

Franchise & Concession Review Committee Special Public Hearing
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SPECIAL PUBLIC HEARING
FRANCHISE and CONCESSION REVIEW COMMITTEE

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January 13, 2020
2:38 p.m.

2 Lafayette Street
14th Floor Auditorium
New York, New York

Julia M. Speros
Court Reporter

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A P P E A R A N C E S :

Mayor:
Alexis Blane

Office of the Mayor:
Benjamin Furnas

Corporation Counsel:
Amrita Barth

Office of Management and Budget:
Yvonne Quintian

Comptroller:
John Katsorhis

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Tom Lucania

Borough President of Brooklyn:
Tonya Cantlo-Cockfield

Borough President of Manhattan:
Matthew Washington

Borough President of Queens:
Allan Swisher

Borough President of Staten Island:
Lashay Young

Department of Information Technology and
Telecommunications
Michael Pastor
General Counsel

Clerk:
Gregg Alleyne

1 PROCEEDINGS

2 MS. BLANE: Good afternoon. The
3 Special Public Hearing will now come to
4 order.

5 Will the Clerk please call the roll?

6 THE CLERK: Mayor.

7 MS. BLANE: Present.

8 THE CLERK: Office of the Mayor.

9 MR. FURNAS: Here.

10 THE CLERK: Comptroller.

11 MR. KATSORHIS: Here.

12 THE CLERK: Corporation Counsel.

13 MS. BARTH: Here.

14 THE CLERK: Office of Management and
15 Budget.

16 MS. QUINTIAN: Here.

17 THE CLERK: President, Borough of
18 the Bronx.

19 MR. LUCANIA: Here.

20 THE CLERK: President, Borough of
21 Brooklyn.

22 MS. CANTLO-COCKFIELD: Here.

23 THE CLERK: President, Borough of
24 Manhattan.

25 MR. WASHINGTON: Present.

1 THE CLERK: President, Borough of
2 Queens.

3 MR. SWISHER: Here.

4 THE CLERK: President, Borough of
5 Staten Island.

6 MS. YOUNG: Here.

7 MS. BLANE: Welcome to the Special
8 Public Hearing of the Franchise and
9 Concession Review Committee. The
10 hearing being conducted today has been
11 publicly advertised in accordance with
12 the New York City Charter and Franchise
13 Rules of the City of New York.

14 We want to be sure that anyone
15 desiring to be heard has an opportunity
16 to do so. All persons wishing to speak
17 must fill out a request slip, which can
18 be obtained from the Clerk.

19 Each speaker will be allotted
20 approximately three minutes. When you
21 testify, please state your name and
22 affiliation, if any. You may also
23 submit written testimony to the Clerk,
24 which will be made part of the record.

25 Any written submissions must be

1 given to the Clerk before the close of
2 the public hearing.

3 Will the Clerk please call the first
4 calendar item?

5 THE CLERK: New York City Department
6 of Information Technology and
7 Telecommunications, Calendar Item Number
8 1, in the matter of the intent to seek
9 Franchise and Concession Review
10 Committee approval regarding a proposed
11 mobile telecommunications services
12 franchise agreement between the City of
13 New York and Crown Castle Fiber LLC.

14 The proposed franchise agreement
15 would authorize the franchisee to
16 install, operate, and maintain equipment
17 and facilities, including base stations
18 and access point facilities, on:

19 One, City-owned street light poles
20 and traffic light poles, and certain
21 privately-owned utility poles located on
22 the City streets, and;

23 Two, subject to necessary further
24 approval, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop
25 shelters and automatic public toilets,

1 all in connection with the provision of
2 mobile telecommunications services.

3 The proposed franchise agreement has
4 a term of 10 years.

5 This summary will apply to all
6 subsequent calendar items being heard
7 here today and will not be repeated.

8 MS. BLANE: We will take testimony
9 from the public, but first I'd like to
10 ask the members of the Committee if they
11 have any statements.

12 (No response.)

13 MS. BLANE: Will the Clerk please
14 call the next person who wishes to
15 testify?

16 THE CLERK: Bob Master.

17 Please state your name and
18 affiliation for the Committee.

19 MR. MASTER: Good afternoon. My
20 name is Bob Master. I am the Assistant
21 to the Vice President for Communications
22 Workers of America, District 1. We
23 represent approximately 7,000 telecom
24 workers in the City of New York and we
25 are here today to express our support

1 for the draft mobile telecom franchise
2 agreements that are before you.

3 These agreements, we believe, will
4 serve as the foundation of the City's
5 telecommunications infrastructure for
6 the next decade. Now, more than ever,
7 public safety and other essential
8 services in the City of New York depend
9 on well-functioning and well-maintained
10 telecommunications infrastructure.

11 A major part of a successful
12 telecommunications ecosystem is a
13 well-trained and reliable work force.
14 That is why CWA is particularly pleased
15 with the inclusion of Appendix H in the
16 agreement, which focuses on worker
17 safety and subcontractor transparency.

18 Today the wireless industry is
19 plagued by complex multi-layered
20 employment structures and a heavy
21 reliance on subcontractors and
22 independent contractors.

23 The CWA's research into this part of
24 the industry has uncovered numerous
25 instances of telecom subcontractors

1 causing fatal gas explosions and utility
2 hits that endanger the public and
3 require public employees' staff time to
4 investigate and resolve. For too often
5 these subcontractors are not properly
6 licensed or registered to work in the
7 state.

8 The franchisees deploying mobile
9 telecom equipment pursuant to this
10 agreement will be installing these
11 facilities on publicly owned poles and
12 in the public rights-of-way.

13 As such, it is imperative that the
14 City is knowledgeable of all entities
15 working to deploy network assets under
16 this agreement and to be able to hold
17 them accountable. We hope New York
18 City's leadership on this will be
19 replicated by other municipalities and
20 localities across the nation.

21 CWA also supports the City's efforts
22 to incentive mobile telecommunications
23 infrastructure build-out in underserved
24 communities as outlined in Appendix B.
25 We commend the City on its proactive

1 efforts to close the digital divide and
2 position the City to deliver up to date,
3 high quality and reliable
4 telecommunications services to all New
5 Yorkers for years to come.

6 Thank you for your time and we
7 support the franchise agreements.

8 MS. BLANE: Do any other members of
9 the public wish to make a statement?

10 (No response.)

11 MS. BLANE: If no one else wishes to
12 speak, that concludes the hearing on the
13 first calendar item.

14 Will the Clerk please call the
15 second calendar item?

16 THE CLERK: New York City Department
17 of Information Technology and
18 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
19 2, in the matter of the intent to seek
20 Franchise and Concession Review
21 Committee approval regarding a proposed
22 mobile telecommunications services
23 franchise agreement between the City of
24 New York and Crown Castle NG East LLC.

25 MS. BLANE: Do any members of the

1 Committee wish to make a statement?

2 (No response.)

3 MS. BLANE: Will the Clerk please
4 call the next person who wishes to
5 testify?

6 THE CLERK: (Nodding.)

7 MS. BLANE: If no one else wishes to
8 speak, that concludes the hearing on the
9 second calendar item.

10 Will the Clerk please call the third
11 calendar item?

12 THE CLERK: New York City Department
13 of Information Technology and
14 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
15 3, in the matter of the intent to seek
16 Franchise and Concession Review
17 Committee approval regarding a proposed
18 mobile telecommunications services
19 franchise agreement between the City of
20 New York and Crown Castle Solutions LLC.

21 MS. BLANE: Do any members of the
22 Committee have any statements to make?

23 (No response.)

24 MS. BLANE: Does anyone from the
25 public wish to make a statement?

1 (No response.)

2 MS. BLANE: That concludes the
3 hearing on the third calendar item.

4 Will the Clerk please call the
5 fourth calendar item?

6 THE CLERK: New York City Department
7 of Information Technology and
8 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
9 4, in the matter the intent to seek
10 Franchise and Concession Review
11 Committee approval regarding a proposed
12 mobile telecommunications services
13 franchise agreement between the City of
14 New York and CSC Wireless NY, LLC.

15 The Department of Information
16 Technology and Telecommunications will
17 now read changes into the record.

18 MR. PASTOR: The proposed
19 franchisee, CSC Wireless LLC submitted
20 its proposal to the DOITT RFP under a
21 subsidiary company, CSC Wireless NY, LLC
22 and subsequently requested that CSC
23 Wireless LLC, as the parent entity,
24 become the franchisee.

25 CSC Wireless LLC documented that the

1 proposal terms submitted by CSC Wireless
2 NY, LLC will also be applied to CSC
3 Wireless LLC.

4 MS. BLANE: Do any members of the
5 Committee wish to make a statement?

6 (No response.)

7 MS. BLANE: Are there any additional
8 statements?

9 (No response.)

10 MS. BLANE: That concludes the
11 hearing on the fourth calendar item.

12 Will the Clerk please call the fifth
13 calendar item?

14 THE CLERK: New York City Department
15 of Information Technology and
16 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
17 5, in the matter of the intent to seek
18 Franchise and Concession Review
19 Committee approval regarding a proposed
20 mobile telecommunications services
21 franchise agreement between the City of
22 New York and ExteNet Systems, Inc.,
23 otherwise known as ExteNet 1.

24 MS. BLANE: Do any members of the
25 Committee have a statement?

1 (No response.)

2 MS. BLANE: Are there any additional
3 statements from the public?

4 (No response.)

5 MS. BLANE: That concludes the
6 hearing on the fifth calendar item.

7 Will the Clerk please call the sixth
8 calendar item?

9 THE CLERK: New York City Department
10 of Information Technology and
11 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
12 6, in the matter of the intent to seek
13 Franchise and Concession Review
14 Committee approval regarding a proposed
15 mobile telecommunications services
16 franchise agreement between the City of
17 New York and ExteNet Systems, Inc.,
18 otherwise known as ExteNet 2.

19 MS. BLANE: Do any members of the
20 Committee have any statements?

21 (No response.)

22 MS. BLANE: Does anybody else wish
23 to speak?

24 (No response.)

25 MS. BLANE: That concludes the

1 hearing on the sixth calendar item.

2 Will the Clerk please call the
3 seventh calendar item?

4 THE CLERK: New York City Department
5 of Information Technology and
6 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
7 7, in the matter of the intent to seek
8 Franchise and Concession Review
9 Committee approval regarding a proposed
10 mobile telecommunications services
11 franchise agreement between the City of
12 New York and Mobilitie, LLC.

13 Please be advised that at the
14 request of the agency this item will be
15 held over to the February 10, 2020 FCRC
16 Public Hearing, which will take place in
17 the Spector Hall of 22 Reade Street, in
18 Manhattan at 2:30 p.m.

19 Any changes to this schedule, which
20 will result in a Special Public Hearing
21 being scheduled prior to the February
22 10, 2020 FCRC Public Hearing, will be
23 noticed in The City Record and as
24 required by Section 104 of the Open
25 Meetings Law.

1 MS. BLANE: Will the Clerk please
2 call the eighth calendar item?

3 THE CLERK: New York City Department
4 of Information Technology and
5 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
6 8, in the matter of the intent to seek
7 Franchise and Concession Review
8 Committee approval regarding a proposed
9 mobile telecommunications services
10 franchise agreement between the City of
11 New York and New Cingular Wireless PCS,
12 LLC.

13 MS. BLANE: Does any member of the
14 Committee wish to make a statement?

15 MR. WASHINGTON: I have a question.
16 Thank you.

17 On the vendor name check for this
18 franchise, it identified, when looking
19 at PASSPort, there was a 14 million
20 dollar debt owed, but then upon further
21 review there was no 14 million dollar
22 debt, and I'm curious what happened.

23 MR. PASTOR: Yes, our understanding
24 was that payment owed to the City had
25 indeed been paid.

1 MR. WASHINGTON: It was paid?

2 MR. PASTOR: Correct, that's my
3 understanding.

4 MR. WASHINGTON: It was owed at some
5 point and then it was paid?

6 MR. PASTOR: That's my
7 understanding.

8 MR. WASHINGTON: Thank you.

9 MS. BLANE: Does anyone else wish to
10 make a statement on the Committee?

11 (No response.)

12 MS. BLANE: Do any members of the
13 public wish to speak?

14 (No response.)

15 MS. BLANE: That concludes the
16 hearing on the eighth calendar item.

17 Will the Clerk please call the ninth
18 calendar item?

19 THE CLERK: New York City Department
20 of Information Technology and
21 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
22 9, in the matter of the intent to seek
23 Franchise and Concession Review
24 Committee approval regarding a proposed
25 mobile telecommunications services

1 franchise agreement between the City of
2 New York and New York SMSA Limited
3 Partnership.

4 MS. BLANE: Does any member of the
5 Committee wish to make a statement?

6 (No response.)

7 MS. BLANE: Does anyone else wish to
8 speak on this matter?

9 (No response.)

10 MS. BLANE: That concludes the
11 hearing on the ninth calendar item.

12 Will the Clerk please call the tenth
13 calendar item?

14 THE CLERK: New York City Department
15 of Information Technology and
16 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
17 10, in the matter of the intent to seek
18 Franchise and Concession Review
19 Committee approval regarding a proposed
20 mobile telecommunications services
21 franchise agreement between the City of
22 New York and Transit Wireless LLC.

23 MS. BLANE: Does any member of the
24 Committee wish to make a statement?

25 (No response.)

1 MS. BLANE: Does any member of the
2 public wish to make a statement?

3 (No response.)

4 MS. BLANE: That conclude the
5 hearing on the tenth calendar item.

6 Will the Clerk please call the
7 eleventh calendar item?

8 THE CLERK: New York City Department
9 of Information Technology and
10 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
11 11, in the matter of the intent to seek
12 Franchise and Concession Review
13 Committee approval regarding a proposed
14 mobile telecommunications services
15 franchise agreement between the City of
16 New York and Transmission Network NY,
17 LLC.

18 Please be advised that at the
19 request of the agency this item will be
20 held over to the February 10, 2020 FCRC
21 Public Hearing, which will take place in
22 the Spector Hall of 22 Reade Street, in
23 Manhattan at 2:30 p.m.

24 Any changes to this schedule, which
25 will result in a Special Public Hearing

1 being scheduled prior to the February
2 10, 2020 FCRC Public Hearing, will be
3 noticed in The City Record and as
4 required by Section 104 of the Open
5 Meetings Law.

6 MS. BLANE: Will the Clerk please
7 call the twelfth calendar item?

8 THE CLERK: New York City Department
9 of Information Technology and
10 Telecommunications, Calendar Item number
11 12, in the matter of the intent to seek
12 Franchise and Concession Review
13 Committee approval regarding a proposed
14 mobile telecommunications services
15 franchise agreement between the City of
16 New York and Zenfi Networks, Inc.

17 The Department of Information
18 Technology and Telecommunications will
19 now read changes into the record.

20 MR. PASTOR: The proposed
21 franchisee, Zenfi Networks LLC submitted
22 a proposal to the DOITT RFP under the
23 corp (sic) name of Zenfi Networks, Inc.

24 The proposed franchisee subsequently
25 became an LLC and confirmed to DOITT

1 that this was a change of name and that
2 its Employer Identification Number,
3 along with its Chief Executive Officer
4 and Chief Financial Officer remain the
5 same.

6 MS. BLANE: Does any member of the
7 Committee wish to make a statement?

8 (No response.)

9 MS. BLANE: Does any member of the
10 public wish to make a statement.

11 (No response.)

12 MS. BLANE: If no one else wishes to
13 speak, that concludes today's hearing.

14 We ask that the reporter make the
15 entire public hearing agenda, which is
16 was made publicly available and
17 distributed at this hearing, part of the
18 final record of the proceeding.

19 The hearing is now closed. Thank
20 you.

21 (Time noted: 2:53 p.m.)

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CERTIFICATION

I, JULIA M. SPEROS, a Notary Public for and within the State of New York, do hereby certify:

That the witness whose testimony as herein set forth, was duly sworn by me; and that the within transcript is a true record of the testimony given by said witness.

I further certify that I am not related to any of the parties to this action by blood or marriage, and that I am in no way interested in the outcome of this matter.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 13th day of January, 2020.



Julia M. Speros

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SPECIAL PUBLIC HEARING

FRANCHISE AND CONCESSION REVIEW COMMITTEE

MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 2020 @ 2:30 P.M.

2 LAFAYETTE STREET, NEW YORK, NY

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*Franchise and Concession Review Committee Joint Special Public Hearing
Monday, January 13th, 2019 @ 2:30 P.M.*

**NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
& TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

No. 1: IN THE MATTER of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and Crown Castle Fiber LLC. The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 2: IN THE MATTER of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and Crown Castle NG East LLC. The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 3: **IN THE MATTER** of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and Crown Castle Solutions LLC. The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 4: **IN THE MATTER** of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and CSC Wireless NY, LLC. The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 5: **IN THE MATTER** of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and ExteNet Systems, Inc. (ExteNet 1). The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 6: **IN THE MATTER** of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and ExteNet Systems, Inc. (ExteNet 2). The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 7: **IN THE MATTER** of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and Mobilitie, LLC. The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 8: **IN THE MATTER** of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC. The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 9: **IN THE MATTER** of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and New York SMSA Limited Partnership, LLC. The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 10: **IN THE MATTER** of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and Transit Wireless LLC. The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 11: **IN THE MATTER** of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and Transmission Network NY, LLC. The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.

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No. 12: **IN THE MATTER** of the intent to seek Franchise and Concession Review Committee approval regarding a proposed mobile telecommunications services franchise agreement between the City of New York and ZenFi Networks, Inc. The proposed franchise agreement would authorize the franchisee to install, operate and maintain equipment and facilities, including base stations and access point facilities, on 1) City-owned street light poles and traffic light poles, and certain privately-owned utility poles located on the City streets and 2) subject to necessary further approvals, LinkNYC Kiosks, bus stop shelters and automatic public toilets, all in connection with the provision of mobile telecommunications services. The proposed franchise agreement has a term of ten years.