

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COMMISSION ADVISORY AND COMPLIANCE DIVISION
Telecommunications Branch

RESOLUTION T-14294
Date: February 3, 1991

R E S O L U T I O N

RESOLUTION T-14294. BAY AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY. EXECUTIVE ORDER AUTHORIZING THE ADDITION OF A NEW CELL SITE IN THE the San Francisco/San José Cellular Geographic Service Areas.

BY ADVICE LETTER NO. 74, FILED ON January 3, 1991.

SUMMARY

BAY AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY (BACTC), by Advice Letter No. 74, filed on January 3, 1991, requests authority under the provisions of General Order 159 (G.O. 159) and Decision No. 90-03-080 (March 28, 1990) to add a new cellular radiotelephone cell site to its existing cellular system serving the the San Francisco/San José Cellular Geographic Service Areas. This Resolution authorizes the construction of the new cell site, known as the Sausalito cell site, located at 1750 Bridgeway Avenue, Sausalito, California 94966. No protests to this Advice Letter have been received.

BACKGROUND

Under G.O. 159 (D.90-03-080), a cellular utility must obtain authorization from the Commission before construction of cellular facilities not described in its application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity. A cellular utility must file an advice letter requesting authorization to construct after it has received all approvals for the proposed construction required by any governmental agencies with jurisdiction over the proposed construction, or which would have jurisdiction absent the Commission's preemption.

DISCUSSION

Advice Letter No. 74 contains all the information required under G.O. 159 to be included in an Advice Letter filing for authority to construct additional cellular facilities.

The new Sausalito cell site represents an additional cellular radiotelephone facility not described in Decision 86-05-010, granting BACTC a certificate of public convenience and necessity.

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BACTC has obtained permits or approvals from the following governmental entities and asserts that these entities comprise all governmental entities that have jurisdiction over the proposed construction (with the exception of the California Public Utilities Commission); the City of Sausalito, the Federal Aviation Administration, and the Federal Communications Commission.

The proposed construction will be located at 1750 Bridgeway Avenue, Sausalito, California 94966 and is known as the Sausalito cell site. BACTC will mount six cellular antennae on the roof of the building at this location: three antennae on the north side of the roof and three antennae on the south side. BACTC has obtained local approval to mount nine cellular antennae, but BACTC will only install six antennae at this time. The antennae will project approximately two feet above the roofline of the building and will be painted to match the color of the building. Power will be provided from an existing building switchgear on the first floor. Feeder cable will be run from the switchgear to the equipment room, a distance of approximately 150 feet.

The Sausalito cell site will become part of BACTC's cellular system serving the the San Francisco/San Jose Cellular Geographic Service Areas.

NOTICE

Public notice that BAY AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY filed Advice Letter No. 74 requesting authority to construct the Sausalito cell site appeared in the California Public Utilities Commission's January 4, 1991 Daily Calendar. In addition, copies of BACTC's Advice Letter No. 74 were mailed in accordance with the Commission's General Order No. 96-A, Section III. G, to competing utilities either privately or publicly owned, adjacent utilities either privately or publicly owned, utilities having requested such notification, and other interested parties having requested such notification.

PROTESTS

No protests have been received to BACTC's Advice Letter No. 74.

FINDINGS

1. On January 3, 1991, BAY AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY filed Advice Letter No. 74 requesting Executive authorization to construct the Sausalito cell site located at 1750 Bridgeway Avenue, Sausalito, California 94966.
2. The Sausalito cell site represents an additional cellular

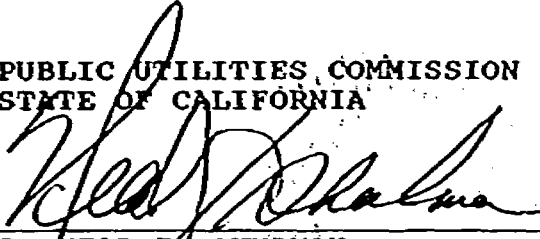
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- radiotelephone facility not described in Decision 86-05-010, granting BACTC a certificate of public convenience and necessity.
3. Decision 90-03-080 adopts G.O. 159 which sets forth certain requirements for the filing of advice letters requesting authorization to construct cellular radiotelephone facilities not described in a utility's certificate of public convenience and necessity.
 4. Advice Letter No. 74 conforms to the requirements of Decision 90-03-080 and G.O. 159.
 5. A BACTC officer signed a declaration which states that BACTC has received all necessary permits or approvals from the governmental entities listed in Advice Letter No. 74.
 6. Advice Letter No. 74 lists the following entities which have jurisdiction over the proposed construction of the Sausalito cell site: the City of Sausalito.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

- (1) BAY AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY's Advice Letter No. 74 is hereby approved.
- (2) The effective date of this resolution is February 3, 1991.

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