the reviewer should be guided by the question: Have my responses and determinations been reasonable? The reviewer is not expected to be an expert environmental analyst.
- The Examples provided are to assist the reviewer by showing types of impacts and wherever possible the threshold of magnitude that would trigger a response in column 2. The examples are generally applicable throughout the State and for most situations. But, for any specific project or site other examples and/or lower thresholds may be appropriate for a Potential Large Impact response, thus requiring evaluation in Part 3.
- The impacts of each project, on each site, in each locality, will vary. Therefore, the examples are illustrative and have been offered as guidance. They do not constitute an exhaustive list of impacts and thresholds to answer each question.
- The number of examples per question does not indicate the importance of each question.
- In identifying impacts, consider long term, short term and cumulative effects.

Instructions (Read carefully)

- Answer each of the 20 questions in PART 2. Answer Yes if there will be any impact. a.
- Maybe answers should be considered as Yes answers. b.
- If answering Yes to a question then check the appropriate box(column 1 or 2)to indicate the potential size of the impact. If C. impact threshold equals or exceeds any example provided, check column 2. If impact will occur but threshold is lower than example, check column 1.
- d. Identifying that an Impact will be potentially large (column 2) does not mean that it is also necessarily significant. Any large impact must be evaluated in PART 3 to determine significance. Identifying an impact in column 2 simply asks that it
- If reviewer has doubt about size of the impact then consider the impact as potentially large and proceed to PART 3. e.
- f. If a potentially large impact checked in column 2 can be mitigated by change(s) in the project to a small to moderate impact, also check the Yes box in column 3. A No response indicates that such a reduction is not possible. This must be explained in Part 3.

		1 Small to Moderate Impact	2 Potential Large Impact	Can Impact Be Mitigated by Project Change
	Impact on Land			
1. Will the Pro	posed Action result in a physical change to the project			
No.	O YES _			
Exam •	Any construction on slopes of 15% or greater, (15 foot rise per 100 foot of length), or where the general slopes in the project area exceed 10%.			Yes No
•	Construction on land where the depth to the water table is less than 3 feet.			Yes No
•	Construction of paved parking area for 1,000 or more vehicles.			Yes No
•	Construction on land where bedrock is exposed or generally within 3 feet of existing ground surface.			Yes No
•	Construction that will continue for more than 1 year or involve more than one phase or stage.			Yes No
٠	Excavation for mining purposes that would remove more than 1,000 tons of natural material (i.e., rock or soil) per year.			Yes No

		1 Small to Moderate Impact	2 Potential Large Impact	3 Can Impact Be Mitigated by Project Change
	Construction or expansion of a santary landfill.			Yes No
•	Construction in a designated floodway.			Yes No
	Other impacts:			Yes No
	Will there be an effect to any unique or unusual land forms found on the site? (i.e., cliffs, dunes, geological formations, etc.)			
•	Specific land forms:			Yes No
	Impact on Water			
(Will Proposed Action affect any water body designated as protected? Under Articles 15, 24, 25 of the Environmental Conservation Law, ECL)			
•	NO YES			
	Examples that would apply to column 2 Developable area of site contains a protected water body.			Yes No
•	Dredging more than 100 cubic yards of material from channel of a protected stream.			YesNo
•	Extension of utility distribution facilities through a protected water body.		. 🗆 .	Yes No
•	Construction in a designated freshwater or tidal wetland.			Yes No
•	Other impacts:			Yes No
	Vill Proposed Action affect any non-protected existing or new body of			
W	NO YES			
E	Examples that would apply to column 2 A 10% increase or decrease in the surface area of any body of water or more than a 10 acre increase or decrease.			Yes No
•	Construction of a body of water that exceeds 10 acres of surface area.			Yes No
•	Other impacts:			Yes No

•	1 Small to Moderate Impact	2 Potential Large Impact	3 Can Impact Be Mitigated by Project Change
Will Proposed Action affect surface or groundwater quality or quantity? NO YES			
Examples that would apply to column 2 Proposed Action will require a discharge permit.			Yes No
 Proposed Action requires use of a source of water that does represent to serve proposed (project) action. 	not		Yes No
 Proposed Action requires water supply from wells with greate than 45 gallons per minute pumping capacity. 			Yes No
 Construction or operation causing any contamination of a wat supply system. 	er 🔲		Yes No
Proposed Action will adversely affect groundwater.			Yes No
 Liquid effluent will be conveyed off the site to facilities which presently do not exist or have inadequate capacity. 			Yes No
 Proposed Action would use water in excess of 20,000 gallons per day. 			Yes No
 Proposed Action will likely cause siltation or other discharge in an existing body of water to the extent that there will be an obvious visual contrast to natural conditions. 	nto		Yes No
 Proposed Action will require the storage of petroleum or chemical products greater than 1,100 gallons. 			Yes No
Proposed Action will allow residential uses in areas without water and/or sewer services.			Yes No
 Proposed Action locates commercial and/or industrial uses which may require new or expansion of existing waste treatment and/or storage facilities. 	ent		Yes No
Other impacts:			Yes No

		Small to Moderate Impact	Potential Large Impact	Can Impact Be Mitigated by Project Change
6.	Will Proposed Action alter drainage flow or patterns, or surface water runoff?			
	NO DYES			
	Proposed Action would change flood water flows			Yes No
	Proposed Action may cause substantial erosion.	ليا	ائا	Yes No
	Proposed Action is incompatible with existing drainage patterns.			Yes No
	 Proposed Action will allow development in a designated floodway. 			Yes No
	Other impacts:			Yes No
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	IMPACT ON AIR			
7.	Will Proposed Action affect air quality? NO YES			
	 Examples that would apply to column 2 Proposed Action will induce 1,000 or more vehicle trips in any given hour. 			Yes No
	Proposed Action will result in the incineration of more than 1 ton of refuse per hour.			Yes No
	 Emission rate of total contaminants will exceed 5 lbs. per hour or a heat source producing more than 10 million BTU's per hour. 			Yes No
	 Proposed Action will allow an increase in the amount of land committed to industrial use. 			Yes No
	 Proposed Action will allow an increase in the density of industrial development within existing industrial areas. 			Yes No
	Other impacts:			Yes No
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	IMPACT ON PLANTS AND ANIMALS			
3.	Wilk Proposed Action affect any threatened or endangered species?			
	 Examples that would apply to column 2 Reduction of one or more species listed on the New York or Federal list, using the site, over or near the site, or found on the site. 			Yes No

		1 Small to Moderate Impact	2 Potential Large Impact	3 Can Impact Be Mitigated by Project Change
	Removal of any portion of a critical or significant wildlife habitat.			Yes No
	 Application of pesticide or herbicide more than twice a year, other than for agricultural purposes. 			Yes No
	Other impacts:			Yes No
	Will Proposed Action substantially affect non-threatened or non-endangered species? NO YES			
١	Proposed Action would substantially interfere with any resident or migratory fish, shellfish or wildlife species.			Yes No
	 Proposed Action requires the removal of more than 10 acres of mature forest (over 100 years of age) or other locally important vegetation. 			Yes No
•	Other impacts:			Yes No
0. V	IMPACT ON AGRICULTURAL LAND RESOURCES Will Proposed Action affect agricultural land resources? NO YES			
	Examples that would apply to column 2 The Proposed Action would sever, cross or limit access to agricultural land (includes cropland, hayfields, pasture, vineyard, orchard, etc.)			Yes No
•	Construction activity would excavate or compact the soil profile of agricultural land.			Yes No
•	The Proposed Action would irreversibly convert more than 10 acres of agricultural land or, if located in an Agricultural District, more than 2.5 acres of agricultural land.			Yes No

		Small to Moderate Impact	Potential Large Impact	3 Can Impact Be Mitigated by Project Change
•	The Proposed Action would disrupt or prevent installation of agricultural land management systems (e.g., subsurface drain lines, outlet ditches, strip cropping); or create a need for such measures (e.g. cause a farm field to drain poorly due to increased runoff).			Yes No
•	Other impacts:			Yes No
	IMPACT ON AESTHETIC RESOURCES			
	fill Proposed Action affect aesthetic resources? (If necessary, use the Visual EAF Addendum in Section 617.20, Appendix B.) NO YES			
E :	Proposed land uses, or project components obviously different from or in sharp contrast to current surrounding land use patterns, whether man-made or natural.			Yes No
•	Proposed land uses, or project components visible to users of aesthetic resources which will eliminate or significantly reduce their enjoyment of the aesthetic qualities of that resource.			Yes No
•	Project components that will result in the elimination or significant screening of scenic views known to be important to the area.			Yes No
•	Other impacts:			☐Yes ☐No
	IMPACT ON HISTORIC AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESOURCES			
	ill Proposed Action impact any site or structure of historic, ehistoric or paleontological importance?			
Ex	ramples that would apply to column 2 Proposed Action occurring wholly or partially within or substantially contiguous to any facility or site listed on the State or National Register of historic places.			Yes No
•	Any impact to an archaeological site or fossil bed located within the project site.			Yes No
•	Proposed Action will occur in an area designated as sensitive for archaeological sites on the NYS Site Inventory.			Yes No

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IMPACT ON OPEN SPACE AND RECREATION 13. Will proposed Action affect the quantity or quality of existing or future open spaces or recreational opportunities? No			Moderate	Large	Can Impact Be Mitigated by Project Change
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	IMPACT ON TRANSPORTATION	,		
15. W	III there be an effect to existing transportation systems? NO YES			
E>	amples that would apply to column 2 Alteration of present patterns of movement of people and/or goods.			Yes No
•	Proposed Action will result in major traffic problems.			Yes No
•	Other impacts:			LYes LNo
	IMPACT ON ENERGY			
	Il Proposed Action affect the community's sources of fuel or ergy supply?			
	MO DYES			
E×	amples that would apply to column 2 Proposed Action will cause a greater than 5% increase in the use of any form of energy in the municipality.			Yes No
•	Proposed Action will require the creation or extension of an energy transmission or supply system to serve more than 50 single or two family residences or to serve a major commercial or industrial use.			Yes No
•	Other impacts:			Yes No
	NOISE AND ODOR IMPACT			
	II there be objectionable odors, noise, or vibration as a result of Proposed Action?			
	MNO □YES			
Ex	amples that would apply to column 2 Blasting within 1,500 feet of a hospital, school or other sensitive facility.			Yes No
•	Odors will occur routinely (more than one hour per day).			Yes No
•	Proposed Action will produce operating noise exceeding the local ambient noise levels for noise outside of structures.			Yes No
•	Proposed Action will remove natural barriers that would act as a noise screen.			Yes No
•	Other impacts:			Yes No
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	IMPACT ON PUBLIC HEALTH			
18.	Will Proposed Action affect public health and safety? NO YES	. <u>_</u>	_	
	 Proposed Action may cause a risk of explosion or release of hazardous substances (i.e. oil, pesticides, chemicals, radiation, etc.) in the event of accident or upset conditions, or there may be a chronic low level discharge or emission. 			Yes No
	 Proposed Action may result in the burial of "hazardous wastes" in any form (i.e. toxic, poisonous, highly reactive, radioactive, irritating, infectious, etc.) 			Yes No
	Storage facilities for one million or more gallons of liquefied natural gas or other flammable liquids.			Yes No
	Proposed Action may result in the excavation or other disturbance within 2,000 feet of a site used for the disposal of solid or hazardous waste.			Yes No
	Other impacts:			Yes No
	IMPACT ON GROWTH AND CHARACTER OF COMMUNITY OR NEIGHBORHOOD			
9.	Will Proposed Action affect the character of the existing community?			
	The permanent population of the city, town or village in which the project is located is likely to grow by more than 5%.			Yes No
	 The municipal budget for capital expenditures or operating services will increase by more than 5% per year as a result of this project. 			Yes No
	Proposed Action will conflict with officially adopted plans or goals.			Yes No
	Proposed Action will cause a change in the density of land use.			Yes No
	 Proposed Action will replace or eliminate existing facilities, structures or areas of historic importance to the community. 	. 🗖		Yes No
	 Development will create a demand for additional community services (e.g. schools, police and fire, etc.) 			Yes No

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•	Proposed Action will set an important precedent for future projects.			Yes No
•	Proposed Action will create or eliminate employment.			Yes No
•	Other impacts:			Yes No
	here, or is there likely to be, public controversy related to potential verse environment impacts?			
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If Any Action in Part 2 is identified as a Potential Large Impact or If you Cannot Determine the Magnitude of Impact, Proceed to Part 3

ADDENDUM TO ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FORM RELATING TO CONFIRMATION OF A CABLE TELEVISION FRANCHISE FOR THE VILLAGE OF GRAND VIEW-ON-HUDSON (ROCKLAND COUNTY), NEW YORK

Setting

The Village of Grand View-on-Hudson is located in the eastern portion of the Town of Orangetown, in Rockland County. As of the 2000 Census, the Village had a population of 284 within a total area of 0.167 square miles.

The Village is (1) not within an agricultural district, (2) not in or substantially contiguous to a Critical Environmental Area, and (3) not substantially contiguous to a National Natural Landmark. A list of historic sites, historic districts, and national historic landmarks in the Village is attached. It is Verizon's policy to conform to all applicable laws and regulations in placing its facilities, including any special requirements that may be applicable to historic sites, districts, or landmarks.

The Village of Grand View-on-Hudson is not located above any aquifer systems. The entire Village of Grand View-on-Hudson is within a coastal area and includes a designated wetlands area. Verizon's FTTP extensions and drop wires will be placed only to serve existing or planned residences and businesses and will be consistent with physical arrangements for the provision of non-video communications services (voice, data), and other types of utility service, to such areas. Video programming will be delivered over existing distribution routes and supporting structures. Moreover, cable service is already provided within the franchise area by the incumbent, Cablevision. Thus, Verizon's construction activities would not impact otherwise undeveloped areas.

Two maps are included with this addendum. The first map shows the franchise area, historical sites and districts, wetlands and the coastal area boundary. The second map shows the location of the 100-year flood plain in this area.

Description of Potential Construction Activities

The Commission is being asked to approve the Village's award of a cable television franchise to Verizon. The franchise will enable Verizon to deliver video programming to subscribers over its FTTP network, which is also used for the provision of voice and data services. It is Verizon's position that the construction, extension, modification, and repair of the facilities comprising the FTTP network are independently authorized, do not require franchise authority, and are thus not included within any "action" (within the meaning of SEQRA) for which approval is sought in this proceeding. Nevertheless, at Staff's request, Verizon is providing the following information concerning work on Verizon's FTTP facilities that may be undertaken in the Village subsequent to the Commission's approval of the franchise.

Extensions of Verizon's FTTP network may take place in the Village of Grand View-on-Hudson following the award of the franchise. FTTP construction in the Village's rights-of-way would relate to facilities that will also be used for Verizon's voice and data services. (Any

equipment that is utilized exclusively for the provision of cable services in the Village will be located in Verizon's central offices.) Verizon has completed the construction of its FTTP network to approximately 100% of the current households in the franchise area.

When a Verizon subscriber requests the FiOSSM voice, data, and/or video services that are available over the FTTP network, fiber drop wire are run to the subscriber's home. There are 130 households within the Village of Grand View-on-Hudson that could potentially be served with fiber drops. In terms of the potential environmental impact of drop placement activities, the fiber drops that are associated with FTTP do not differ in any significant respect from the copper drops that Verizon routinely installs, maintains and on occasion replaces in connection with its current services. Moreover, fiber drops will be deployed to customers who request other FiOS services even if such customers do not elect to purchase FiOS video.

¹ In general, Verizon's outside plant may include both aerial and underground facilities. Some of the work related to the extension of FTTP facilities and the placement of drops may therefore be underground.

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