



---

## Fwd: Correspondence for meeting tonight

---

**Mindy Jesek** <villageclerk@nelsonvilleny.gov>  
Reply-To: villageclerk@nelsonvilleny.gov  
To: Village Board of Trustees <villageboard@nelsonvilleny.gov>

Tue, Jan 21, 2020 at 5:09 PM

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Tom Campanile**  
Date: Tue, Jan 21, 2020, 5:02 PM  
Subject: Correspondence for meeting tonight  
To: <[villageboard@nelsonvilleny.gov](mailto:villageboard@nelsonvilleny.gov)>

Mayor Bowman and members of the Board,

I'm unable to attend tonight's meeting. On the assumption that the cell tower settlement proposal is on the agenda tonight, I want to reiterate my support for the Board and the proposed settlement on this.

While I understand the emotion on this topic and the desire of many to continue the fight, I walked away from the special meeting 2 weeks ago comfortable with the knowledge that this the Board is appropriately taking the advice of outside counsel that this is likely the best deal we're going to get at this point.

I would hate to see us lose the concessions on design, height, site plan approvals and other protections that have been negotiated in pursuit of a win in court that sounds like it is a long shot at best.

I'm also concerned with the out of pocket costs that are already being incurred and the potential for even higher costs when the village's insurance carriers eventually decide that they will no longer support this fight. Our village's tax budget can simply not support this.

I also support the Board's project to update our code for the coming 5G rollout so that we are all better protected the next time around.

Thank you for everything each of you are doing for our small community . I truly appreciate it.

Best,  
Tom Campanile  
44 Billy's Way

---  
Tom Campanile  
[tommy.london@gmail.com](mailto:tommy.london@gmail.com)