

SUBSTITUTE FOR  
SENATE BILL NO. 1064

A bill to amend 2006 PA 110, entitled  
"Michigan zoning enabling act,"  
(MCL 125.3101 to 125.3702) by adding section 3514.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1        SEC. 3514. (1) WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT IS A  
2        PERMITTED USE OF PROPERTY AND IS NOT SUBJECT TO SPECIAL LAND USE  
3        APPROVAL OR ANY OTHER APPROVAL UNDER THIS ACT IF ALL OF THE  
4        FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS ARE MET:

5        (A) THE WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT WILL BE COLLOCATED  
6        ON AN EXISTING WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT STRUCTURE OR IN AN  
7        EXISTING EQUIPMENT COMPOUND.

8        (B) THE EXISTING WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT STRUCTURE OR  
9        EXISTING EQUIPMENT COMPOUND IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE LOCAL UNIT OF  
10       GOVERNMENT'S ZONING ORDINANCE OR WAS APPROVED BY THE APPROPRIATE

1 ZONING BODY OR OFFICIAL FOR THE LOCAL UNIT OF GOVERNMENT.

2 (C) THE PROPOSED COLLOCATION WILL NOT DO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

3 (i) INCREASE THE OVERALL HEIGHT OF THE WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS  
4 SUPPORT STRUCTURE BY MORE THAN 20 FEET OR 10% OF ITS ORIGINAL  
5 HEIGHT, WHICHEVER IS GREATER.

6 (ii) INCREASE THE WIDTH OF THE WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT  
7 STRUCTURE BY MORE THAN THE MINIMUM NECESSARY TO PERMIT COLLOCATION.

8 (iii) INCREASE THE AREA OF THE EXISTING EQUIPMENT COMPOUND TO  
9 GREATER THAN 2,500 SQUARE FEET.

10 (D) THE PROPOSED COLLOCATION COMPLIES WITH THE TERMS AND  
11 CONDITIONS OF ANY PREVIOUS FINAL APPROVAL OF THE WIRELESS  
12 COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT STRUCTURE OR EQUIPMENT COMPOUND BY THE  
13 APPROPRIATE ZONING BODY OR OFFICIAL OF THE LOCAL UNIT OF  
14 GOVERNMENT.

15 (2) WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT THAT MEETS THE  
16 REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION (1) (A) AND (B) BUT DOES NOT MEET THE  
17 REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION (1) (C) OR (D) IS A PERMITTED USE OF  
18 PROPERTY IF IT RECEIVES SPECIAL LAND USE APPROVAL UNDER SUBSECTIONS  
19 (3) TO (6).

20 (3) AN APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL LAND USE APPROVAL OF WIRELESS  
21 COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (2) SHALL INCLUDE  
22 ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

23 (A) A SITE PLAN AS REQUIRED UNDER SECTION 501, INCLUDING A MAP  
24 OF THE PROPERTY AND EXISTING AND PROPOSED BUILDINGS AND OTHER  
25 FACILITIES.

26 (B) ANY ADDITIONAL RELEVANT INFORMATION THAT IS SPECIFICALLY  
27 REQUIRED BY A ZONING ORDINANCE PROVISION DESCRIBED IN SECTION

1 502(1) OR 504.

2 (4) AFTER AN APPLICATION FOR A SPECIAL LAND USE APPROVAL IS  
3 FILED WITH THE BODY OR OFFICIAL RESPONSIBLE FOR APPROVING SPECIAL  
4 LAND USES, THE BODY OR OFFICIAL SHALL DETERMINE WHETHER THE  
5 APPLICATION IS ADMINISTRATIVELY COMPLETE. UNLESS THE BODY OR  
6 OFFICIAL PROCEEDS AS PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (5), THE APPLICATION  
7 SHALL BE CONSIDERED TO BE ADMINISTRATIVELY COMPLETE WHEN THE BODY  
8 OR OFFICIAL MAKES THAT DETERMINATION OR 14 BUSINESS DAYS AFTER THE  
9 BODY OR OFFICIAL RECEIVES THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS FIRST.

10 (5) IF, BEFORE THE EXPIRATION OF THE 14-DAY PERIOD UNDER  
11 SUBSECTION (4), THE BODY OR OFFICIAL RESPONSIBLE FOR APPROVING  
12 SPECIAL LAND USES NOTIFIES THE APPLICANT THAT THE APPLICATION IS  
13 NOT ADMINISTRATIVELY COMPLETE, SPECIFYING THE INFORMATION NECESSARY  
14 TO MAKE THE APPLICATION ADMINISTRATIVELY COMPLETE, OR NOTIFIES THE  
15 APPLICANT THAT A FEE REQUIRED TO ACCOMPANY THE APPLICATION HAS NOT  
16 BEEN PAID, SPECIFYING THE AMOUNT DUE, THE RUNNING OF THE 14-DAY  
17 PERIOD UNDER SUBSECTION (4) IS TOLLED UNTIL THE APPLICANT SUBMITS  
18 TO THE BODY OR OFFICIAL THE SPECIFIED INFORMATION OR FEE AMOUNT  
19 DUE. THE NOTICE SHALL BE GIVEN IN WRITING OR BY ELECTRONIC  
20 NOTIFICATION. A FEE REQUIRED TO ACCOMPANY ANY APPLICATION SHALL NOT  
21 EXCEED THE LOCAL UNIT OF GOVERNMENT'S ACTUAL, REASONABLE COSTS TO  
22 REVIEW AND PROCESS THE APPLICATION OR \$1,000.00, WHICHEVER IS LESS.

23 (6) THE BODY OR OFFICIAL RESPONSIBLE FOR APPROVING SPECIAL  
24 LAND USES SHALL APPROVE OR DENY THE APPLICATION NOT MORE THAN 60  
25 DAYS AFTER THE APPLICATION IS CONSIDERED TO BE ADMINISTRATIVELY  
26 COMPLETE. IF THE BODY OR OFFICIAL FAILS TO TIMELY APPROVE OR DENY  
27 THE APPLICATION, THE APPLICATION SHALL BE CONSIDERED APPROVED AND

1 THE BODY OR OFFICIAL SHALL BE CONSIDERED TO HAVE MADE ANY  
2 DETERMINATION REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL.

3 (7) SPECIAL LAND USE APPROVAL OF WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS  
4 EQUIPMENT DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (2) MAY BE MADE EXPRESSLY  
5 CONDITIONAL ONLY ON THE WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT'S MEETING  
6 THE REQUIREMENTS OF OTHER LOCAL ORDINANCES AND OF FEDERAL AND STATE  
7 LAWS BEFORE THE WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT BEGINS OPERATION.

8 (8) IF A LOCAL UNIT OF GOVERNMENT REQUIRES SPECIAL LAND USE  
9 APPROVAL FOR WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT THAT DOES NOT MEET  
10 THE REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION (1) (A) OR FOR A WIRELESS  
11 COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT STRUCTURE, SUBSECTIONS (4) TO (6) APPLY TO  
12 THE SPECIAL LAND USE APPROVAL PROCESS, EXCEPT THAT THE PERIOD FOR  
13 APPROVAL OR DENIAL UNDER SUBSECTION (6) IS 90 DAYS.

14 (9) A LOCAL UNIT OF GOVERNMENT MAY AUTHORIZE WIRELESS  
15 COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT AS A PERMITTED USE OF PROPERTY NOT SUBJECT  
16 TO A SPECIAL LAND USE APPROVAL.

17 (10) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:

18 (A) "COLLOCATE" MEANS TO PLACE OR INSTALL WIRELESS  
19 COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT ON AN EXISTING WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS  
20 SUPPORT STRUCTURE OR IN AN EXISTING EQUIPMENT COMPOUND.

21 "COLLOCATION" HAS A CORRESPONDING MEANING.

22 (B) "EQUIPMENT COMPOUND" MEANS AN AREA SURROUNDING OR ADJACENT  
23 TO THE BASE OF A WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT STRUCTURE AND  
24 WITHIN WHICH WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT IS LOCATED.

25 (C) "WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT" MEANS THE SET OF  
26 EQUIPMENT AND NETWORK COMPONENTS USED IN THE PROVISION OF WIRELESS  
27 COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ANTENNAS,

1 TRANSMITTERS, RECEIVERS, BASE STATIONS, EQUIPMENT SHELTERS,  
2 CABINETS, EMERGENCY GENERATORS, POWER SUPPLY CABLES, AND COAXIAL  
3 AND FIBER OPTIC CABLES, BUT EXCLUDING WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS  
4 SUPPORT STRUCTURES.

5 (D) "WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT STRUCTURE" MEANS A  
6 STRUCTURE THAT IS DESIGNED TO SUPPORT, OR IS CAPABLE OF SUPPORTING,  
7 WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING A MONOPOLE, SELF-  
8 SUPPORTING LATTICE TOWER, GUYED TOWER, WATER TOWER, UTILITY POLE,  
9 OR BUILDING.