# Application for Variance

The petitioner, appellant, or agent shall file six copies of a complete and accurate application, petition, or appeal form, together with two required plans and associated material, with the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Please be sure to complete the application carefully as failure to do so many result in your application being denied.

### **Petitioner**

Name: Industria	al Tower and Wireless, LLC			
Address: 40 L	one Street, Marshfield, MA 02050			
Phone Number:_	(781) 319-1000			
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Is this petition an appeal to a denial by the Building Commissioner? If your answer is yes, please attach a copy of the Building Commissioner's letter of denial to this application				
Yes	XNo			
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completed:				
Owner: Name: Adam and Rebecca Quenneville				
Address: 121 Amherst Road, South Hadley, MA 01075				
Phone Number: 413-47 8-1159				
The owner hereby appoints Industrial Tower and Wireless, LLC to act as agent for purposes of submitting and processing this petition for a variance.				
Date: March 8, 2018 Owner's signature:				
Title to the Property (Required)  The owner's title to the land that is the subject matter of this petition is derived from the deed/will/other of Adam A. Quenneville and Rebecca Arroyo, dated October 14, 2004, and recorded in the Hampshire Registry of Deeds, Volume, Page  Or as Land Court Certificate of Title No, Registered in  District, Volume, page				
Assessor's Records (Required)				
The land shown on the plan is located on Map 56, Lot 119 of the Assessor's records and has an address of				
Agricultural and Water The land is located in the Supply Protection zoning district.				

### The Plan

(Required, and must be prepared by a Professional Engineer, Licensed Surveyor, or Landscape Architect, registered in Massachusetts)

Title of Plan:_	Industrical Communications, South Hadley, MA
Drawn by: Ro	obert A. Foresi / R.A. Foresi Associates
P.E., Licenses registration #:	Surveyor, or Landscape Architect's Massachusetts
Date of Plan:_	January 15, 2018
Requirements t	for Plans:

- 1. Maximum scale of 1"=40' or 1:500 units
- 2. The plans MUST include the following:
  - a. a north arrow
  - b. names of existing and proposed streets
  - c. indication of zoning district boundaries if property is located in more than one district
  - d. names and addresses of abutters
  - e. property lines and location of buildings on abutting properties and properties across any street or way
  - f. dimensions of the subject property and verified distances from buildings, structures, and uses on abutting properties.
  - g. location of all existing and proposed uses, structures, and buildings on the subject property, principal or accessory.
  - h. location of all existing and proposed entrances, exits, driveways, parking, and loading
  - i. existing and proposed contour lines and spot grades
  - j. location on the plan of all signs proposed for the property
  - k. location of sewer, water lines, and other utilities on the subject property
  - 1. location of all significant natural features including trees and other vegetation.
  - m. any identified wetlands

- n. setback, side yard, and rear yard dimensions clearly set forth
- o. existing features shown in black; all proposals delineated to stand out
- p. drainage calculations, if applicable

The Chair of the Zoning Board of Appeals may waive any of the above requirements as he/she deems necessary or appropriate in particular cases. Requests for exceptions to these requirements must be submitted in writing to the Chair of the Zoning Board of Appeals in advance of the filing of the application.

# The Variance Request

Section (s) of the Zoning By-law/Ordinance from which relief is requested and description and purpose of relief requested: Industrial Tower and Wireless, LLC ("ITW") seeks dimensional variances for the proposed Telecommunications Tower (the "proposed Tower")  depicted on Industrial Communications, South Hadley, MA, Site Plan No. 1.  ITW seeks relief from Section 255-40 (G)(3)(a)(2) of the South Hadley  Zoning Bylaw (the "Bylaw"),which requires wireless communications towers to be set back from the nearest property line by one foot for each foot of height of the tower. The proposed Tower height is 150 feet. Under the Bylaw, the Planning Board is not authorized to waive the setback within the Agricultural Zoning District for properties in residential use.
ITW seeks variance relief because the abutting properties to the north and south are used for residential purposes and the lot lines are within 150 feet from the proposed Tower. The relief requested is 59.7 feet for the northerly property line in order to have a side setback of 90 feet, and 49.4 feet for the southerly property line in order to have a side setback of 100 feet.
See also Zoning Memorandum filed herewith.

When making a formal application for a variance from the Town of South Hadley Zoning Bylaws, the applicant should be aware of these 7 statutory requirements that must <u>all</u> be met before the Zoning Board of Appeals may act favorably upon the request. If you need assistance completing this section, please contact the Chair of the Zoning Board of Appeals or the Town Planner.

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or appella		the soil, shape, or topography, the petitioner the zoning is enforced as adopted.

4. The hardship may be financial or another hardship, but it may not be personal and must relate to the soil, shape, or topography of the land or structure.  See Zoning Memorandum filed herewith.		
	The variance requested may be granted without substantial detriment to the blic good.  See Zoning Memorandum filed herewith.	
	The variance requested may be granted without nullifying or substantially rogating from the intent or purpose of the zoning by-law.  See Zoning Memorandum filed herewith.	
	The owner cannot make reasonable use of the property under the existing ning by-laws. See Zoning Memorandum filed herewith.	

Signature of petitioner:		
Date:		
Date Received by Town Clerk:		
Signature of Town Clerk:		
Filing Fee Paid:		

#### References:

- 1. Variances and Special Permits, John Whitten, Esq., and Mark Bobrowski, Esq., July 1999, for the Citizen Planner Training Collaborative.
- 2. The Zoning Guidebook 2004, Carol Rolf, Esq., for the Massachusetts Federation of Planning and Appeals Boards.