

6 May 2026

Reechik Chatterjee
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**Re: Stroud Communication Tower – Letter Report
Lincoln County, Oklahoma**

Dear Mr. Chatterjee:

This letter provides the results of the Environmental Review (Waters of the US [WOTUS], floodplain, and Threatened or Endangered [T/E] species), US Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) Project Review, and Cultural Resources Review conducted by Goshawk Environmental Consulting, Inc. (Goshawk) for the proposed Stroud Communication Tower in Lincoln County, Oklahoma (Figure 1). The proposed project consists of one 18-foot-tall communication tower, which is mounted on a 6-foot by 9-foot trailer. The tower will be wheeled into its location and will not require guy wires, site preparation, utility lines, or access roads.

The tower will require a permit from the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). Consultation with the USFWS and the Oklahoma State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) was undertaken to provide needed approvals for the FCC communications tower permitting process.

ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

Goshawk conducted a desktop review of electronically available data (including topographic map, aerial orthoimagery, and floodplain map) for the proposed project.

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Goshawk evaluated the proposed project to determine if any WOTUS, as regulated by the US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), are present. The US Geological Survey (USGS) Kendrick, Oklahoma topographic quadrangle (Figure 2) indicates the proposed project occurs entirely in grassland (white background), on relatively flat to gently sloping terrain. Elevations within the property boundary range from approximately 870 to 910 feet above mean sea level. One tributary of Ranch Creek is mapped intersecting the northeastern corner of the property boundary on the topographic map, approximately 920 feet northeast of the proposed tower location. Drainage across the proposed project occurs by overland sheet flow to the northeast.

The aerial orthoimagery (Figure 3) indicates the proposed project occurs within a woodland-grassland ecotone. Channelization within the tributary and darker vegetative signatures, typically associated with mesic conditions, are not evident in the aerial orthoimagery. Neither the topographic nor aerial orthoimagery map suggests potential WOTUS are within or adjacent to the proposed tower location and access route; therefore, impacts to WOTUS are not expected.



FLOODPLAIN

Federal Emergency Management Administration (FEMA) National Flood Hazard data indicates the proposed project is within Zone X, defined as areas outside special flood hazard area (Figure 4). The nearest floodplain is approximately 1.43 miles southeast of the proposed project.

THREATENED/ENDANGERED SPECIES

The proposed project was evaluated for federally and state-listed T/E species. An internet search of the USFWS *Information for Planning and Consultation* (IPaC) screening tool was used to identify federally listed T/E species “that should be considered as part of an effects analysis” for the proposed project. The T/E species listed in the IPaC Trust Resource Report within 5 miles of the proposed project are the eastern black rail, piping plover, Rufa red knot, and American burying beetle.

The eastern black rail is typically found in shallow, densely vegetated wetlands such as wet meadows, marsh edges, and moist grasslands with persistent surface water. This species requires saturated soils and thick, herbaceous cover for nesting and foraging. The proposed project occurs within a woodland-grassland ecotone and lacks the hydrologic conditions and dense wetland vegetation required to support this species.

The piping plover and Rufa red knot are migrant shoreline species. The piping plover is known to winter along beaches in the Gulf of Mexico and migrate to the Northern Great Plains to nest. Wintering habitats include coastal habitats, sandy mud flats, ephemeral pools, and seasonally emergent seagrass beds. The Rufa red knot is known to winter along the coasts of South America and the Gulf of Mexico and migrate to the central Canadian Arctic to breed. Due to the lack of coastal or lakeshore habitat within the proposed project, no impacts to these species are expected.

The American burying beetle is considered a habitat generalist and can occupy vegetation such as wet meadows, partially forested loess canyons, oak-hickory forests, shrublands, grasslands, riparian zones, and coniferous or deciduous forests with an open understory. This species typically does not utilize habitats that are frequently altered by mowing or other land uses. The proposed project area could potentially serve as habitat for this species, but the minimally invasive nature of the proposed project would likely preclude it from causing disturbance to this species.

USFWS PROJECT REVIEW

Goshawk, as the non-federal representative for the Federal Communications Commission, initiated informal consultation with USFWS through the service’s online project review process in accordance with procedures outlined by the Oklahoma Ecological Services Field Office. An official species list and action area map were generated using the USFWS IPaC tool and utilized to support development of the project review package. Effect determinations of “no effect” or “may effect, not likely to adversely affect” were made for three federally listed species. The project review package was reviewed and approved by USFWS on 10 March 2026, satisfying requirements of Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act for the proposed project. No additional mitigation measures for federally listed species will be required. The proposed project will not require mitigation for impacts to federally listed species.



CULTURAL RESOURCES REVIEW

Goshawk conducted a desktop Cultural Resources Review of the proposed project. Archival research was conducted using records and GIS data derived from the Oklahoma Archeological Survey (OAS) File Search, records from the Oklahoma State Historic Preservation Office online project submission portal (OKSHPO SHARE), historic USGS maps from the topoView maps service, historic aerial orthoimage maps from the Historic Aerials maps service, the National Park Service (NPS) National Register of Historic Places Dataset, and the Natural Resources Conservation Service Web Soil Survey.

The proposed project is located on the Kendrick 7.5' USGS Topographic Quadrangle (Figure 2). The proposed project is depicted on a white background (grassland), and the nearest mapped stream is 920 feet (280 meters) to the northeast. Aerial orthoimagery indicates that the proposed project is located on the edge of a pasture bordering a wooded area (Figure 3). More recent orthoimagery available on Google Earth also indicates the presence of a driveway and metal structure in the pasture area.

ARCHIVAL RESEARCH

According to the OAS, there are two previously recorded archeological sites within 1 mile of the proposed project. Site 34LN146 is mapped 3,766 feet southeast of the proposed project. The site was recorded by Diane A. Cargill and William Menzie in 2001 as part of the Kendrick Rural Water District project. The site consisted of a scatter of historic artifacts within a right-of-way. The artifact assemblage consisted of whiteware and stoneware ceramics, solarized amethyst glass, aqua glass, milk glass, a metal can lid, parts of a metal stove, and other domestic artifacts and refuse. A diagnostic jar base embossed with "KERRGLASS MFG CO... PAT AUG 31 1915" was located during survey. The recorders estimated the site dates between 1890 and 1929. A total of three shovel tests were conducted during field investigation; two pieces of scrap metal were found at 0- to 10-centimeter level, and one metal fragment was found at 20- to 30-centimeter level. The site was interpreted as a domestic refuse scatter and was recommended by recorders as ineligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). Testimony from locals within the area reported artifact collecting within the site, suggesting the site has been vandalized.

Site 34LN147 is 4,816 feet east of the proposed project. This site was also recorded by Diane A. Cargill and William Menzie in 2001, again as part of the Kendrick Rural Water District project. The site consists of an old railroad bed with no affiliated artifacts. This section of railroad is affiliated with the Atchison, Topeka, and Santa Fe Railroad and was likely constructed in the early 1900's. The rails, ties, and spikes have been removed from the railroad, leaving just the railroad bed in place. The railroad bed is currently in use as an access road for various farms within the vicinity. The site was recommended by recorders as ineligible for listing on the NRHP.

The nearest NRHP-listed property is the Old Stroud School, which lies 6.65 miles northwest of the proposed project at the junction of I-44 and SH-99. The Old Stroud School was built by the Works Progress Administration (WPA) in 1936 and was sold to the Oklahoma Turnpike Authority in 1947 to be used as an office. The school is a two-room concrete building featuring a gabled porch, which is an architectural feature not seen in other WPA-era schools. The Old Stroud School was listed on the



NRHP in 1997 under criteria “A” and “C”, as the school contributed to the economic viability and the quality of education within Lincoln County, and serves as an example of the WPA Standardized Style of architecture.

The nearest National Register District (NRD) is the Ozark Trails Section of Route 66, which is approximately 6.15 miles southeast of the proposed project. The district comprises a section of road that was a part of the original Route 66. The road was built as part of the Ozark Trails Road Network project and was designated as part of Route 66 in 1926. A new paved road was built to the north in 1930, and Route 66 was routed through the new road, bypassing this older section. The district contains portions of the original roadbed, an Ozark Trails monument, and several stone box drains. The Pratt Pony Truss Bridge is located within the district, which is a historic bridge that was listed in the National Register in 2003. The Ozark Trails Section of Route 66 was elevated to the NRD for its contribution to transportation history.

HISTORIC MAP AND IMAGERY REVIEW

A search of historic USGS topographic and aerial orthoimage maps was conducted to determine the likelihood of historic structures or archeological sites within the proposed project. Nine topographic maps were examined, ranging from 1908 to 1990. No structures, roads, or other notable cultural manifestations were observed on any of the topographic maps. Twelve aerial maps were examined, ranging from 1974 to 2023. The property the proposed project is located within was largely undisturbed until 2023, when a driveway and structure were constructed on the southern side of the property. Prior to 2023, the property appears to have been mostly uncleared, with some maintained pasture on the southern side of the property.

SOILS REVIEW

There are four soils mapped within the proposed project: Chickasha loam, Darnell-Stephenville complex, Renthin-Grainola complex, and Stephenville fine sandy loam. Chickasha loam consists of deep, sandy clay loams composed of loamy residuum weathered from sandstone. These soils are typically located on hills and are well drained with a low runoff. They exhibit a moderate potential to contain stratified and intact archeological deposits. Darnell-Stephenville complex consists of shallow, fine sandy loams composed of residuum weathered from sandstone. These soils are typically located on hills and are well drained with medium runoff. They exhibit a low potential to contain stratified and intact archeological deposits. Renthin-Grainola complex consists of deep, silty clay loams overlaying clay and are composed of clayey and silty residuum weathered from shale. These soils are typically located on hills and are well drained with high runoff. They exhibit a low potential to contain stratified and intact archeological sites. Stephenville fine sandy loam consists of deep, fine sandy loams composed of loamy residuum weathered from sandstone. These soils are typically located in low hills and are well drained with medium runoff. They exhibit a low potential to contain stratified and intact archeological sites. Overall, the proposed project area exhibits a low to moderate potential for the presence of stratified deposits likely to preserve archeological deposits that would be considered eligible for the NRHP under criterion “D”.



OKLAHOMA SHPO CONSULTATION

Goshawk provided the above information, as well as FCC form 620, to the Oklahoma SHPOs office for consultation. The Oklahoma SHPOs office concurred with the finding of “no historic properties affected” on 15 April 2026.

SUMMARY

Based on the results of the desktop environmental review and consultation with the USFWS and Oklahoma SHPO, it is Goshawk’s opinion that construction of the proposed Stroud Communication Tower is unlikely to impact any sensitive natural resources. Documentation submitted to the USFWS and the Oklahoma SHPO are appended to this letter report.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us at sevens@goshawkenv.com or (737) 888-1136.

Sincerely,



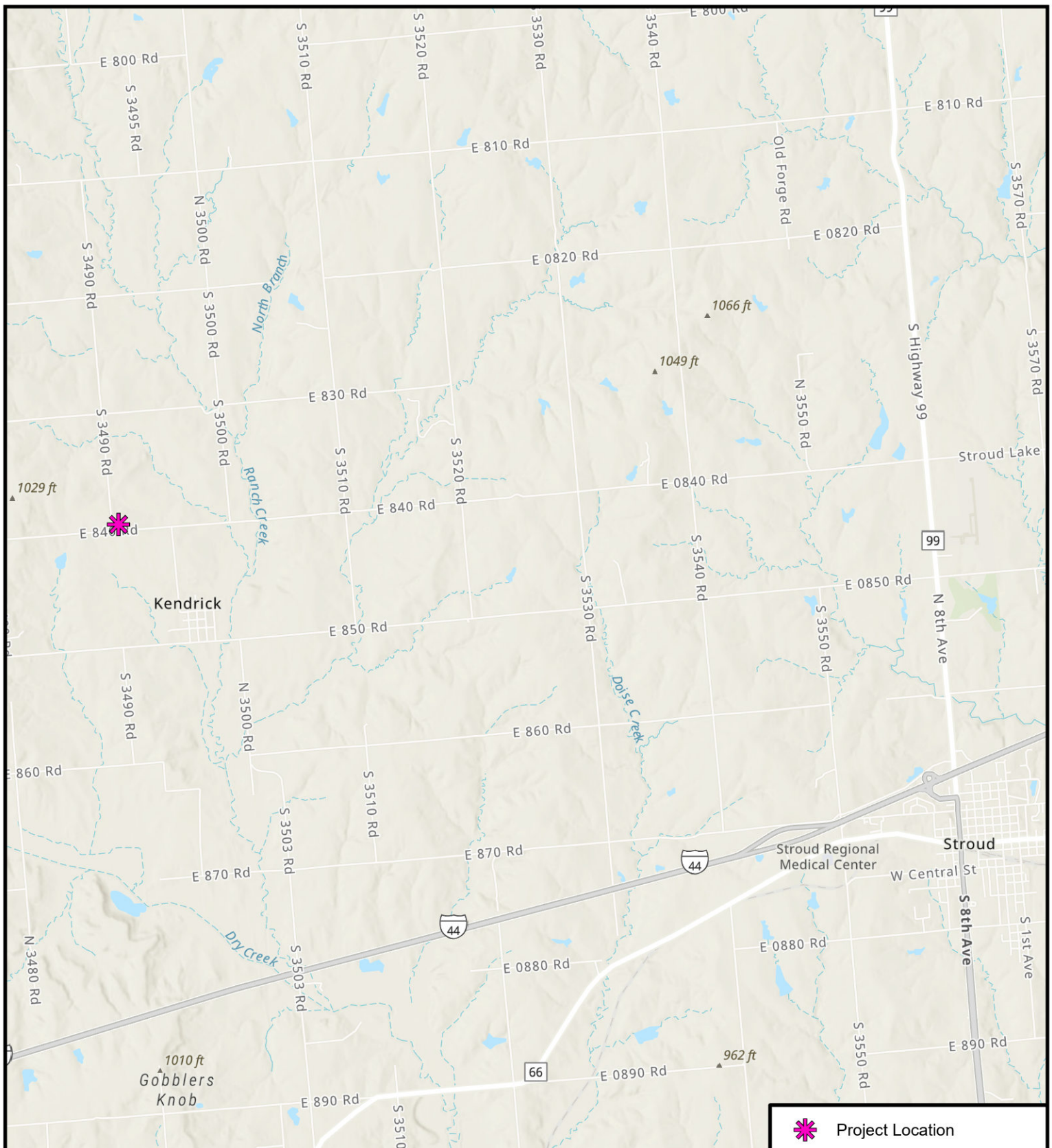
Thomas Norris
Senior Ecologist



Steven R. Evans, MA, RPA
President and Principal Investigator



APPENDIX A
FIGURES



Project Location

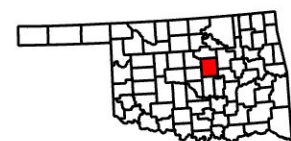
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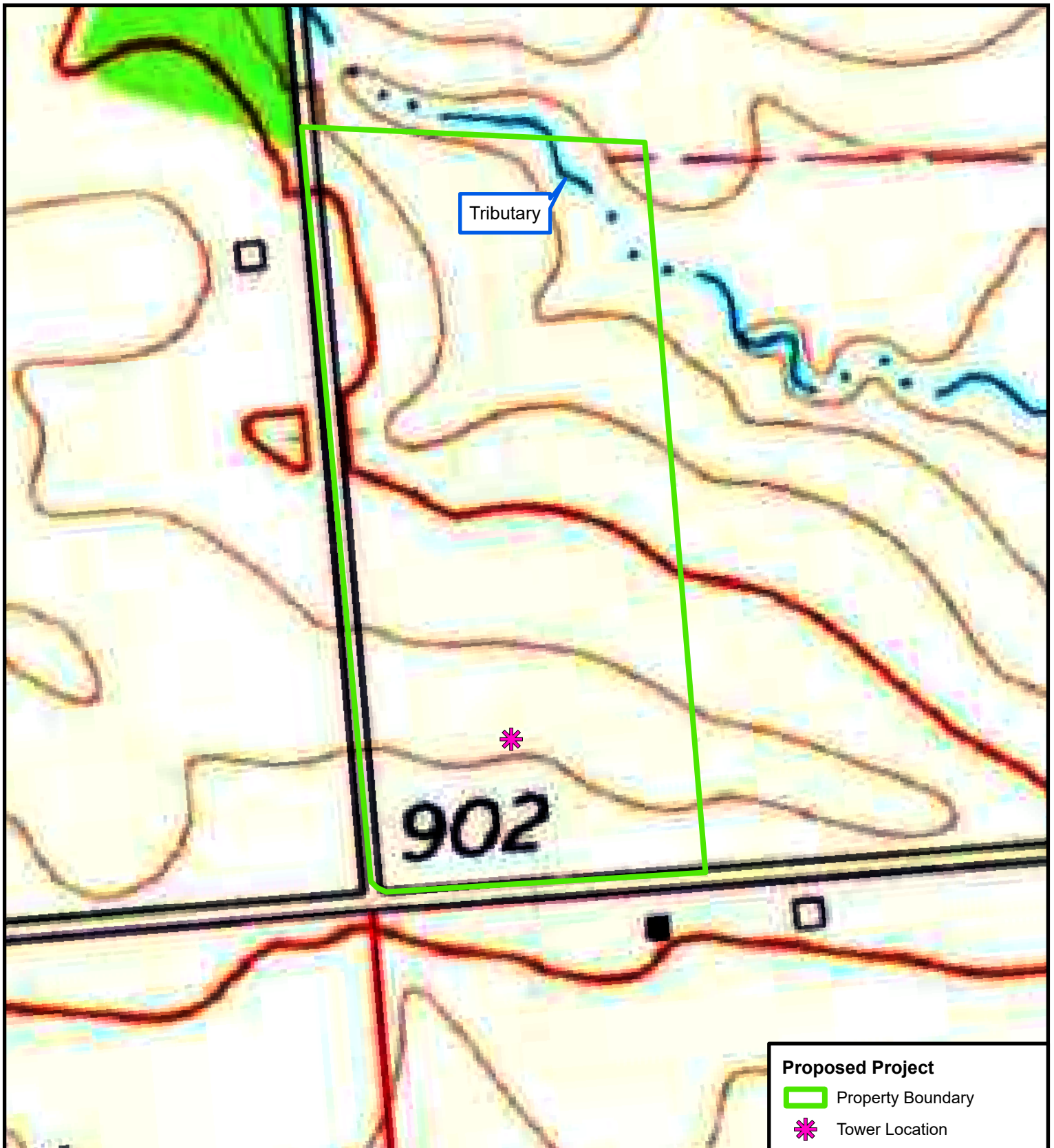
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Figure 1
Vicinity Map
Lincoln County, Oklahoma

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Proposed Project

-  Property Boundary
-  Tower Location

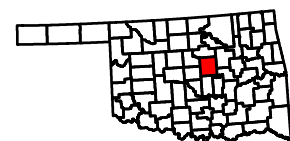
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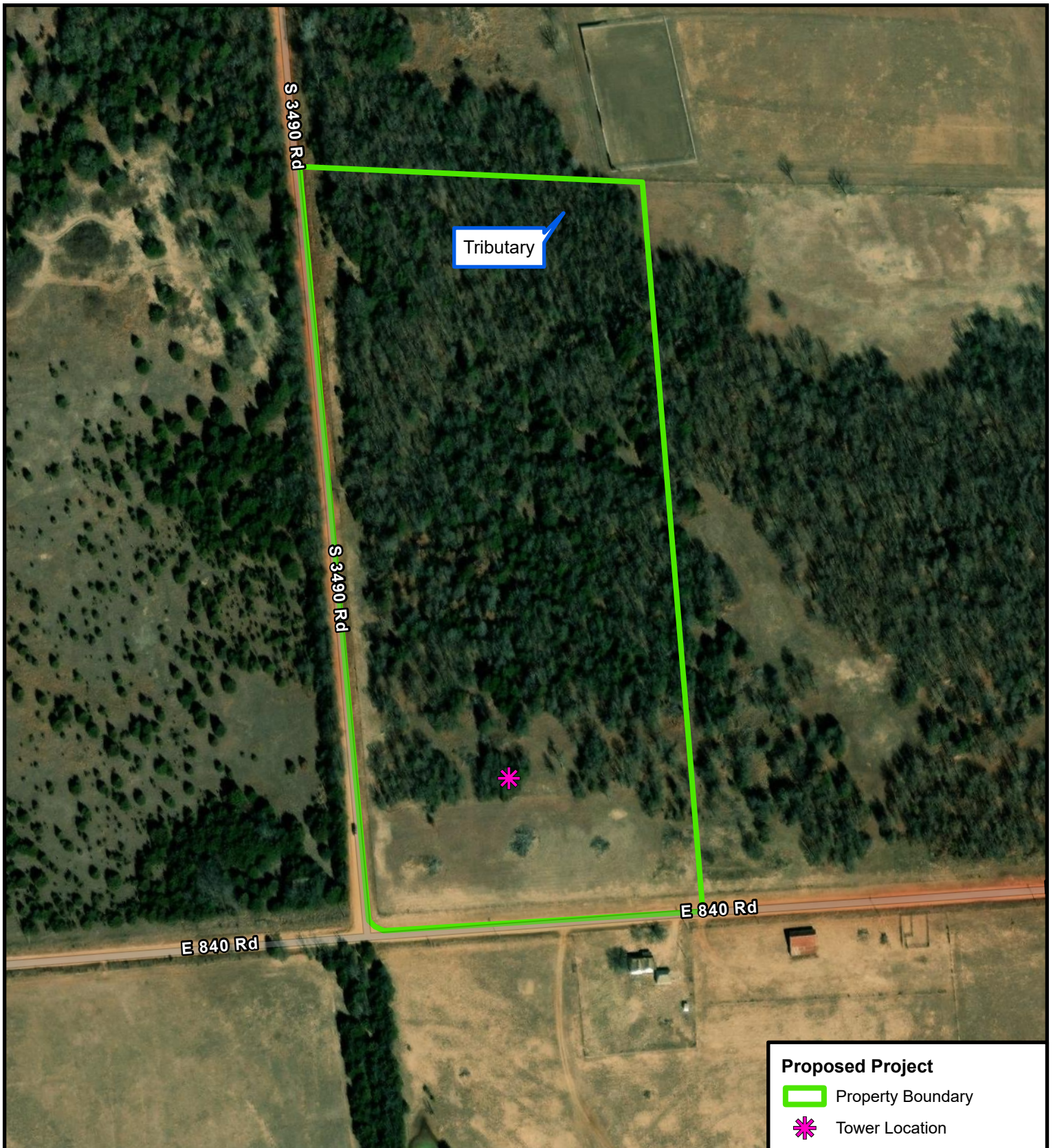
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Figure 2
USGS Topographic Map
Lincoln County, Oklahoma

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Map Source: Esri, DigitalGlobe, GeoEye, Earthstar Geographics, CNES/Airbus DS, USDA, USGS, AeroGrid, IGN, and the GIS User Community.

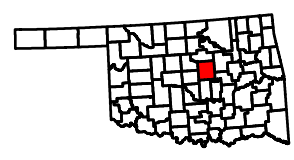
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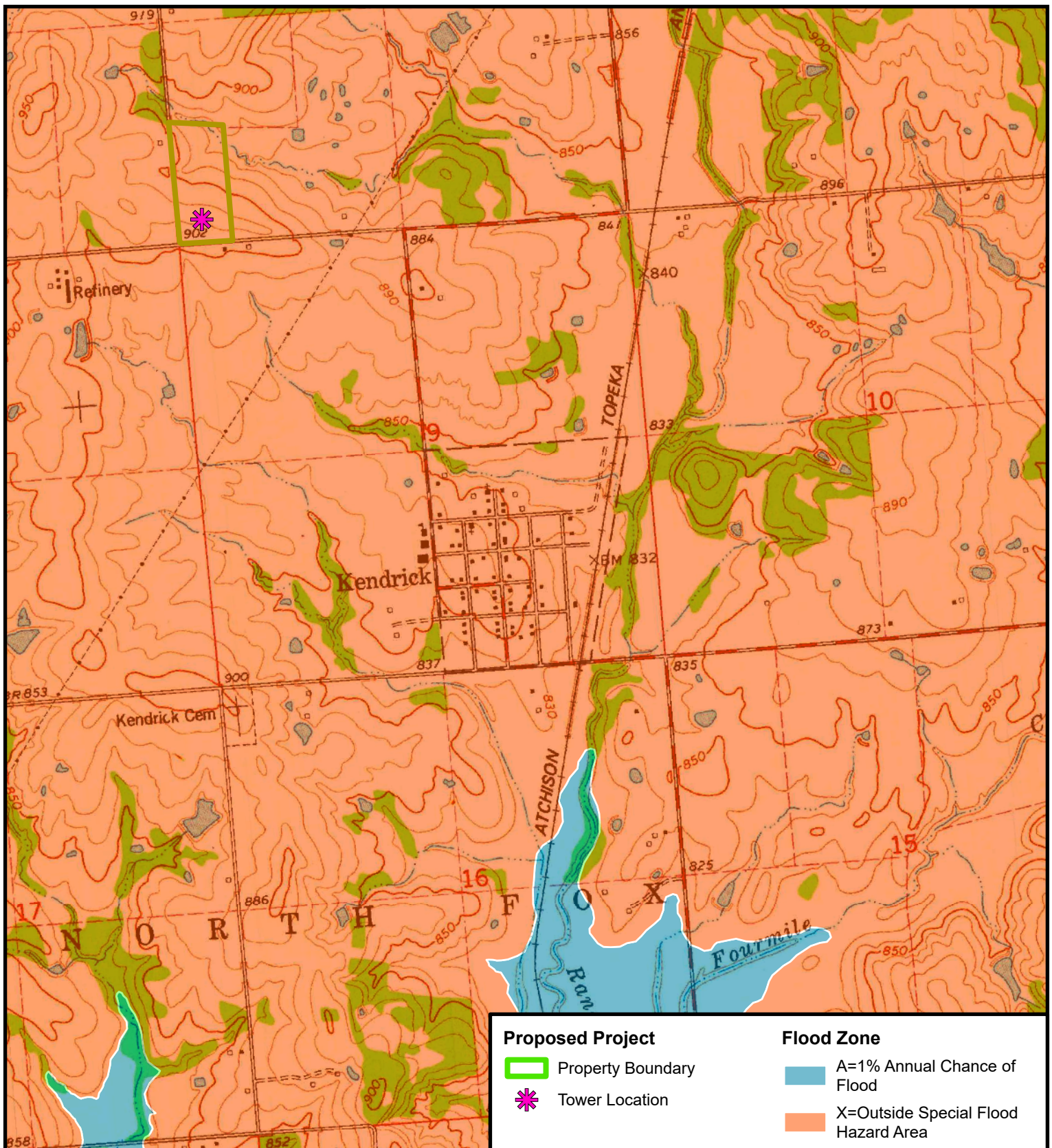


Figure 3
Aerial Orthoimagery
Lincoln County, Oklahoma

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Map Source: FEMA, DFIRM Database, Lincoln County, Oklahoma; Panel #40081C0250D; Effective Date: November 04, 2010. USGS, Kendrick, Oklahoma Quadrangle.

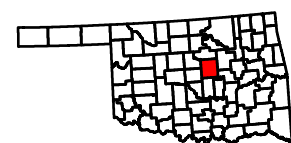
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Figure 4
FEMA Flood Hazard Area
Lincoln County, Oklahoma

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APPENDIX B
USFWS PROJECT REVIEW PACKAGE



United States Department of the Interior
FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE
Ecological Services Program



Oklahoma Ecological Services Field Office
9014 East 21st Street
Tulsa, Oklahoma 74129
(918) 581-7458 (Office) / (918) 581-7467 (Fax)

Date:

To:

Project Name:

Consultation Code:

Dear Project Proponent:

Thank you for using the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) Oklahoma Ecological Services Field Office (ESFO) online project review process. By providing this letter in conjunction with your complete project review package, you are certifying that you have accurately completed the USFWS Online Project Review Process for the referenced project in accordance with all instructions provided, using the best available information to reach your conclusions. Concurrence with “not likely to adversely affect” determinations does not provide any exemption for violations of section 9 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531-1544, 87 Stat. 884), as amended (ESA) or “take” of federally-listed species. The Federal action agency is ultimately responsible for ensuring compliance with the ESA and any take that occurs due to your proposed action would be considered a violation under section 9 of the ESA.

This letter and the enclosed project review package complete the review of your project in accordance with the ESA. This letter also provides information for your project review under the National Environmental Policy Act (National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190, 42 U.S.C. 4321-4347, 83 Stat. 852), as amended.

A copy of this letter, with all forms completed, and the project review package must be emailed to **okprojectreview@fws.gov** for this certification to be valid. This letter and the project review package will be maintained in Service records. **Please allow the Oklahoma ESFO 45 days to review your information. If the Oklahoma ESFO determines that the package is not complete, or that additional coordination is necessary, we will contact you. If, after 45 days from the date of your email submittal of your project review package, the Oklahoma ESFO has not contacted you, consider your section 7 consultation complete.**

The proposed action consists of:

Project start and completion dates:

Federal agency or federal program providing a permit, grant, authorization, loan, etc. associated with the proposed project and how that agency is associated with your project:

Federal Agency/Program Point of Contact (name, phone, and email address):

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United States Department of the Interior

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In Reply Refer To:

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Project Code: 2026-0048626

Project Name: Stroud Communication Tower

Subject: List of threatened and endangered species that may occur in your proposed project location or may be affected by your proposed project

To Whom It May Concern:

The enclosed species list identifies threatened, endangered, proposed and candidate species, as well as proposed and final designated critical habitat, that may occur within the boundary of your proposed project and/or may be affected by your proposed project. The species list fulfills the requirements of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) under section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act (Act) of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

New information based on updated surveys, changes in the abundance and distribution of species, changed habitat conditions, or other factors could change this list. Please feel free to contact us if you need more current information or assistance regarding the potential impacts to federally proposed, listed, and candidate species and federally designated and proposed critical habitat. Please note that under 50 CFR 402.12(e) of the regulations implementing section 7 of the Act, the accuracy of this species list should be verified after 90 days. This verification can be completed formally or informally as desired. The Service recommends that verification be completed by visiting the IPaC website at regular intervals during project planning and implementation for updates to species lists and information. An updated list may be requested through the IPaC system by completing the same process used to receive the enclosed list.

The purpose of the Act is to provide a means whereby threatened and endangered species and the ecosystems upon which they depend may be conserved. Under sections 7(a)(1) and 7(a)(2) of the Act and its implementing regulations (50 CFR 402 *et seq.*), Federal agencies are required to utilize their authorities to carry out programs for the conservation of threatened and endangered species and to determine whether projects may affect threatened and endangered species and/or designated critical habitat.

A Biological Assessment is required for construction projects (or other undertakings having similar physical impacts) that are major Federal actions significantly affecting the quality of the human environment as defined in the National Environmental Policy Act (42 U.S.C. 4332(2) (c)). For projects other than major construction activities, the Service suggests that a biological

evaluation similar to a Biological Assessment be prepared to determine whether the project may affect listed or proposed species and/or designated or proposed critical habitat. Recommended contents of a Biological Assessment are described at 50 CFR 402.12.

If a Federal agency determines, based on the Biological Assessment or biological evaluation, that listed species and/or designated critical habitat may be affected by the proposed project, the agency is required to consult with the Service pursuant to 50 CFR 402. In addition, the Service recommends that candidate species, proposed species and proposed critical habitat be addressed within the consultation. More information on the regulations and procedures for section 7 consultation, including the role of permit or license applicants, can be found in the "Endangered Species Consultation Handbook" at:

<https://www.fws.gov/sites/default/files/documents/endangered-species-consultation-handbook.pdf>

Migratory Birds: In addition to responsibilities to protect threatened and endangered species under the Endangered Species Act (ESA), there are additional responsibilities under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA) and the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (BGEPA) to protect native birds from project-related impacts. Any activity resulting in take of migratory birds, including eagles, is prohibited unless otherwise permitted by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (50 C.F.R. Sec. 10.12 and 16 U.S.C. Sec. 668(a)). For more information regarding these Acts, see <https://www.fws.gov/program/migratory-bird-permit/what-we-do>.

It is the responsibility of the project proponent to comply with these Acts by identifying potential impacts to migratory birds and eagles within applicable NEPA documents (when there is a federal nexus) or a Bird/Eagle Conservation Plan (when there is no federal nexus). Proponents should implement conservation measures to avoid or minimize the production of project-related stressors or minimize the exposure of birds and their resources to the project-related stressors. For more information on avian stressors and recommended conservation measures, see <https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/threats-birds>.

In addition to MBTA and BGEPA, Executive Order 13186: *Responsibilities of Federal Agencies to Protect Migratory Birds*, obligates all Federal agencies that engage in or authorize activities that might affect migratory birds, to minimize those effects and encourage conservation measures that will improve bird populations. Executive Order 13186 provides for the protection of both migratory birds and migratory bird habitat. For information regarding the implementation of Executive Order 13186, please visit <https://www.fws.gov/partner/council-conservation-migratory-birds>.

We appreciate your concern for threatened and endangered species. The Service encourages Federal agencies to include conservation of threatened and endangered species into their project planning to further the purposes of the Act. Please include the Consultation Code in the header of this letter with any request for consultation or correspondence about your project that you submit to our office.

Attachment(s):

- Official Species List

- USFWS National Wildlife Refuges and Fish Hatcheries
- Bald & Golden Eagles
- Migratory Birds
- Wetlands

OFFICIAL SPECIES LIST

This list is provided pursuant to Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, and fulfills the requirement for Federal agencies to "request of the Secretary of the Interior information whether any species which is listed or proposed to be listed may be present in the area of a proposed action".

This species list is provided by:

Oklahoma Ecological Services Field Office

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Tulsa, OK 74129-1428

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PROJECT SUMMARY

Project Code: 2026-0048626
Project Name: Stroud Communication Tower
Project Type: Communication Tower New Construction
Project Description: One 18-foot-tall Communication Tower

Project Location:

The approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: <https://www.google.com/maps/@35.79864245,-96.78637473261622,14z>



Counties: Lincoln County, Oklahoma

ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT SPECIES

There is a total of 4 threatened, endangered, or candidate species on this species list.

Species on this list should be considered in an effects analysis for your project and could include species that exist in another geographic area. For example, certain fish may appear on the species list because a project could affect downstream species.

IPaC does not display listed species or critical habitats under the sole jurisdiction of NOAA Fisheries¹, as USFWS does not have the authority to speak on behalf of NOAA and the Department of Commerce.

See the "Critical habitats" section below for those critical habitats that lie wholly or partially within your project area under this office's jurisdiction. Please contact the designated FWS office if you have questions.

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1. [NOAA Fisheries](#), also known as the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), is an office of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration within the Department of Commerce.

BIRDS

NAME	STATUS
Piping Plover <i>Charadrius melodus</i> Population: [Atlantic Coast and Northern Great Plains populations] - Wherever found, except those areas where listed as endangered. There is final critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/6039	Threatened
Rufa Red Knot <i>Calidris canutus rufa</i> There is proposed critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1864	Threatened

INSECTS

NAME	STATUS
American Burying Beetle <i>Nicrophorus americanus</i> Population: Wherever found, except where listed as an experimental population No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/66	Threatened
Monarch Butterfly <i>Danaus plexippus</i> There is proposed critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9743	Proposed Threatened

CRITICAL HABITATS

THERE ARE NO CRITICAL HABITATS WITHIN YOUR PROJECT AREA UNDER THIS OFFICE'S JURISDICTION.

YOU ARE STILL REQUIRED TO DETERMINE IF YOUR PROJECT(S) MAY HAVE EFFECTS ON ALL ABOVE LISTED SPECIES.

USFWS NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE LANDS AND FISH HATCHERIES

Any activity proposed on lands managed by the [National Wildlife Refuge](#) system must undergo a 'Compatibility Determination' conducted by the Refuge. Please contact the individual Refuges to discuss any questions or concerns.

THERE ARE NO REFUGE LANDS OR FISH HATCHERIES WITHIN YOUR PROJECT AREA.

BALD & GOLDEN EAGLES

Bald and Golden Eagles are protected under the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act ² and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA) ¹. Any person or organization who plans or conducts activities that may result in impacts to Bald or Golden Eagles, or their habitats, should follow appropriate regulations and consider implementing appropriate avoidance and minimization measures, as described in the various links on this page.

1. The [Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act](#) of 1940.
2. The [Migratory Birds Treaty Act](#) of 1918.
3. 50 C.F.R. Sec. 10.12 and 16 U.S.C. Sec. 668(a)

There are Bald Eagles and/or Golden Eagles in your [project](#) area.

Measures for Proactively Minimizing Eagle Impacts

For information on how to best avoid and minimize disturbance to nesting bald eagles, please review the [National Bald Eagle Management Guidelines](#). You may employ the timing and activity-specific distance recommendations in this document when designing your project/activity to avoid and minimize eagle impacts. For bald eagle information specific to Alaska, please refer to [Bald Eagle Nesting and Sensitivity to Human Activity](#).

The FWS does not currently have guidelines for avoiding and minimizing disturbance to nesting Golden Eagles. For site-specific recommendations regarding nesting Golden Eagles, please consult with the appropriate Regional [Migratory Bird Office](#) or [Ecological Services Field Office](#).

If disturbance or take of eagles cannot be avoided, an [incidental take permit](#) may be available to authorize any take that results from, but is not the purpose of, an otherwise lawful activity. For assistance making this determination for Bald Eagles, visit the [Do I Need A Permit Tool](#). For assistance making this determination for golden eagles, please consult with the appropriate Regional [Migratory Bird Office](#) or [Ecological Services Field Office](#).

Ensure Your Eagle List is Accurate and Complete

If your project area is in a poorly surveyed area in IPaC, your list may not be complete and you may need to rely on other resources to determine what species may be present (e.g. your local FWS field office, state surveys, your own surveys). Please review the [Supplemental Information on Migratory Birds and Eagles](#), to help you properly interpret the report for your specified location, including determining if there is sufficient data to ensure your list is accurate.

For guidance on when to schedule activities or implement avoidance and minimization measures to reduce impacts to bald or golden eagles on your list, see the "Probability of Presence Summary" below to see when these bald or golden eagles are most likely to be present and breeding in your project area.

NAME	BREEDING SEASON
Bald Eagle <i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i> This is not a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) in this area, but warrants attention because of the Eagle Act or for potential susceptibilities in offshore areas from certain types of development or activities. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1626	Breeds Sep 1 to Jul 31

PROBABILITY OF PRESENCE SUMMARY

The graphs below provide our best understanding of when birds of concern are most likely to be present in your project area. This information can be used to tailor and schedule your project activities to avoid or minimize impacts to birds. Please make sure you read "[Supplemental Information on Migratory Birds and Eagles](#)", specifically the FAQ section titled "Proper Interpretation and Use of Your Migratory Bird Report" before using or attempting to interpret this report.

Probability of Presence (■)

Green bars; the bird's relative probability of presence in the 10km grid cell(s) your project overlaps during that week of the year.

Breeding Season (■)

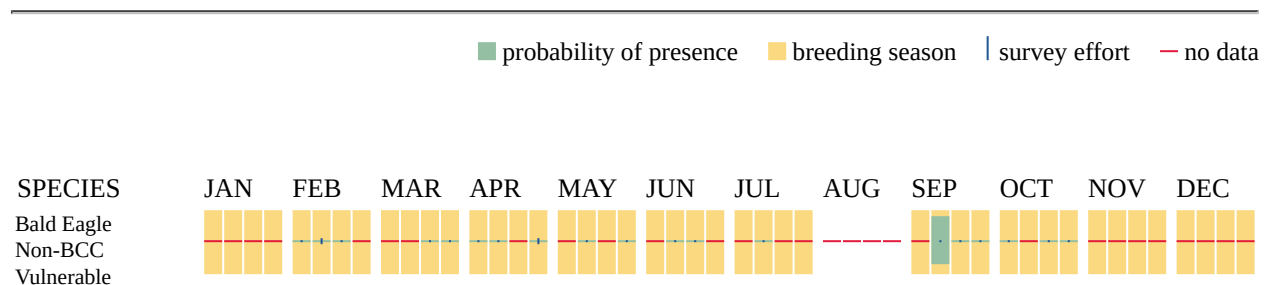
Yellow bars; liberal estimate of the timeframe inside which the bird breeds across its entire range.

Survey Effort (|)

Vertical black lines; the number of surveys performed for that species in the 10km grid cell(s) your project area overlaps.

No Data (—)

A week is marked as having no data if there were no survey events for that week.



Additional information can be found using the following links:

- Eagle Management <https://www.fws.gov/program/eagle-management>
- Measures for avoiding and minimizing impacts to birds <https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/avoiding-and-minimizing-incident-take-migratory-birds>

- Nationwide avoidance and minimization measures for birds <https://www.fws.gov/sites/default/files/documents/nationwide-standard-conservation-measures.pdf>
- Supplemental Information for Migratory Birds and Eagles in IPaC <https://www.fws.gov/media/supplemental-information-migratory-birds-and-bald-and-golden-eagles-may-occur-project-action>

MIGRATORY BIRDS

The Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA) ¹ prohibits the take (including killing, capturing, selling, trading, and transport) of protected migratory bird species without prior authorization by the Department of Interior U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service).

1. The [Migratory Birds Treaty Act](#) of 1918.
2. The [Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act](#) of 1940.
3. 50 C.F.R. Sec. 10.12 and 16 U.S.C. Sec. 668(a)

For guidance on when to schedule activities or implement avoidance and minimization measures to reduce impacts to migratory birds on your list, see the "Probability of Presence Summary" below to see when these birds are most likely to be present and breeding in your project area.

NAME	BREEDING SEASON
Bald Eagle <i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i> This is not a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) in this area, but warrants attention because of the Eagle Act or for potential susceptibilities in offshore areas from certain types of development or activities. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1626	Breeds Sep 1 to Jul 31
Prairie Loggerhead Shrike <i>Lanius ludovicianus excubitorides</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8833	Breeds Feb 1 to Jul 31
Red-headed Woodpecker <i>Melanerpes erythrocephalus</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9398	Breeds May 10 to Sep 10

PROBABILITY OF PRESENCE SUMMARY

The graphs below provide our best understanding of when birds of concern are most likely to be present in your project area. This information can be used to tailor and schedule your project activities to avoid or minimize impacts to birds. Please make sure you read "[Supplemental Information on Migratory Birds and Eagles](#)", specifically the FAQ section titled "Proper

Interpretation and Use of Your Migratory Bird Report" before using or attempting to interpret this report.

Probability of Presence (■)

Green bars; the bird's relative probability of presence in the 10km grid cell(s) your project overlaps during that week of the year.

Breeding Season (■)

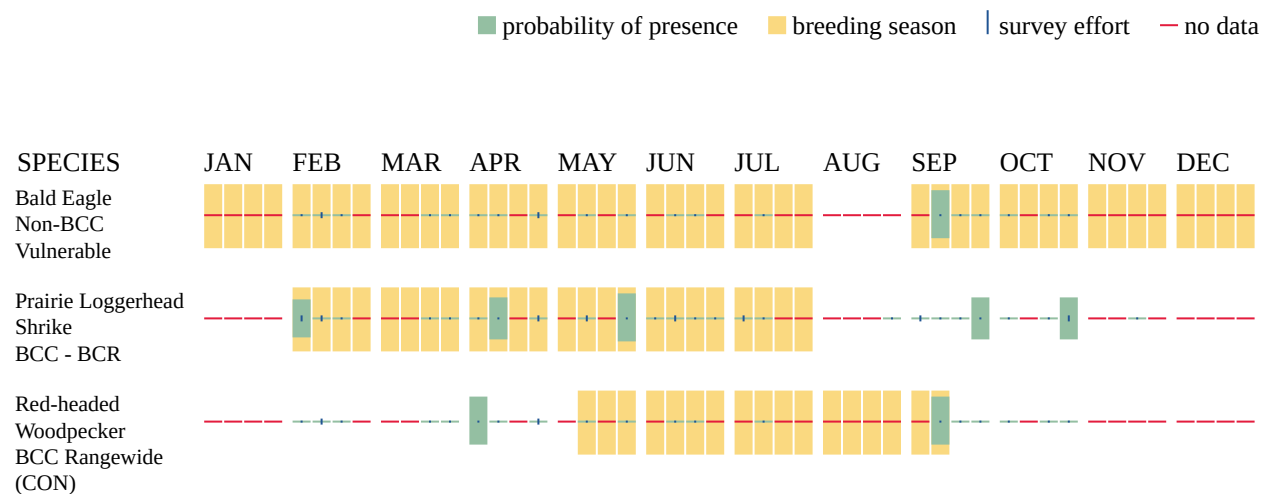
Yellow bars; liberal estimate of the timeframe inside which the bird breeds across its entire range.

Survey Effort (|)

Vertical black lines; the number of surveys performed for that species in the 10km grid cell(s) your project area overlaps.

No Data (—)

A week is marked as having no data if there were no survey events for that week.



Additional information can be found using the following links:

- Eagle Management <https://www.fws.gov/program/eagle-management>
- Measures for avoiding and minimizing impacts to birds <https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/avoiding-and-minimizing-incidental-take-migratory-birds>
- Nationwide avoidance and minimization measures for birds
- Supplemental Information for Migratory Birds and Eagles in IPaC <https://www.fws.gov/media/supplemental-information-migratory-birds-and-bald-and-golden-eagles-may-occur-project-action>

WETLANDS

Impacts to [NWI wetlands](#) and other aquatic habitats may be subject to regulation under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, or other State/Federal statutes.

For more information please contact the Regulatory Program of the local [U.S. Army Corps of Engineers District](#).

Please note that the NWI data being shown may be out of date. We are currently working to update our NWI data set. We recommend you verify these results with a site visit to determine the actual extent of wetlands on site.

WETLAND INFORMATION WAS NOT AVAILABLE WHEN THIS SPECIES LIST WAS GENERATED.
PLEASE VISIT [HTTPS://WWW.FWS.GOV/WETLANDS/DATA/MAPPER.HTML](https://www.fws.gov/wetlands/data/mapper.html) OR CONTACT THE FIELD OFFICE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

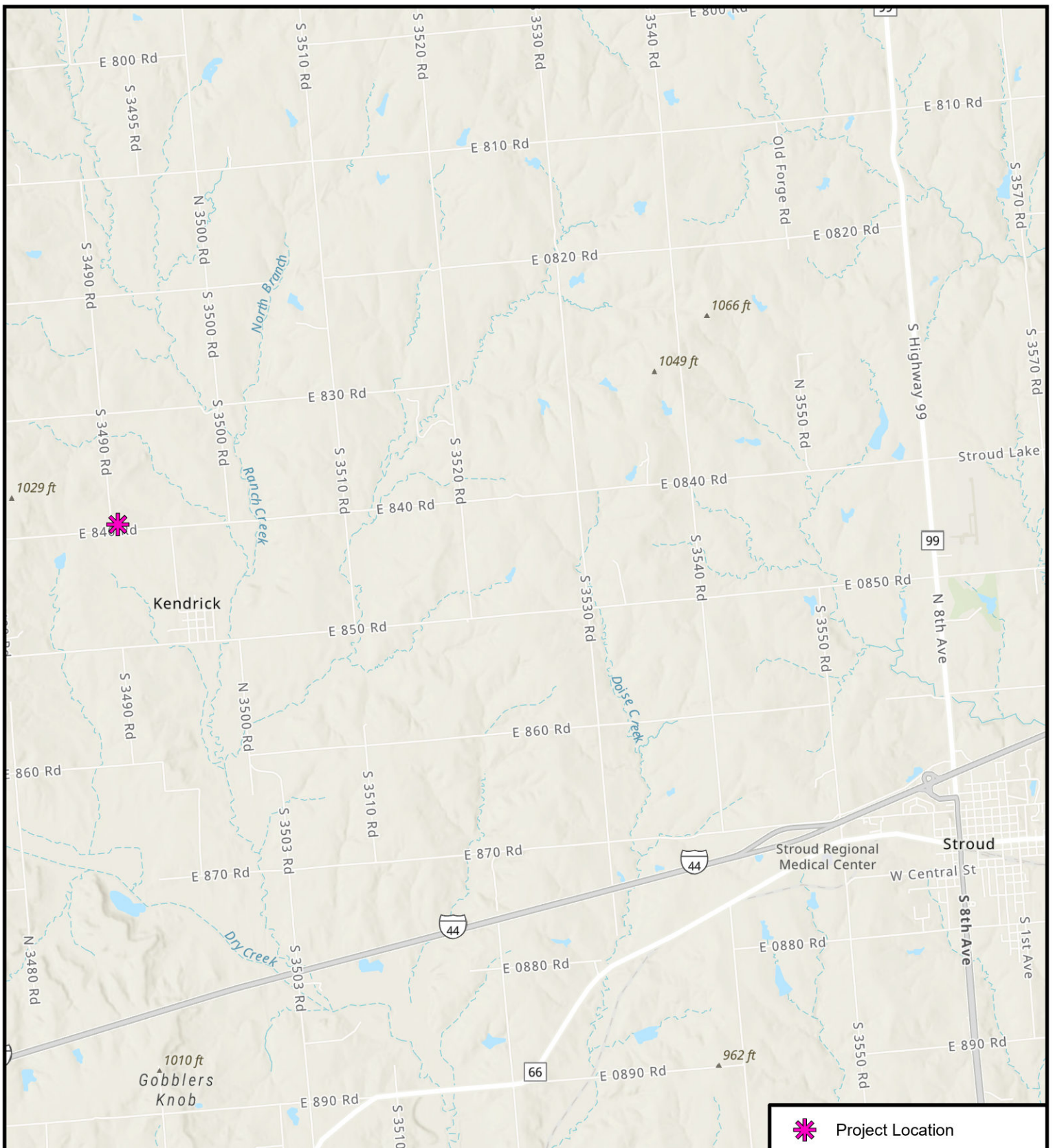
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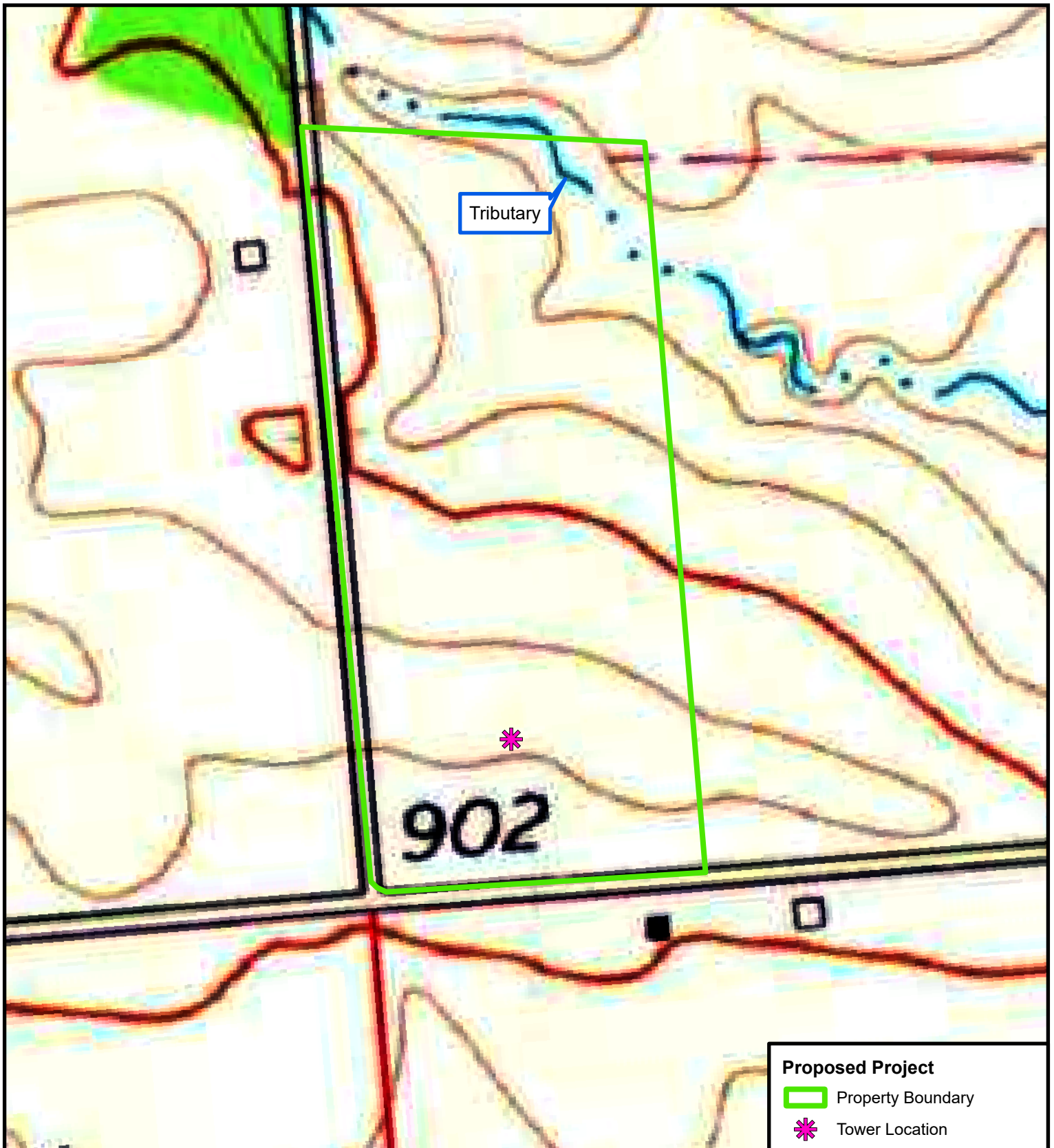
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Project Location

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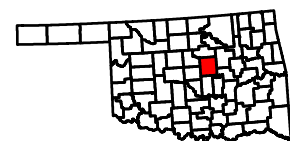
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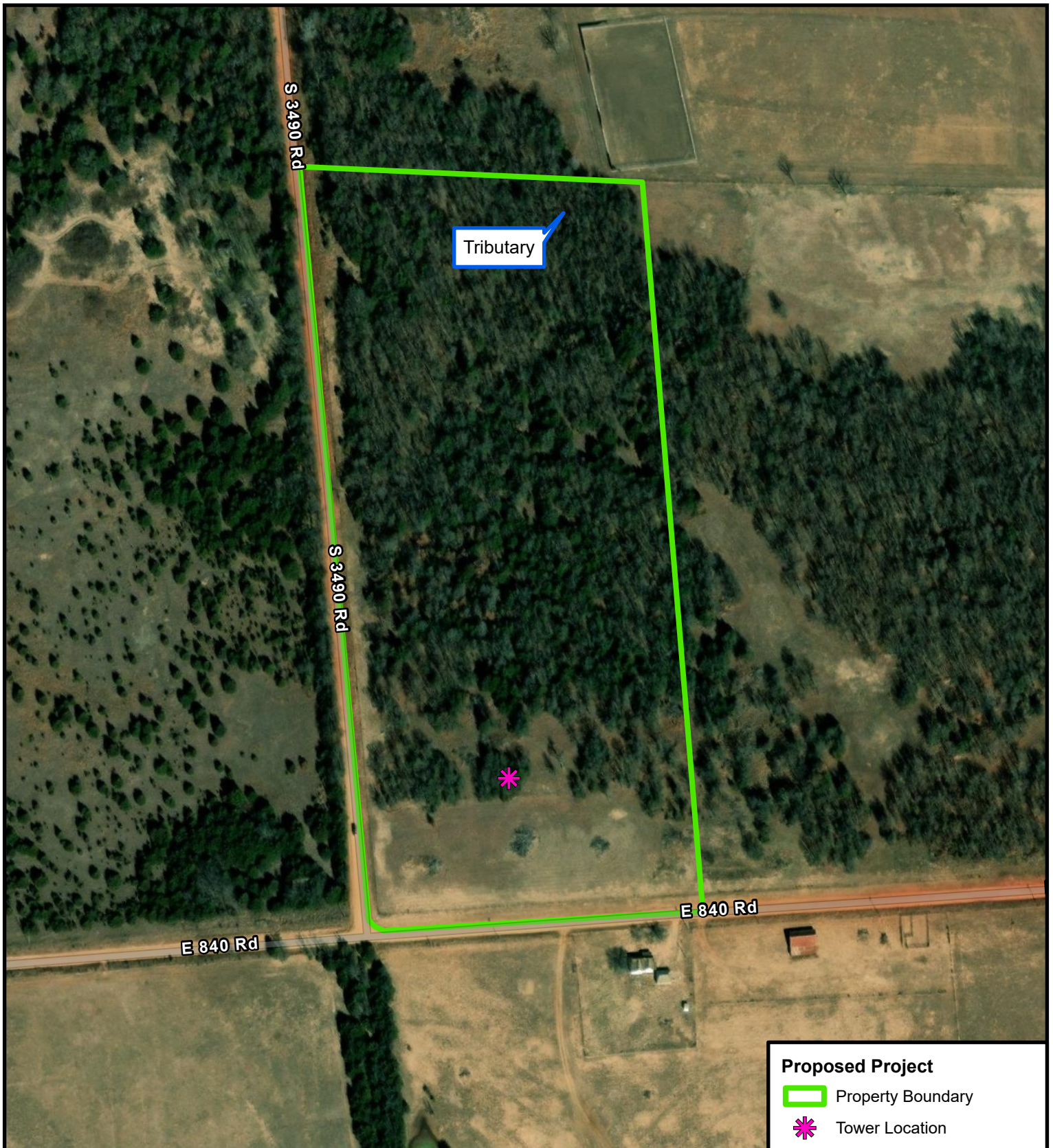
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Figure 2
USGS Topographic Map
Lincoln County, Oklahoma

Blinkly, Inc.
Stroud Communications Tower





Proposed Project

 Property Boundary

 Tower Location

Map Source: Esri, DigitalGlobe, GeoEye, Earthstar Geographics, CNES/Airbus DS, USDA, USGS, AeroGrid, IGN, and the GIS User Community.

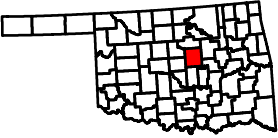
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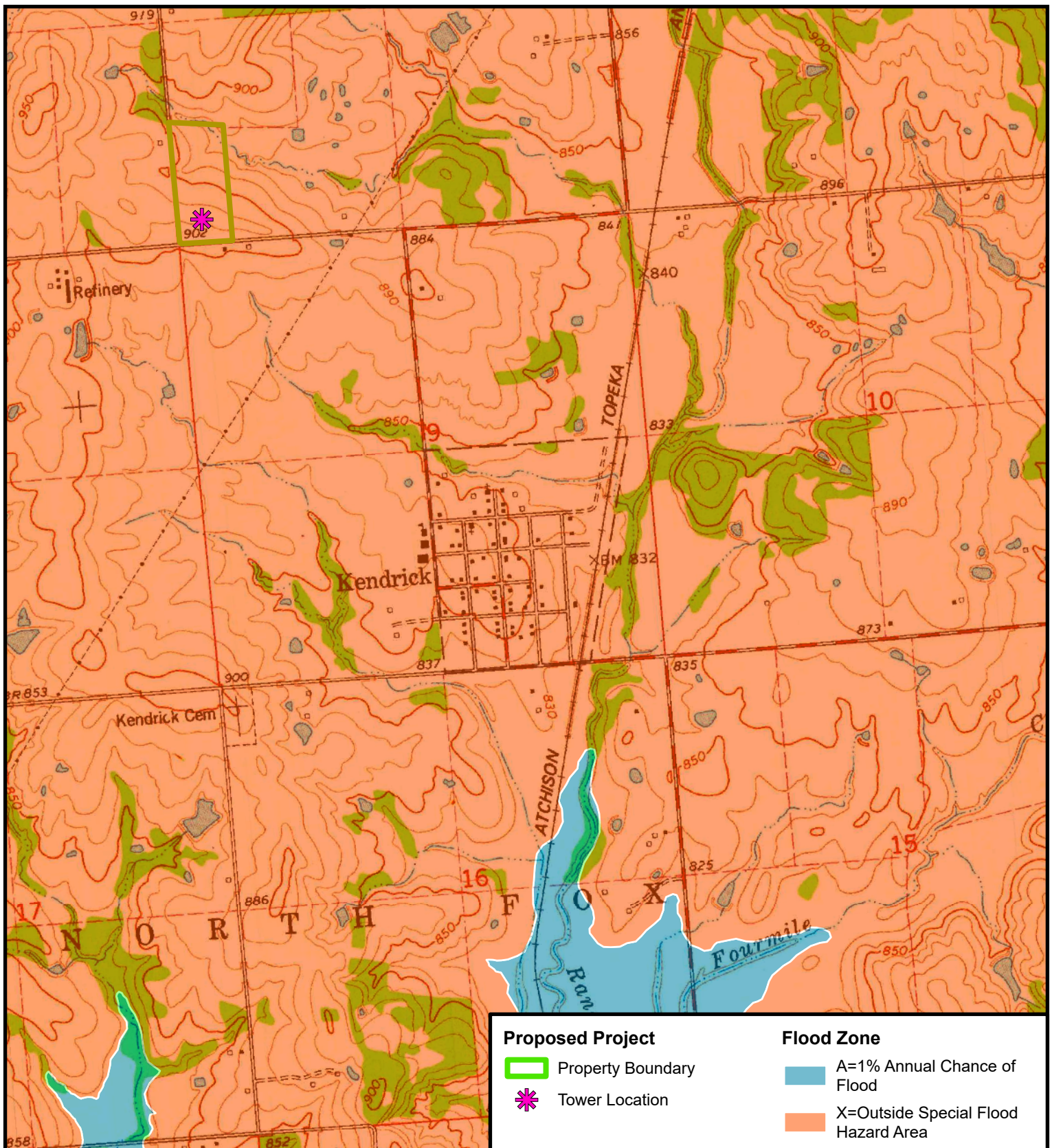


Figure 3
Aerial Orthoimagery
Lincoln County, Oklahoma

Blinkly, Inc.
Stroud Communications Tower

Date: 6 May 2026



Map Source: FEMA, DFIRM Database, Lincoln County, Oklahoma; Panel #40081C0250D; Effective Date: November 04, 2010. USGS, Kendrick, Oklahoma Quadrangle.

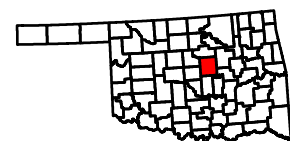
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Figure 4
FEMA Flood Hazard Area
Lincoln County, Oklahoma

Blinkly, Inc.
Stroud Communications Tower

Date: 6 May 2026





United States Department of the Interior

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In Reply Refer To:

02/11/2026 18:39:26 UTC

Project code: 2026-0048626

Project Name: Stroud Communication Tower

Subject: Verification letter for 'Stroud Communication Tower' project under the October 15, 2020, Programmatic Biological Opinion on Final 4(d) Rule for the American burying beetle and Activities Excepted from Take Prohibitions (50 CFR § 17.47(d), Federal Register Citation 85 FR 65241).

Dear Thomas Norris:

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) received on **February 11, 2026** your effect determination(s) for the 'Stroud Communication Tower' (the Action) using the American burying beetle (*Nicrophorus americanus*) determination key within the Information for Planning and Consultation (IPaC) system.

This determination key assists users in determining whether a Federal action is consistent with the activities analyzed in the Service's October 15, 2020, Programmatic Biological Opinion (PBO). The PBO addresses activities excepted from incidental "take"^[1] prohibitions applicable to the American burying beetle under the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (Act) (87 Stat.884, as amended; 16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.).

Based upon your IPaC submission, the Action is consistent with activities analyzed in the PBO. The Action may affect the American burying beetle; however, any incidental take that may occur as a result of the Action is not prohibited under the Act Section 4(d) rule adopted for this species at 50 CFR §17.47(d). **Unless the Service advises you within 30 days of the date of this letter that your IPaC-assisted determination was incorrect, this letter verifies that the PBO satisfies and concludes your responsibilities for this Action under Act Section 7(a)(2) with respect to the American burying beetle.**

Please report any changes to the information about the Action that you submitted in IPaC, the results of any American burying beetle surveys conducted in the Action area, and any dead, injured, or sick American burying beetles that are found during Action implementation. If the Action is not completed within one year of the date of this letter, you must update and resubmit the information required in the IPaC key.

This IPaC-assisted determination allows you to rely on the PBO for compliance with Act Section 7(a)(2) only for the American burying beetle.

[1]Take means to harass, harm, pursue, hunt, shoot, wound, kill, trap, capture, or collect, or to attempt to engage in any such conduct (Act, Section 3(19)).

This letter covers only the American burying beetle. It **does not** apply to the following ESA-protected species that also may occur in the Action area:

- Monarch Butterfly *Danaus plexippus* Proposed Threatened
- Piping Plover *Charadrius melodus* Threatened
- Rufa Red Knot *Calidris canutus rufa* Threatened

If your project may affect additional listed species, you must evaluate additional DKeys for other species, or submit a request for consultation for the additional species to your local Ecological Services Field Office.

Action Description

You provided to IPaC the following name and description for the subject Action.

1. Name

Stroud Communcation Tower

2. Description

The following description was provided for the project 'Stroud Communcation Tower':

One 18-foot-tall Communication Tower

The approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: <https://www.google.com/maps/@35.79864245,-96.78637473261622,14z>



QUALIFICATION INTERVIEW

1. Is the action authorized, funded, or being carried out by a Federal agency?

Yes

2. Have you determined that the proposed action will have “no effect” on the American burying beetle? (If you are unsure select "No")

No

3. Will your activity **purposefully take** American burying beetles?

No

4. Is your project wholly inside the 4d rule Analysis Area? For areas of your project occurring inside the Analysis Area (New England, Northern Plains, Southern Plains), your project may qualify for exemptions. For areas of your project occurring outside the Analysis Area, all incidental take is exempted according to the ABB 4d Rule.

Automatically answered

Yes

5. Is American burying beetle [suitable habitat](#) present within the action area?

Yes

6. Will suitable habitat be affected by the proposed action? Suitable habitat may be impacted if the action involves soil disturbance, use of vehicles or heavy equipment, artificial lighting, vegetation removal, use of herbicides, pesticides, other hazardous chemicals.

Yes

PROJECT QUESTIONNAIRE

Please select the activity that best matches your proposed action.

11. Soil disturbance related to communication infrastructure construction and maintenance

If you chose 13 above, please describe below. If you did not choose 13 above, please type "0".

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Estimate the total acres of suitable American burying beetle habitat that may be affected.

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Please estimate the total number of acres of **temporary impacts** to American burying beetle habitat. See definitions

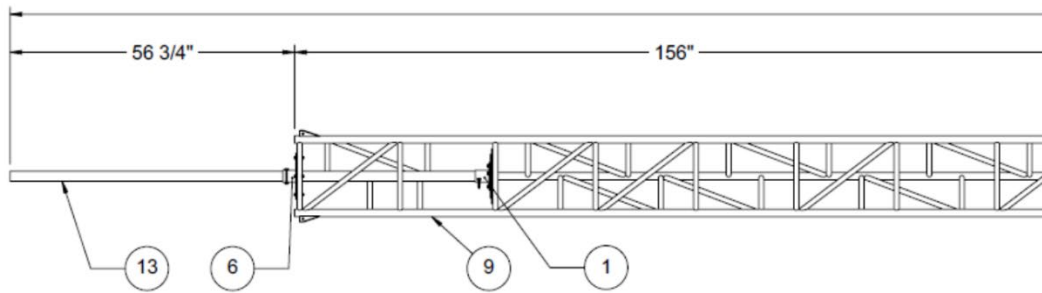
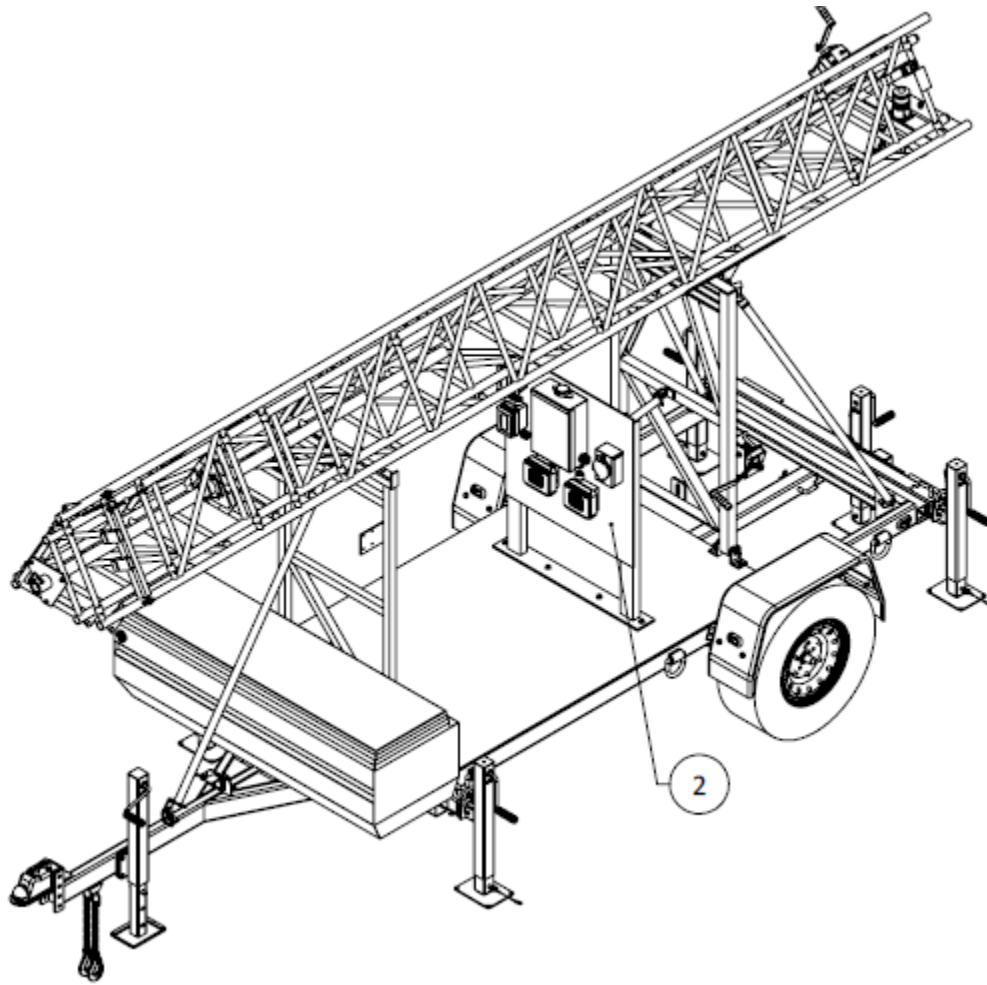
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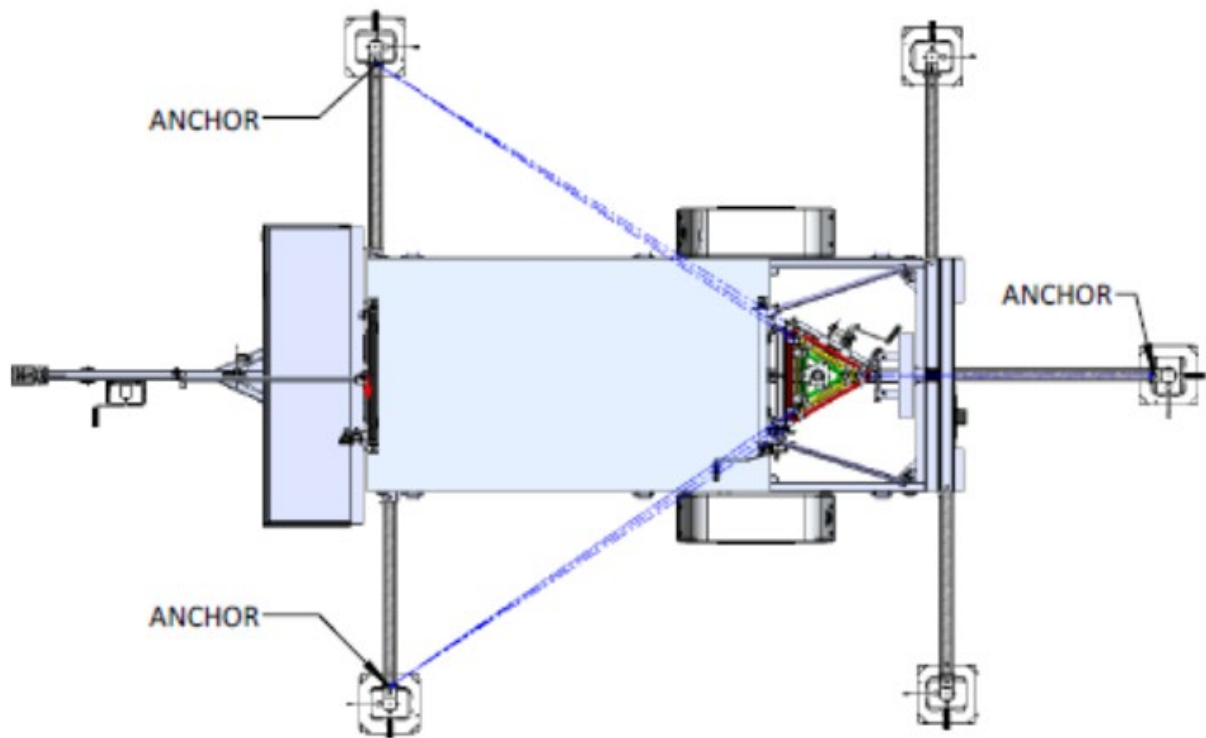
Please estimate the total number of acres of **permanent impacts** to American burying beetle habitat. See definitions

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Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

July 9, 2003

Mr. Steve Williams, Director
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
U.S. Department of the Interior
1849 C Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20240

BY FIRST CLASS MAIL AND FACSIMILE (202) 208-6965

Dear Mr. Williams:

We have received requests from various U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) field offices for a designation letter from the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) for FCC licensees, applicants, tower companies and their representatives when they request informal consultations and/or request species lists pursuant to Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. §§ 1531-1543) (ESA). Pursuant to 50 C.F.R. § 402.08 and in accordance with FCC rules, this letter formally designates all FCC licensees, applicants, tower companies and their representatives as non-federal representatives for purposes of Section 7 consultation. We recognize that the Commission retains ultimate responsibility for Section 7 obligations. *See* 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.1308(b), 1.1312(b).

In accordance with the interagency cooperation regulations at 50 C.F.R. § 402.08, non-Federal representatives may be involved in an informal consultation process and may request and receive species lists, prepare the biological assessment, and provide information for a formal consultation. Because the FCC has deregulated the construction of communications facilities, the Commission is not involved in most of its regulatees' planning and construction activities unless they affect certain categories of environmental concerns. (The FCC still does issue construction permits for broadcast facilities.) Thus, the FCC does not individually authorize and does not require notice of most communications towers. The FCC's rules require its licensees, applicants, and tower companies to determine, in the first instance, the environmental effects of their proposed towers. *See* 47 C.F.R. § 1.1312(a).

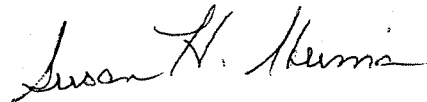
In accordance with this policy, the FCC's environmental rules require that all licensees and applicants prepare and file with the FCC an Environmental Assessment (EA) if, among other things, their proposed facilities "may affect" or "are likely to jeopardize" listed or proposed threatened or endangered species or designated critical habitats.¹ In order to

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 1.1307(a)(3) requires the preparation of an EA for facilities that: "(i) May affect listed threatened or endangered species or designated critical habitats; or (ii) are likely to jeopardize the continued

determine whether an EA is required, an applicant may need to request information from and informally consult with FWS. Moreover, the Note to Section 1.1307(a)(3) of the FCC's environmental rules² specifically authorizes FCC licensees and applicants and their representatives to contact FWS to determine whether their proposed facilities will affect threatened or endangered species or designated critical habitats. We understand that the FWS rules require parties that are engaged in informal consultation to include the information described in 50 C.F.R. § 402.12, which may be different from information required under the National Environmental Policy Act. Once it is established that threatened or endangered species or their critical habitats may be affected, licensees and applicants are required to base their analysis on the "best scientific and commercial data available." *See* 47 C.F.R. § 1.1311(a)(6).

Accordingly, under the FCC's environmental rules, all FCC licensees, applicants, tower companies and their representatives have a blanket designation and are authorized to contact and work with the FWS to ensure that any effects on threatened and endangered species and their critical habitats are evaluated in siting proposed communications facilities. The FCC intends to post this letter on the FCC website, <http://wireless.fcc.gov/siting>.

Sincerely,



Susan H. Steiman
Associate General Counsel

Cc: Richard Sayers, Endangered Species Division

existence of any proposed endangered or threatened species or likely to result in the destruction or adverse modification of proposed critical habitats, as determined by the Secretary of the Interior pursuant to the Endangered Species Act of 1973."

² 47 C.F.R. § 1.1307(a)(3) Note.

APPENDIX C
OKLAHOMA SHPO ARCHIVAL REVIEW



Oklahoma Historical Society
State Historic Preservation Office

April 15, 2026

Mr. Steven R. Evans
Goshawk Environmental Consulting, Inc.
P.O. Box 735
Buda, TX 78610

RE: File #0987-26; Blinky, Inc. & FCC Stroud 18' Trailer-Mounted Communications Tower at
349076 E. 840 Rd. in Stroud, Lincoln County

Dear Mr. Evans:

We have received and reviewed the documentation concerning the referenced project in Lincoln County. Additionally, we have examined the information contained in the Oklahoma Landmarks Inventory (OLI) files and other materials on historic resources available in our office. We find that there are no historic properties affected by the referenced project.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this project. We look forward to working with you in the future.

If you have any questions, please contact Kristina Wyckoff, Historical Archaeologist, at 405-521-6381.

Should further correspondence pertaining to this project be necessary, please reference the above underlined file number. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Lynda Ozan
Deputy State Historic
Preservation Officer

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Information and Instructions

Est. Avg. Burden

Per Response:

.5 to 10 Hrs

**FCC Wireless Telecommunications Bureau
New Tower ("NT") Submission Packet****NOTICE TO INDIVIDUALS REQUIRED BY THE PRIVACY ACT OF 1974 AND
THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT OF 1995**

We have estimated that each response to this collection of information will take on average 5 hours. Our estimate includes the time to read the instructions, look through existing records, gather and maintain required data, and actually complete and review the form or response. If you have any comments on this estimate, or on how we can improve the collection and reduce the burden it causes you, please write the Federal Communications Commission, AMD-PER, Washington, DC 20554, Paperwork Reduction Project (3060-1039). We will also accept your comments via the Internet if you send them to PRA@fcc.gov. *Please do not send completed application forms to this address.*

You are not required to respond to a collection of information sponsored by the Federal government, and the government may not conduct or sponsor this collection unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number with this notice. This collection has been assigned OMB control number 3060-1039.

The FCC is authorized under the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, to collect the personal information we request in this form. We will use the information you provide to determine whether approving this application is in the public interest. If we believe there may be a violation or potential violation of a statute, FCC regulation, rule or order, your application may be referred to the Federal, state, or local agency responsible for investigating, prosecuting, enforcing or implementing the statute, rule, regulation or order. In certain cases, the information in your application may be disclosed to the Department of Justice or a court or adjudicative body when (a) the FCC; or (b) any employee of the FCC; or (c) the United States Government, is a party to a proceeding before the body or has an interest in the proceeding.

All parties and entities doing business with the Commission must obtain a unique identifying number called the FCC Registration Number (FRN) and supply it when doing business with the Commission. Failure to provide the FRN may delay the processing of the application. This requirement is to facilitate compliance with the Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 (DCIA). The FRN can be obtained electronically from the FCC's website at <http://www.fcc.gov> or by manually submitting FCC Form 160. FCC Form 160 is available from the FCC's web site at <http://www.fcc.gov/formpage.html>, by calling the FCC's Forms Distribution Center at (800) 418-FORM (3676), or from the FCC's Fax Information System by dialing (202) 418-0177.

This notice is required by the Privacy Act of 1974, Public Law 93-579, December 31, 1974, 5 U.S.C. Section 552a (e)(3), and the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13, October 1, 1995, 44 U.S.C. 3507.



General Instructions

Purpose of Form

FCC Form 620 is the **NT Submission Packet** to be completed by or on behalf of Applicants to construct new antenna support structures by or for the use of applicants, tower owners, and licensees of the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC"). The Packet (including Form 620 and attachments) is to be submitted to the State Historic Preservation Office ("SHPO") or to the Tribal Historic Preservation Office ("THPO"), as appropriate, before any construction or other installation activities on the site begin. Failure to provide the Submission Packet and complete the review process under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act ("NHPA") prior to beginning construction may violate Section 110(k) of the NHPA and the Commission's rules. The instructions below should be read in conjunction with, and not as a substitute for, the "Nationwide Programmatic Agreement for Review of Effects on Historic Properties for Certain Undertakings Approved by the Federal Communications Commission," dated September 2004, ("Nationwide Agreement") and the relevant rules of the FCC (47 C.F.R. §§ 1.1301-1.1319) and the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation ("ACHP") (36 C.F.R. Part 800).¹

Exclusions and Scope of Use

The NT Submission Packet should not be submitted for undertakings that are excluded from Section 106 Review. The categories of new tower construction that are excluded from historic preservation review under Section 106 of the NHPA are described in Section III of the Nationwide Programmatic Agreement. Where an undertaking is to be completed but no submission will be made to a SHPO or THPO due to the applicability of one or more exclusions, the Applicant should retain in its files documentation of the basis for each exclusion should a question arise as to the Applicant's compliance with Section 106.

The NT Submission Packet is to be used only for the construction of new antenna support structures. Antenna collocations that are subject to Section 106 review should be submitted using the Collocation ("CO") Submission Packet (FCC Form 621).

Electronic Filers

Information about online filing of Form 620 is available from the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau website at http://wireless.fcc.gov/outreach/index.htm?job=tower_notification.

Applicants filing electronically should follow procedures contained in online help files. For technical assistance with filing electronically, contact the FCC at (877) 480-3201.

In instances where the Applicant files electronically and needs to include an exhibit(s) with the application and cannot transmit that exhibit(s) to the FCC electronically, the Applicant may mail exhibits to the following address:

Federal Communications Commission
Application Exhibit
1270 Fairfield Road
Gettysburg, PA 17325-7245

Hand-deliveries and messenger-deliveries should be delivered to Federal Communications Commission, 1280 Fairfield Road, Gettysburg, PA 17325.

Each exhibit should be clearly labeled with the Applicant's name, the 10-digit file number assigned to the application at the time of submission, and the type of exhibit (e.g., resumes/vitae, maps, photographs, etc.).

Filing Locations

Paper applications should be submitted to the State Historic Preservation Office ("SHPO") or to the Tribal Historic Preservation Office ("THPO"), as appropriate, before any construction or other installation activities on the site begin. Failure to provide the Submission Packet and complete the review process under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act ("NHPA") (16 U.S.C. § 470(f)) prior to beginning construction may violate Section 110(k) of the NHPA and the Commission's rules.

Exhibits

Each document required to be filed as an exhibit should be current as of the date of filing. Each page of every exhibit must be identified with the number or letter of the exhibit, the number of the page of the exhibit, and the total number of pages of the exhibit. If material is to be incorporated by reference, see the instruction on incorporation by reference.

Note: Some Commission rules require Applicants to attach one or more exhibits to an application in addition to the information requested in the application form.

Incorporation by Reference

You may incorporate by reference documents, exhibits, or other lengthy showings already on file with the FCC, SHPO or THPO only if the information previously filed is more than one 8 1/2" by 11" page in length, all information therein is current and accurate in all significant respects, and the reference states specifically where the previously filed information can be found including exhibit and page references. Items that call for numbers or that can be answered "Y" or "N" or with other short answers must be answered directly without reference to a previous filing.

Assistance with Completing this Form

For assistance with this form, you may visit the FCC's webpage at <http://esupport.fcc.gov> or call (877) 480-3201 (TTY (717) 338-2824). To provide quality service and ensure security, all telephone calls are recorded.

¹ Section II.A.9. of the Nationwide Programmatic Agreement defines a "historic property" as: "Any prehistoric or historic district, site, building, structure, or object included in, or eligible for inclusion in, the National Register maintained by the Secretary of the Interior. This term includes artifacts, records, and remains that are related to and located within such properties. The term includes properties of traditional religious and cultural importance to an Indian tribe or Native Hawaiian Organization that meet the National Register criteria."

Instructions for FCC Form 620

General Information

Item 1 Indicate the purpose for which the application is being filed by inserting the appropriate two-letter abbreviation from the following list. Only one purpose may be specified.

Item 2 If the application is a request for an Update or Withdrawal of a previously-filed currently pending application, provide the file number of the original application. This information can be obtained by contacting the FCC (877) 480-3201 (TTY 717-338-2824).

Applicant/Contact Information

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Item 3 Enter the ten-digit FRN assigned by the Commission Registration System (CORES). The FRN is a unique entity identifier for everyone doing business with the Commission. The FRN can be obtained electronically through the FCC webpage at <http://wireless.fcc.gov/uls> (Select FCC Registration Number (FRN) Commission Registration System (CORES)) or by manually submitting FCC Form 160. FCC Form 160 is available for downloading from <http://www.fcc.gov/formpage.html>, by calling the FCC's Forms Distribution Center at (800) 418-3676, or from the FCC's Fax Information System by dialing (202) 418-0177.

Items 4-17 Enter the name of applicant in Item 4. Enter the individual to contact in Items 5 through 8 as well as the title in Item 9. You may enter a post office box number in Item 10 or a street address in Item 11, or enter information for both items. Enter the city, state, and zip code in Items 12, 13, and 14. Refer to Appendix I, for a list of valid state, jurisdiction, and area abbreviations. Enter a telephone number, including area code, in Item 15. Enter the fax number (including area code) and e-mail address, if desired and available, in items 16 and 17.

Consultant Information

Consultant/Principal Investigator/Principal Investigator Contact Information

Item 18 Enter the ten-digit FRN assigned by the Commission Registration System (CORES). The FRN is a unique entity identifier for everyone doing business with the Commission. The FRN can be obtained electronically through the FCC webpage at <http://wireless.fcc.gov/uls> (Select FCC Registration Number (FRN) Commission Registration System (CORES)) or by manually submitting FCC Form 160. FCC Form 160 is available for downloading from <http://www.fcc.gov/formpage.html>, by calling the FCC's Forms Distribution Center at (800) 418-3676, or from the FCC's Fax Information System by dialing (202) 418-0177.

Items 19-32 Enter the name of consultant in Item 19. Enter the Principal Investigator in Items 20 through 23 as well as the title in Item 24. You may enter a post office box number in Item 25 or a street address in Item 26, or enter information for both items. Enter the city, state, and zip code in Items 27, 28, and 29. Refer to Appendix I, for a list of valid state, jurisdiction, and area abbreviations. Enter a telephone number, including area code, in Item 30. Enter the fax number (including area code) and e-mail address, if desired and available, in items 31 and 32.

Consultant Information Attachments

You are required to provide a current copy of the resume or curriculum vitae for the Principal Investigator and any researcher or other person who contributed to, reviewed, or provided significant input into the research, analysis, writing or conclusions presented in this filing.

Professional Qualification

Items 33 & 34 Check Yes or No in Item 33 if the Principal Investigator satisfies the Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualification Standards and select the area(s) of professional qualification in Item 34.

NOTE: The Professional Qualification Standards are available on the cultural resources webpage of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior: <http://www.cr.nps.gov/local-law/arch_stnds_9.htm>. The Nationwide Programmatic Agreement requires use of Secretary-qualified professionals for identification and evaluation of historic properties within the APE for direct effects, and for assessment of effects. The Nationwide Programmatic Agreement encourages, but does not require, use of Secretary-qualified professionals to identify historic properties within the APE for indirect effects. See Nationwide Programmatic Agreement, §§ VI.D.1.d, VI.D.1.e, VI.D.2.b, VI.E.5.

Additional Staff

Items 35 through 41 Check Yes or No in Item 35 if there are other staff involved who meet the Professional Qualification Standards of the Secretary of the Interior. If "Yes" is checked, enter the name of the additional staff and select the appropriate area(s) of professional qualification. Items 37, 39 & 40 are optional. This section may be copied to include other additional staff.

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Site Information

TCNS/Site Information

Items 1 through 9 Enter the TCNS notification number in Item 1 (optional). Indicate whether or not this is a [Positive Train Control \(PTC\) Filing Subject to Expedited Treatment Under Program Comment](#) by entering a 'Y' or 'N' in Item 2. Enter the site name, address, detailed description of project, nearest city, state, zip code and county/borough/parish in Items 3 through 9 respectively. The Detailed Description of Project, Item 5 should include the number of wayside poles when submitting a PTC batch filing. Item 9 must be completed with the County/Borough/Parish or equivalent entity in which the tower is located unless any of the following pertain to the Fixed Location:

- The City entered in Item 6 is an Independent City that is not affiliated with a County/Borough/Parish (e.g., Baltimore, MD)
- The State code entered in Item 7 does not have Counties/Boroughs/Parishes, enter the equivalent entity (e.g., Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands)
- The State code entered in Item 7 is GM, Gulf of Mexico

NOTE: If the nearest City, County/Borough/Parish or equivalent entity and State are located in a bordering County/Borough/Parish or equivalent entity and/or State, enter a complete description of the location in Item 4 as shown in the example. Complete Item 6 if a City, Town or Village within the tower's County/Borough/Parish or equivalent entity is nearby, and complete Items 7, 8 and 9 with the State, Zip Code and County/Borough/Parish or equivalent entity in which the coordinates are actually located.

Example: 4) (Site Address) Summit Mtn near Palo Verde, Imperial County, CA
6) (City) Palo Verde
7) (State) AZ
9) (County/Borough/Parish) La Paz

Item 10 Enter the nearest crossroads to the tower site.

Item 11 Enter the latitude using the format *DD-MM-SS.S*, where the degrees (*DD*) term can have a value in the range of 0 to 72, minutes (*MM*) can range from 0 to 59, and seconds (*SS.S*) can range from 0 to 59.9. The seconds should be rounded to the nearest tenth of a second (in which case, use the format *DD-MM-SS.S*). Specify the direction as either N for North or S for South.

Item 12 Enter the longitude using the format *DDD-MM-SS*, where the degrees (*DDD*) term can have a value in the range of 64 to 180, minutes (*MM*) can range from 0 to 59, and seconds (*SS.S*) can range from 0 to 59.9. The seconds should be rounded to the nearest tenth of a second (in which case, use the format *DDD-MM-SS.S*). Specify the direction as either E for East or W for West.

NOTE: All coordinates must be referenced to the North American Datum of 1983 (NAD83). This information can be determined in many ways, including using a GPS receiver, or a 7.5-minute topographical quadrangle map of the area, or you may consult the city or county/borough/parish surveyor in your area. Topographical maps may be purchased from the U.S. Geological Survey, Washington, DC 20242 or from its office in Denver, Colorado 80225.

Site Information Attachments

You are required to provide photographs and maps as part of this filing. Additional site information can be provided in an optional attachment.

Photograph Requirements:

Except in cases where no Historic Properties were identified within the Areas of Potential Effects, submit photographs as described below. Photographs should be in color, marked so as to identify the project, keyed to the relevant map or text, and dated; the focal length of the lens and the height of the camera should be noted. The source of any photograph included but not taken by the Applicant or its consultant (including copies of historic images) should be identified on the photograph.

- a. Photographs taken from the tower site should show views from the proposed location in all directions. The direction (e.g., north, south, etc.) should be indicated on each photograph, and, as a group, the photographs should present a complete (360 degree) view of the area around the communications tower or non-tower structure.
- b. Photographs of all listed and eligible properties within the Areas of Potential Effects.
- c. If any listed or eligible properties are visible from the proposed tower site, photographs looking at the site from each historic property. The approximate distance in feet (meters) between the site and the historic property should be included. If any listed or eligible properties are within the APE, photos looking at each historic property should be included.

Include aerial photos of the APE for visual effects, if available. There are a variety of publicly available websites that provide aerial photographs.

Map Requirements:

Include one or more 7.5-minute quad USGS topographical maps that:

- a. Identify the Areas of Potential Effects for both Direct and Visual Effects. If a map is copied from the original, include a key with name of quad and date.
- b. Show the location of the proposed tower site and any new access roads or other easements including excavations.
- c. Show the locations of each property listed.
- d. Include keys for any symbols, colors, or other identifiers.
- e. Submit color maps whenever possible.

Additional Site Information Recommendations:

Describe any additional structures, access roads, utility lines, fences, easements, or other construction planned for the site in conjunction with the proposed tower and related facilities. Use this attachment to provide additional details needed to provide a full and accurate description of any structural alterations, additions, or other construction activities that will take place to complete the tower.

Tower Information

Item 13 Enter the tower height above ground (including top-mounted attachments such as lightning rods). Indicate whether you provided the height in feet or meters.

Item 14 Select the type of tower (only select one choice). If selecting "Other", describe the structure.

Project Status

Current Project Status

Item 15 Select the appropriate category of the status of the project. When selecting "Construction has commenced, but is not completed", enter the date the construction commenced. When selecting "Construction has been completed", enter the date the construction commenced and the date the construction was completed.

NOTE: Failure to submit this form and complete the review process under Section 106 of the NHPA prior to beginning construction may violate Section 110(k) of the NHPA and the Commission's rules. See Section X of the Nationwide Agreement.

Determination of Effect

Direct Effects

Item 16 Select the appropriate direct effect. Choose only one option.

NOTE: Pursuant to Section VI.D.2.a. of the Nationwide Programmatic Agreement, Applicants shall make a reasonable and good faith effort to identify above ground and archeological historic properties, including buildings, structures, sites, objects and historic districts, that lie within the APE for direct effects. Such reasonable and good faith efforts may include a field survey where appropriate.

ADDITIONAL NOTE: Under Section VI.D.2.d. of the Nationwide Programmatic Agreement, an archeological field survey is required if an Indian tribe or NHO provides evidence that supports a high probability of the presence of intact archeological Historic Properties within the APE for direct effects.

Visual Effects

Item 17 Select the appropriate visual effect. Choose only one option.

NOTE: Section VI.D.1.a. of the Nationwide Programmatic Agreement requires the Applicant to review publicly available records to identify historic properties within the APE for visual effects: i) properties listed on the National Register; ii) properties formally determined eligible for listing by the Keeper of the National Register; iii) properties that the SHPO/THPO certifies are in the process of being nominated to the National Register; iv) properties previously determined eligible as part of a consensus determination of eligibility between the SHPO/THPO and a Federal Agency or local government representing the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD); and, v) properties listed in the SHPO/THPO Inventory that the SHPO/THPO has previously evaluated and found to meet the National Register criteria, and that are identified accordingly in the SHPO/THPO Inventory. Section VI.D.1.a also requires the Applicant to identify historic properties that have religious or cultural significance to Tribes and Native Hawaiian Organizations.

Determination of Effect Attachments

You are required to provide two attachments regarding the Determination of Effect: Areas of Potential Effect and Mitigation of Effect (if applicable).

Areas of Potential Effect Guidelines:

- a. Describe the APE for direct effects and explain how this APE was determined.
- b. Describe the APE for visual effects and explain how this APE was determined.

Mitigation of Effect Guidelines:

In the case where an Adverse Visual Effect or Adverse Direct Effect has been determined you must provide the following:

- a. Copies of any correspondence and summaries of any oral communications with the SHPO/THPO and any consulting parties. Describe any alternatives that have been considered that might avoid, minimize, or mitigate any adverse effects. Explain the Applicant's conclusion regarding the feasibility of each alternative.

Tribal/NHO Involvement

(NOTE: This page may be copied for additional Tribes/NHOs contacted)

Item 1 Check Yes or No if Indian Tribes or Native Hawaiian Organizations (NHOs) have been identified that may attach religious and cultural significance to historic properties which may be affected by the undertaking within the APEs for direct and visual effects.

Items 2a & 2b Enter the TCNS Notification Number and the number of Tribes/NHOs contacted electronically or through an alternate system.

Item 3 If available, enter the ten-digit FRN assigned by the Commission Registration System (CORES). The FRN is a unique entity identifier for everyone doing business with the Commission. The FRN can be obtained electronically through the FCC webpage at <http://wireless.fcc.gov/uls> (Select FCC Registration Number (FRN) Commission Registration System (CORES)) or by manually submitting FCC Form 160. FCC Form 160 is available for downloading from <http://www.fcc.gov/formpage.html>, by calling the FCC's Forms Distribution Center at (800) 418-3676, or the FCC's Fax Information System by dialing (202) 418-0177

Item 4 Enter the Tribe/NHO name.

Items 5 through 9 Enter the name and title of the individual to contact in Items 5 through 9.

Items 10 & 11 Enter the date contacted (MM/DD/YYYY) and date replied (MM/DD/YYYY) and select the option that corresponds to the contact method and the response.

Tribal/NHO Involvement Attachments

You may be required to provide a Tribal/NHO Involvement attachment(s) (if applicable).

Tribal/NHO Involvement Attachment Guidelines

At an early stage in the planning process, the Nationwide Agreement requires the Applicant to gather information from appropriate Indian Tribes or Native Hawaiian Organizations ("NHOs") to assist in the identification of historic properties of religious and cultural significance to them. Describe measures taken to identify Indian Tribes and NHOs that may attach religious and cultural significance to historic properties that may be affected by the tower project within the Areas of Potential Effects ("APEs") **for direct and visual effects**. If such Indian tribes or NHOs were identified, list them and provide a summary of contacts by the FCC, the Applicant, or the Applicant's representative. Provide copies of relevant documents, including correspondence. If no such Indian Tribes or NHOs were identified, please explain.

Other Tribes/NHOs Contacted
(NOTE: This page may be copied for additional Tribal/NHOs)

Tribe/NHO Information/Contact Information

Item 1 If available, enter the ten-digit FRN assigned by the Commission Registration System (CORES). The FRN is a unique entity identifier for everyone doing business with the Commission. The FRN can be obtained electronically through the FCC webpage at <http://wireless.fcc.gov/uls> (Select FCC Registration Number (FRN) Commission Registration System (CORES)) or by manually submitting FCC Form 160. FCC Form 160 is available for downloading from <http://www.fcc.gov/formpage.html>, by calling the FCC's Forms Distribution Center at (800) 418-3676, or from the FCC's Fax Information System by dialing (202) 418-0177.

Items 2-15 Enter the name of the Tribe/NHO in Item 2. Enter the name and title of the individual to contact in Items 3 through 7. You may enter a post office box number in Item 8 or a street address in Item 9, or enter information for both items. Enter the city, state, and zip code in Items 10, 11, and 12. Refer to Appendix I, for a list of valid state, jurisdiction, and area abbreviations. Enter a telephone number, including area code, in Item 13. Enter the fax number (including area code) and e-mail address, if desired and available, in items 14 and 15.

Item 16 Select the preferred means of communication.

Dates & Response

Items 17 & 18 Enter the date contacted (MM/DD/YYYY) and date replied (MM/DD/YYYY) and select the option that corresponds to the contact method and the response.

Historic Properties
(NOTE: This page may be copied for additional historic properties)

Properties Identified

Item 1 Check Yes or No if any historic properties have been identified within the APEs for direct and visual effect.

NOTE: Section II.A.9. of the Nationwide Programmatic Agreement defines a "historic property" as: "Any prehistoric or historic district, site, building, structure, or object included in, or eligible for inclusion on, the National Register maintained by the Secretary of the Interior. This term includes artifacts, records, and remains that are related to and located within such properties. The term includes properties of traditional religious and cultural importance to an Indian tribe or Native Hawaiian Organization that meet the National Register criteria."

Please note that historic units of the National Parks system are listed on the National Register, and that discontinuous units of national parks may be in different jurisdictions.

Item 2 Check Yes or No if the identification process located archaeological materials that would be directly affected, or sites that are of cultural or religious significance to Tribes/NHOs.

Item 3 Check Yes or No if there are more than 10 historic properties with the APEs for direct and visual effect. If "Yes", you are required attach a Cultural Resources Report instead of completing items 4 through 10 of this section.

Historic Property

Items 4 & 5 Enter the property name and the SHPO site number (if any).

Property Address

Items 6 through 10 Enter a street address in Item 6. Enter the city, state, zip code and county/borough/parish in Items 7, 8, 9 and 10 respectively. Refer to Appendix I, for a list of valid state, jurisdiction, and area abbreviations.

Status & Eligibility

Item 11 Check Yes or No of the property is listed on the National Register and provide the source.

Item 12 Check Yes or No if the property is eligible for listing on the National Register and provide the source.

Item 13 Check Yes or No if the property is a National Historical Landmark.

Direct Effects

Item 14 Select the appropriate direct effect on the historic property. Choose only one option.

NOTE: Pursuant to Section VI.D.2.a. of the Nationwide Programmatic Agreement, Applicants shall make a reasonable and good faith effort to identify above ground and archeological historic properties, including buildings, structures, sites, objects and historic districts, that lie within the APE for direct effects. Such reasonable and good faith efforts may include a field survey where appropriate.

ADDITIONAL NOTE: Under Section VI.D.2.d. of the Nationwide Programmatic Agreement, an archeological field survey is required if an Indian Tribe or NHO provides evidence that supports a high probability of the presence of intact archeological Historic Properties within the APE for direct effects.

Visual Effects

Item 15 Select the appropriate visual effect on the historic property. Choose only one option.

NOTE: Section VI.D.1.a. of the Nationwide Programmatic Agreement requires the Applicant to review publicly available records to identify within the APE for visual effects: i) properties listed on the National Register; ii) properties formally determined eligible for listing by the Keeper of the National Register; iii) properties that the SHPO/THPO certifies are in the process of being nominated to the National Register; iv) properties previously determined eligible as part of

a consensus determination of eligibility between the SHPO/THPO and a Federal Agency or local government representing the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD); and, v) properties listed in the SHPO/THPO Inventory that the SHPO/THPO has previously evaluated and found to meet the National Register criteria, and that are identified accordingly in the SHPO/THPO Inventory. Section VI.D.1.a also requires the Applicant to identify historic properties that have religious or cultural significance to Tribes and Native Hawaiian Organizations.

Historic Properties Attachments

Historic Properties Identified for Direct Effects Guidelines

- a. List all properties identified within the APE for direct effects.
- b. Provide the name and address (including U.S. Postal Service ZIP Code) of each property in the APE for direct effects, not listed in part "a", that the Applicant considers to be eligible for listing in the National Register as a result of the Applicant's research. For each such property, describe how it satisfies the criteria of eligibility (36 C.F.R. Part 63). For each property that was specifically considered and determined not to be eligible, describe why it does not satisfy the criteria of eligibility.
- c. Describe the techniques and the methodology, including any field survey, used to identify historic properties within the APE for direct effects.² If no archeological field survey was performed, provide a report substantiating that: i) the depth of previous disturbance exceeds the proposed construction depth (excluding footings and other anchoring mechanisms) by at least 2 feet; or, ii) geomorphological evidence indicates that cultural resource-bearing soils do not occur within the project area or may occur but at depths that exceed 2 feet below the proposed construction depth.

Historic Properties Identified for Visual Effects Guidelines

- a. Provide the name and address (including U.S. Postal Service ZIP Code) of each property in the APE for visual effects that is listed in the National Register, has been formally determined eligible for listing by the Keeper of the National Register, or is identified as considered eligible for listing in the records of the SHPO/THPO, pursuant to Section VI.D.1.a. of the Nationwide Agreement.³
- b. Provide the name and address (including U.S. Postal Service ZIP Code) of each Historic Property in the APE for visual effects, not listed in part "a", identified through the comments of Indian Tribes, NHOs, local governments, or members of the public. Identify each individual or group whose comments led to the inclusion of a Historic Property in this attachment. For each such property, describe how it satisfies the criteria of eligibility (36 C.F.R. Part 63).
- b. For any properties listed in part "a", that the Applicant considers no longer eligible for inclusion in the National Register, explain the basis for this recommendation.

Local Government Involvement

(NOTE: This page may be copied for additional local government agencies)

Local Government Agency/Contact Information

Item 1 If available, enter the ten-digit FRN assigned by the Commission Registration System (CORES). The FRN is a unique entity identifier for everyone doing business with the Commission. The FRN can be obtained electronically through the FCC webpage at <http://wireless.fcc.gov/uls> (Select FCC Registration Number (FRN) Commission Registration System (CORES)) or by manually submitting FCC Form 160. FCC Form 160 is available for downloading from <http://www.fcc.gov/formpage.html>, by calling the FCC's Forms Distribution Center at (800) 418-3676, or from the FCC's Fax Information System by dialing (202) 418-0177.

Items 2-15 Enter the name of the local government agency in Item 2. Enter the name and title of the individual to contact in Items 3 through 7. You may enter a post office box number in Item 8 or a street address in Item 9, or enter information for both items. Enter the city, state, and zip code in Items 10, 11, and 12. Refer to Appendix I, for a list of valid state, jurisdiction, and area abbreviations. Enter a telephone number, including area code, in Item 13. Enter the fax number (including area code) and e-mail address, if desired and available, in items 14 and 15.

Item 16 Select the preferred means of communication.

Dates & Response

Items 17 & 18 Enter the date contacted (MM/DD/YYYY) and date replied (MM/DD/YYYY) and select the option which corresponds to the contact method and the response.

Additional Information

Item 19 Enter any information on local government's role or interest. (Optional)

Local Government Involvement Attachment(s)

You may be required to provide a Local Government attachment(s).

Local Government Attachment Guidelines

- a. If any local government has been contacted and invited to become a consulting party pursuant to Section V.A. of the Nationwide Agreement, list the local government agencies contacted. Provide a summary of contacts and copies of any relevant documents (e.g., correspondence or notices).
- b. If a local government agency will be contacted but has not been to date, explain why and when such contact will take place.

³ Pursuant to Section VI.D.2.a. of the Nationwide Agreement, Applicants shall make a reasonable and good faith effort to identify above ground and archeological historic properties, including buildings, structures, and historic districts, that lie within the APE for direct effects. Such reasonable and good faith efforts may include a field survey where appropriate.

² Section VI.D.1.a. of the Nationwide Agreement requires the Applicant to review publicly available records to identify within the APE for visual effects: i) properties listed in the National Register; ii) properties formally determined eligible for listing by the Keeper of the National Register; iii) properties that the SHPO/THPO certifies are in the process of being nominated to the National Register; iv) properties previously determined eligible as part of a consensus determination of eligibility between the SHPO/THPO and a Federal Agency or local government representing the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD); and, v) properties listed in the SHPO/THPO Inventory that the SHPO/THPO has previously evaluated and found to meet the National Register criteria, and that are identified accordingly in the SHPO/THPO Inventory.

Other Consulting Parties

(NOTE: This page may be copied for additional consulting parties)

Other Consulting Parties Contacted

Item 1 Check Yes or No if any other agency has been contacted and invited to become a consulting party. If "Yes", complete items 2 through 20.

Consulting Party/Contact Information

Item 2 If available, enter the ten-digit FRN assigned by the Commission Registration System (CORES). The FRN is a unique entity identifier for everyone doing business with the Commission. The FRN can be obtained electronically through the FCC webpage at <http://wireless.fcc.gov/uls> (Select FCC Registration Number (FRN) Commission Registration System (CORES)) or by manually submitting FCC Form 160. FCC Form 160 is available for downloading from <http://www.fcc.gov/formpage.html>, by calling the FCC's Forms Distribution Center at (800) 418-3676, or from the FCC's Fax Information System by dialing (202) 418-0177.

Items 3-16 Enter the name of the consulting party in Item 3. Enter the name and title of the individual to contact in Items 4 through 8. You may enter a post office box number in Item 9 or a street address in Item 10, or enter information for both items. Enter the city, state, and zip code in Items 11, 12, and 13. Refer to Appendix I, for a list of valid state, jurisdiction, and area abbreviations. Enter a telephone number, including area code, in Item 14. Enter the fax number (including area code) and e-mail address, if desired and available, in items 15 and 16.

Item 17 Select the preferred means of communication.

Dates & Response

Items 18 & 19 Enter the date contacted (MM/DD/YYYY) and date replied (MM/DD/YYYY) and select the option which corresponds to the contact method and the response.

Additional Information

Item 20 Enter any information on consulting parties' role or interest. (Optional)

Consulting Parties Attachment

You are required to provide a Public Notice attachment.

Public Notice Guidelines:

Provide copies of any relevant correspondence or other documentation used to invite public involvement in this project (e.g., legal notices, letters, or public meetings).

Designation of SHPO/THPO

Item 1 Based on the site of the tower, designate the Lead State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO) or Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO) to review this filing. A list of the SHPOs can be found at: <http://www.ncshpo.org/>.

Item 2 If the SHPO/THPO requires sending this filing to a regional office, enter the appropriate person/office as an alternate SHPO/THPO. You may also designate other SHPOs/THPOs as additional recipients if either or both of the APEs include other jurisdictions. In addition, use this item to list the National and State/Provincial Historic Preservation Agencies when either of the APEs includes another country.

Designation of SHPO/THPO Attachments

You may be required to provide State Specific Forms as additional attachments.

SHPO/THPO Specific Forms:

The lead SHPO/THPO reviewing this filing may require additional forms specific to its Section 106 review requirements.

Certification

By signing this form, the applicant certifies that the statements listed in this section are true, complete, correct, and made in good faith.

This section must be completed. To be acceptable for filing, applications must be signed in accordance with Part 1 of the FCC rules. The signor must be a person authorized to sign the application. Paper originals of applications must bear an original signature. On paper originals, neither rubber-stamped nor photocopied signatures are acceptable. For filers filing electronically, the electronic signature shall consist of the name of the person authorized to sign typed on the application as a signature.

Appendix I

STATE TABLE

Abbreviations for States, Jurisdictions, and Areas

AL	Alabama	ND	North Dakota
AK	Alaska	OH	Ohio
AZ	Arizona	OK	Oklahoma
AR	Arkansas	OR	Oregon
CA	California	PA	Pennsylvania
CO	Colorado	RI	Rhode Island
CT	Connecticut	SC	South Carolina
DE	Delaware	SD	South Dakota
DC	District of Columbia	TN	Tennessee
FL	Florida	TX	Texas
GA	Georgia	UT	Utah
GM	Gulf of Mexico	VT	Vermont
HI	Hawaii	VA	Virginia
ID	Idaho	WA	Washington
IL	Illinois	WV	West Virginia
IN	Indiana	WI	Wisconsin
IA	Iowa	WY	Wyoming
KS	Kansas		
KY	Kentucky	AS	American Samoa
LA	Louisiana	CN	Canada
ME	Maine	GU	Guam
MD	Maryland	MP	Northern Mariana Islands
MA	Massachusetts	MX	Mexico
MI	Michigan	PR	Puerto Rico
MN	Minnesota	UM	U.S. Territories: (Baker Island, Howland Island, Jarvis Island, Johnston Atoll, Kingman Reef, Midway Island, Navassa Island, Palmyra Atoll and Wake Island)
MS	Mississippi		
MO	Missouri	VI	Virgin Islands
MT	Montana		
NE	Nebraska	AA	Armed Forces-Americas (excluding Canada)
NV	Nevada	AE	Armed Forces-(Europe, Middle East, Africa, Canada)
NH	New Hampshire	AP	Armed Forces-Pacific
NJ	New Jersey		
NM	New Mexico		
NY	New York		
NC	North Carolina		

General Information

1) (Select only one) (NE) NE – New UA – Update of Application WD – Withdrawal of Application	
2) If this application is for an Update or Withdrawal, enter the file number of the pending application currently on file.	File Number:

Applicant Information

3) FCC Registration Number (FRN): 0038116711
4) Name: Blinky, Inc.

Contact Name

5) First Name: Reechik	6) MI:	7) Last Name: Chaterjee	8) Suffix:
9) Title: CEO			

Contact Information

10) P.O. Box:	And /Or	11) Street Address:	
12) City:		13) State:	14) Zip Code:
15) Telephone Number: ()		16) Fax Number: ()	
17) E-mail Address: reechik@blinkly.com			

Consultant Information

18) FCC Registration Number (FRN): 0038117040
19) Name: Goshawk Environmental Consulting, Inc.

Principal Investigator

20) First Name: Steven	21) MI: R	22) Last Name: Evans	23) Suffix:
24) Title: President and Principal Investigator			

Principal Investigator Contact Information

25) P.O. Box: 735	And /Or	26) Street Address:	
27) City: Buda		28) State: TX	29) Zip Code: 78610
30) Telephone Number: (737) 888-1136		31) Fax Number: ()	
32) E-mail Address: sevans@goshawkenv.com			

Professional Qualification

33) Does the Principal Investigator satisfy the Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualification Standards?	(☒) <u>Yes</u> (☐) <u>No</u>
34) Areas of Professional Qualification: (☒) Archaeologist (☐) Architectural Historian (☒) Historian (☐) Architect (☐) Other (Specify) _____	

Additional Staff

35) Are there other staff involved who meet the Professional Qualification Standards of the Secretary of the Interior?	(☐) <u>Yes</u> (☒) <u>No</u>
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If "Yes", complete the following:

36) First Name:	37) MI:	38) Last Name:	39) Suffix:
40) Title:			
41) Areas of Professional Qualification: (☐) Archaeologist (☐) Architectural Historian (☐) Historian (☐) Architect (☐) Other (Specify) _____			

This page may be copied to include additional staff.
Consultant Information Attachments required – See instructions for details.

Site Information

Tower Construction Notification System

1) TCNS Notification Number:

Site Information

2) Positive Train Control Filing Subject to Expedited Treatment Under Program Comment: () Yes () No

3) Site Name: Stroud Comm Tower

4) Site Address: 349076 E 840 Rd, Stroud, OK 74079

5) Detailed Description of Project: Blinky proposed to erect one trailer mounted communications tower within a property the have acquired in rural Oklahoma. The tower will not require any site prep, running of utilities, or access roads. The tower will measure 17 feet 11 inches in height, 5 feet 9 inches in width, and 8 feet 9 inches in length. No guy wires or other external supports will be required.

6) City: Stroud

7) State: OK

8) Zip Code: 74079

9) County/Borough/Parish: Lincoln County

10) Nearest Crossroads: S 3490 Road and E 840 Road

11) **NAD 83** Latitude (DD-MM-SS.S): 35°47'52.0"

(☒) N or () S

12) **NAD 83** Longitude (DD-MM-SS.S): 96°47'10.3"

() E or (☒) W

Tower Information

13) Tower height above ground level (include top-mounted attachments such as lightning rods): 18 (☒) Feet () Meters

14) Tower Type (Select One):

() Guyed lattice tower

() Self-supporting lattice

() Monopole

(☒) Other (Describe): Trailer mounted monopole tower, no additional supports

Project Status

15) Current Project Status (Select One):

(☒) Construction has not yet commenced

() Construction has commenced, but is not completed

Construction commenced on: ____/____/____

() Construction has been completed

Construction commenced on: ____/____/____

Construction completed on: ____/____/____

Site Information Attachments required – See instructions for details.

Determination of Effect

16) Direct Effects (Select One):

- ☐ No Historic Properties in Area of Potential Effects (APE)
- ☒ No Effect on Historic Properties in APE
- ☐ No Adverse Effect on Historic Properties in APE
- ☐ Adverse Effect on one or more Historic Properties in APE

17) Visual Effects (Select One):

- ☐ No Historic Properties in Area of Potential Effects (APE)
- ☒ No Effect on Historic Properties in APE
- ☐ No Adverse Effect on Historic Properties in APE
- ☐ Adverse Effect on one or more Historic Properties in APE

Determination of Effect Attachments required – See instructions for details.

Tribal/NHO Involvement

1) Have Indian Tribes or Native Hawaiian Organizations (NHOs) been identified that may attach religious and cultural significance to historic properties which may be affected by the undertaking within the APEs for direct and visual effects?	() <u>Y</u> es () <u>N</u> o
2a) Tribes/NHOs contacted through TCNS Notification Number: _____ Number of Tribes/NHOs: _____	
2b) Tribes/NHOs contacted through an alternate system: _____ Number of Tribes/NHOs: _____	

Tribe/NHO Contacted Through TCNS

3) Tribe/NHO FRN:
4) Tribe/NHO Name:

Contact Name

5) First Name:	6) MI:	7) Last Name:	8) Suffix:
9) Title:			

Dates & Response

10) Date Contacted ____/____/____	11) Date Replied ____/____/____
() No Reply	
() Replied/No Interest	
() Replied/Have Interest	
() Replied/Other _____	

This page may be copied to include additional Tribes/NHOs contacted.

Tribal/NHO Involvement Attachments may be required – See instructions for details.

Other Tribes/NHOs Contacted

Tribe/NHO Information

1) FCC Registration Number (FRN):
2) Name:

Contact Name

3) First Name:	4) MI:	5) Last Name:	6) Suffix:
7) Title:			

Contact Information

8) P.O. Box:	And /Or	9) Street Address:	
10) City:		11) State:	12) Zip Code:
13) Telephone Number: ()		14) Fax Number: ()	
15) E-mail Address:			
16) Preferred means of communication: () E-mail () Letter () Both			

Dates & Response

17) Date Contacted ____/____/____	18) Date Replied ____/____/____
() No Reply	
() Replied/No Interest	
() Replied/Have Interest	
() Replied/Other _____	

This page may be copied to include additional Tribes/NHOs.

Historic Properties

Properties Identified

1) Have any historic properties been identified within the APEs for direct and visual effect?	() <u>Y</u> es (X) <u>N</u> o
2) Has the identification process located archaeological materials that would be directly affected, or sites that are of cultural or religious significance to Tribes/NHOs?	() <u>Y</u> es (X) <u>N</u> o
3) Are there more than 10 historic properties within the APEs for direct and visual effect? If "Yes", you are required to attach a Cultural Resources Report in lieu of adding the Historic Property below.	() <u>Y</u> es (X) <u>N</u> o

Historic Property

4) Property Name:
5) SHPO Site Number:

Property Address

6) Street Address:		
7) City:	8) State:	9) Zip Code:
10) County/Borough/Parish:		

Status & Eligibility

11) Is this property listed on the National Register? Source: _____	() <u>Y</u> es () <u>N</u> o
12) Is this property eligible for listing on the National Register? Source: _____	() <u>Y</u> es () <u>N</u> o
13) Is this property a National Historic Landmark?	() <u>Y</u> es () <u>N</u> o

14) Direct Effects (Select One): () No Effect on this Historic Property in APE () No Adverse Effect on this Historic Property in APE () Adverse Effect on this Historic Property in APE
15) Visual Effects (Select One): () No Effect on this Historic Property in APE () No Adverse Effect on this Historic Property in APE () Adverse Effect on this Historic Property in APE

This page may be copied to include additional Historic Properties.
Historic Property Attachments required – See instructions for details.

Local Government Involvement

Local Government Agency

1) FCC Registration Number (FRN):
2) Name:

Contact Name

3) First Name:	4) MI:	5) Last Name:	6) Suffix:
7) Title:			

Contact Information

8) P.O. Box:		And /Or	9) Street Address:	
10) City:			11) State:	12) Zip Code:
13) Telephone Number: ()			14) Fax Number: ()	
15) E-mail Address:				
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() Both				

Dates & Response

17) Date Contacted ____/____/____ () No Reply () Replied/No Interest () Replied/Have Interest () Replied/Other _____	18) Date Replied ____/____/____ () No Reply () Replied/No Interest () Replied/Have Interest () Replied/Other _____
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Additional Information

19) Information on local government's role or interest (optional):

**This page may be copied to include additional local government agencies.
Local Government Attachments required – See instructions for details.**

Other Consulting Parties

Other Consulting Parties Contacted

1) Has any other agency been contacted and invited to become a consulting party?	() <u>Y</u> es (X) <u>N</u> o
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Consulting Party

2) FCC Registration Number (FRN):
3) Name:

Contact Name

4) First Name:	5) MI:	6) Last Name:	7) Suffix:
8) Title:			

Contact Information

9) P.O. Box:	And /Or	10) Street Address:	
11) City:		12) State:	13) Zip Code:
14) Telephone Number: ()		15) Fax Number: ()	
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Additional Information

20) Information on other consulting parties' role or interest (optional):

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Consulting Parties Attachments required – See instructions for details.

Designation of SHPO/THPO

1) Designate the Lead State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO) or Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO) based on the location of the tower.

SHPO/THPO

Name: Oklahoma SHPO

2) You may also designate up to three additional SHPOs/THPOs if the APEs include multiple states. If the APEs include other countries, enter the name of the National Historic Preservation Agency and any state and provincial Historic Preservation Agency.

SHPO/THPO Name: _____

SHPO/THPO Name: _____

SHPO/THPO Name: _____

Designation of SHPO/THPO Attachments may be required – See instructions for details.

Certification

I certify that all representations on this FCC Form 620 Submission Packet and the accompanying attachments are true, correct, and complete.

Party Authorized to Sign

First Name: Steven

MI: R

Last Name: Evans

Suffix:

Signature:

Date:

____/____/____

FAILURE TO SIGN THIS APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL OF THE APPLICATION AND FORFEITURE OF ANY FEES PAID.

WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM OR ANY ATTACHMENTS ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. Code, Title 18, Section 1001) AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION LICENSE OR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT (U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 503).