

AVIATION AUTHORITY * PERMIT APPLICATION *

Tampa International Airport

Peter O. Knight Airport Plant City Airport Tampa Executive Airport P.O. Box 22287. Tampa, FL 33622-2287

P.U. BOX 22207, Tani	pa, FL 55022-2207
Scope/Nature of Request: Provide summary of request, activitie describe scope, submit drawings and specification if needed. Addition contain (1) an FAA Determination of No Hazard if the duration is grea- requested (3) a Variance application, if applicable (4) site plan with a requested (6) any additional information requested by the Airport Zo with the Airport Zoning Regulations. Project Name \ Description:	s involved and any other required or pertinent information to fully al pages may be used if necessary. The application must also ater than 72 hrs. (2) site survey with an FAA accuracy code of 1A, if a building layout, if requested (5) building elevation plan, if ning Director to determine whether or not the proposal will comply
Tampa Electric Company - 78th Street Tower Benja	coment
Applicant acknowledges receipt of the applicable procedures and/or consideration of issuance of this permit to be bound by the terms and or regulations, procedures and laws.	provisions pertaining to the above request and agrees that in conditions of such documents and all other applicable laws, rules,
Permanent (Height Zoning) X Check type of permit	This application is required to be attached to the supplemental
being requested	data form for Permit request (see on-line application process).
Temporary (Crane/Equip.)	une total tot totale todano (on an art altanear total).
Name/Company/Organization: Tampa Electric Company	
Contact Person for Requested Activity: Michael Brooks, Aut	horized Agent Phone: 813-543-5900
Project Location: 820 South 78th Street, Tampa, FL	Email: mbrooks@bsrfirm.com
Under penalty of perjury, I hereby certify that the above statement	s and supplemental data are true and correct and I have full
power and authority to act on behalf of the above named firm, corpo	ration or organization in the submission of this application.
Printed Name of Authorized Representative: Michael Brooks Bi	Sheppard & Rocha, PLLC
Signature of Authorized Representative	
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STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF _Florida	COMMESION EL COM
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of <pre></pre>	sical presence of Whiling the target ation, this 2 day of
February , 20 23 by Michael Brooks	
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All activities performed under this permit are at applicant's own expense and injuries resulting from or connected with this activity. This permit does not r determinations from other governmental agencies as may be required in activity.	risk. The Authority will not be held liable for any damages, losses or relieve the applicant from obtaining any other permits, approvals, or ccordance with law.
THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY A	VIATION AUTHORITY REPRESENTATIVE
Airport Study No. 2023-25	Variance Required: YES
FAA Study Number2021-ASO-47052-OE	Recommend Approval: YES
Associated FAA Study NumbersNA	Coordinate with Airport Operations: YES
Reviewed By:	Coordinate with ATCT: YES
Approved by Zoning Director	Date



AVIATION AUTHORITY * PETITION FOR VARIANCE *

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Provide a summary of request, activities involved and any other required or pertinent information as it pertains to any of the following criteria which will be used to substantiate a variance to the height zoning regulations. Additional pages may be used if necessary.

- The regulated height would create an unnecessary hardship to the applicant.
- Special conditions and circumstances apply which are not applicable to other similarly situated property.
- The proposal will not create a substantial detriment to public good or impair the purposes of the intent of these regulations.
- The proposal will not create a substantial adverse effect on the utility of the airport covered under these regulations.

See Attachment "A"

Applicant acknowledges receipt of the applicable procedures and/or provisions pertaining to the above request and agrees that in consideration of issuance of this variance to be bound by the terms and conditions of such documents and all other applicable laws, rules, regulations, procedures and laws. The petitioner must forward to FDOT by certified mail, return receipt requested, a copy of the permit package and petition for comment. The review of this petition for variance and variance process will proceed only upon the receipt of FDOT's comments or waiver of that right. Include a copy of the certified mail receipt with the petition.

Nearest Airport: Tampa Executive // Peter O. Knight Overall Height (AMSL): 618 feet Date : February 2, 2023

Under penalty of perjury, I hereby certify that the above statements are true and correct and I have full power and authority to act on behalf of the Applicant's named firm, corporation or organization in the submission of this variance request.

Date: 2/2/23

Printed Name of Authorized Representative: Michael Brooks-Brooks Sheppard & Rocha, PLLC

Signature of Authorized Representative:

All activities performed under this variance are at applicants own expense and rink e Althority will not be held liable for any ANN BRAIC RACHEL

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF Florida Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of 🔳 physical presence or 🗆 online not arization, this 2 ____ day of February . 20 23 , by Michael Brooks

Notary

Signature 6 Personally Known_X

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THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY AVIATION AUTHORITY REPRESENTATIVE

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Airport Study No. <u>2023-25</u>	
FAA Study Number:2021-ASO-47052-OE	
Associated Aeronautical Study Numbers: <u>NA</u>	
FDOT Concurrence: Yes No Waived	n accordance with Resolution No
Approved by Board of Adjustment Chairman	Date

ATTACHMENT "A"

(To Variance Application)

Tampa Electric Company (TEC) requests a variance from the Authority to replace a 600-foot (AGL) guyed tower at its 60+ acre operations center site located at 820 South 78th Street, Tampa, FL (aka "Eastern Operations Center").¹ Replacement of aging infrastructure is part an ongoing effort by TEC to maintain and enhance system resilience in the region consistent with national policies that encourage protection of critical infrastructure serving our community.

TEC is a "public utility" as defined by F.S. 336.02(1) (2021). The existing tower is (and the proposed replacement tower will be) an essential component of the Eastern Operation Center, which functions as a public service facility as defined by the Hillsborough County Land Development Code. The onsite tower provides TEC with the *independent* capability to communicate with other utility facilities within the service area, remotely monitor and control utility infrastructure, and communicate with employees.

Most important, during black sky days, these essential capabilities are protected and secured within the Eastern Operation Center and unaffected by potential service interruptions that could occur to a third-party, off-site commercial communication tower and its support infrastructure. In short, the operation center and tower comprise and function as an integrated public service facility use with each component dependent on the other and not capable of separation.

Given the essential nature of the proposed replacement tower in its existing location:

- The regulated height would create an unnecessary hardship in that without the replacement tower TEC will no longer be able to perform essential energy grid management from its Eastern Operations Center.
- Special conditions and circumstances apply which are not applicable to other similarly situated property; specifically, that the existing tower is (and the proposed replacement tower will be) an essential component of the Eastern Operations Center and its placement is location specific.
- The proposal will not create a substantial detriment to public good or impair the purposes of the intent of these regulations; specifically, the proposal involves replacement of an existing tower of equal type, height, and external impacts.
- The proposal will not create a substantial adverse effect on the utility of the airport covered under these regulations. The FAA issued a DETERMINATION OF NO HAZARD TO AIR NAVIGATION (Aeronautical Study No. 2021-ASO-47052-OE) for the replacement tower in a letter dated April 11, 2022.

¹ Based on best available information, the existing guyed tower appears to have been constructed sometime around 1982. The Federal Aviation Administration ("FAA") issued a DETERMINATION OF NO HAZARD TO AIR NAVIGATION (Aeronautical Study No. 82-ASO-1714-OE) for the existing structure in a letter dated October 8, 1982. A copy of this determination is included with this application.

Review Summary

Airport Study Number 2023-25	Permit Nu 2325	Imber	Maximum Height - AN 618	/ISL
Approval Date	Expires 10/11/2023	Permit Ty Height Zo	/pe oning]
Review				
77.9 Review Required Notice		77.17 Review Obstruction		
77.19 Review Within Height Limits	TERPS Within Height Limits]	<u>oei (62.5:1)</u> N/A]
Analysis Summary	77 47 (-)(2) (-) 270(-)			
Exceeds obstruction standard or Navaid impacts identified. safe and efficient utilization of	77.17 (a)(2) by 278' - No The proposed structure the navigable airspace b	b Hazard as long as con would not have a sul by aircraft or on any na	nditions are followed. N bstantial adverse effect avigation facility	io IFR/VFR : upon the
Coordination with ATCT:	Yes	Coordination with	Operations:	Yes

Coordination with ATCT: Emergency Use Objects affecting Navigable Airspace



Coordination with Operations: Hazard Marking and/or Lighting Exceeds Supportive Screening Criteria

Yes
Yes
Yes

Conditions

Conditions: Red Obstruction lighting required in accordance with the FAA Advisory Circular 70/7460-1M.E-File FAA form 7460-2 with the FAA if the project is abandoned or within 5 days after the construction reaches its greatest height.If frequency interference is identified to Aviation operations the owner will mitigate the interference or remove the antenna.Notify the Airport at least 5 business days prior to starting construction at 813-870-7863 and provide Airport Study number.You will be required to follow all conditions specified in the FAA Determination to remain in compliance. Installation equipment (Crane) exceeding 618' AMSL will require a separate permit by the Aviation Authority. Equipment greater than 649' AMSL will not be approved.Any glint or glare issues identified from this project must be mitigated by the petitioner to the satisfaction of the Authority to avoid adverse impacts to aviation.The Aviation Authority requires a survey of the construction to be completed and submitted to the Aviation Authority within 5 days of reaching its greatest height.In the event that the proposed elevation is exceeded the applicant acknowledges that it will remove any feature or portion of the structure exceeding the permitted elevations.

Yes

Airport Study Number: 2023-25 CONDITIONS

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Distance from ARP



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Associated Point Data Report Created on											
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Obstruction Identification



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VDF Departures



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TPA Height and Zoning

Airspace - VDF_DEP

Airports - ARP

Aeronautical Study No. 2021-ASO-47052-OE



Mail Processing Center Federal Aviation Administration Southwest Regional Office Obstruction Evaluation Group 10101 Hillwood Parkway Fort Worth, TX 76177

Issued Date: 04/11/2022

DAVE GEISLER PEAK POWER SERVICES 7819 PROFESSIONAL PL TAMPA, FL 33637

**** DETERMINATION OF NO HAZARD TO AIR NAVIGATION ****

The Federal Aviation Administration has conducted an aeronautical study under the provisions of 49 U.S.C., Section 44718 and if applicable Title 14 of the Code of Federal Regulations, part 77, concerning:

Structure:	Antenna Tower Teco Relo
Location:	TAMPA, FL
Latitude:	27-56-41.49N NAD 83
Longitude:	82-21-50.19W
Heights:	18 feet site elevation (SE)
	600 feet above ground level (AGL)
	618 feet above mean sea level (AMSL)

This aeronautical study revealed that the structure does exceed obstruction standards but would not be a hazard to air navigation provided the following condition(s), if any, is(are) met:

As a condition to this Determination, the structure is to be marked/lighted in accordance with FAA Advisory circular 70/7460-1 M, Obstruction Marking and Lighting, a med-dual system-Chapters 4,8(M-Dual),&15.

Any failure or malfunction that lasts more than thirty (30) minutes and affects a top light or flashing obstruction light, regardless of its position, should be reported immediately to (877) 487-6867 so a Notice to Airmen (NOTAM) can be issued. As soon as the normal operation is restored, notify the same number.

It is required that FAA Form 7460-2, Notice of Actual Construction or Alteration, be e-filed any time the project is abandoned or:

_____ At least 10 days prior to start of construction (7460-2, Part 1) __X__ Within 5 days after the construction reaches its greatest height (7460-2, Part 2)

See attachment for additional condition(s) or information.

This determination expires on 10/11/2023 unless:

- (a) the construction is started (not necessarily completed) and FAA Form 7460-2, Notice of Actual Construction or Alteration, is received by this office.
- (b) extended, revised, or terminated by the issuing office.

(c) the construction is subject to the licensing authority of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and an application for a construction permit has been filed, as required by the FCC, within 6 months of the date of this determination. In such case, the determination expires on the date prescribed by the FCC for completion of construction, or the date the FCC denies the application.

NOTE: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF THE EFFECTIVE PERIOD OF THIS DETERMINATION MUST BE E-FILED AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION DATE. AFTER RE-EVALUATION OF CURRENT OPERATIONS IN THE AREA OF THE STRUCTURE TO DETERMINE THAT NO SIGNIFICANT AERONAUTICAL CHANGES HAVE OCCURRED, YOUR DETERMINATION MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR ONE EXTENSION OF THE EFFECTIVE PERIOD.

This determination is based, in part, on the foregoing description which includes specific coordinates, heights, frequency(ies) and power. Any changes in coordinates, heights, and frequencies or use of greater power except those frequencies specified in the Colo Void Clause Coalition; Antenna System Co-Location; Voluntary Best Practices, effective 21 Nov 2007, will void this determination. Any future construction or alteration including increase to heights, power, or the addition of other transmitters, requires separate notice to the FAA. This determination includes all previously filed frequencies and power for this structure.

If construction or alteration is dismantled or destroyed, you must submit notice to the FAA within 5 days after the construction or alteration is dismantled or destroyed.

This determination does include temporary construction equipment such as cranes, derricks, etc., which may be used during actual construction of the structure. However, this equipment shall not exceed the overall heights as indicated above. Equipment which has a height greater than the studied structure requires separate notice to the FAA.

This determination concerns the effect of this structure on the safe and efficient use of navigable airspace by aircraft and does not relieve the sponsor of compliance responsibilities relating to any law, ordinance, or regulation of any Federal, State, or local government body.

A copy of this determination will be forwarded to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) because the structure is subject to their licensing authority.

If we can be of further assistance, please contact our office at (404) 305-6462, or mike.blaich@faa.gov. On any future correspondence concerning this matter, please refer to Aeronautical Study Number 2021-ASO-47052-OE.

Signature Control No: 502346050-523130983 Michael Blaich Specialist

Attachment(s) Additional Information Frequency Data Map(s)

cc: FCC

(EBO)

Replacement tower.

Frequency Data for ASN 2021-ASO-47052-OE

LOW	HIGH	FREQUENCY		ERP
FREQUENCY	FREQUENCY	UNIT	ERP	UNIT
5.735	5.835	GHz	4	W
153	158	MHz	100	W
854	860	MHz	210	W

TOPO Map for ASN 2021-ASO-47052-OE







ENGINEERS • SURVEYORS• SCIENTISTS • CONSTRUCTION MANAGERS 4041 Crescent Park Drive Tampa, FL 33578 (813) 740-2300 (813) 740-0158 Fax

1A CERTIFICATION OF LOCATION & ELEVATION

DATE: October 25, 2021

T-Mobile South LLC Attn: Mrs. Jolene Ratliff Tampa-Orlando 5901 Benjamin Center Dr., Suite 110 A-B Tampa, Florida 33634

Site Ref.: 1-A SURVEY (Proposed Guyed Tower) Peak Power

Site location: 820 S 78[™] ST. Tampa, FL. 33619

T-Mobile Site # PEAK POWER

KCI JOB: 012104698

I certify that the latitude and the longitude shown hereon is accurate to within +/- 20' horizontally; and that ground elevation is accurate to within +/- 3' vertically. The horizontal datum (coordinates) is in terms of North American Datum of 1983 (NAD '83) and is expressed in degrees, minutes, and seconds to the nearest hundredth of a second. The vertical datum, (elevation) is in terms of the North American Vertical Datum of 1988 (N.A.V.D 88). Heights are referenced to the elevation at the center of the proposed TECO Tower, or Above Ground Level (A.G.L.)

Type of Tower: Proposed Guyed tower

Ground Elevation at Proposed tower:

17.8' (N.A.V.D 88 Datum) (+/-3')

NAD '83/2011 LATITUDE: 27° 56' 41.49"North (+/-20') LONGITUDE: 082° 21' 50.19"West (+/-20')

Sincerely, KCI Technologies

PAUL R. JACKSON, PSM Florida Professional Surveyor & Mapper No. 6719



