As many of you know, Verizon has plans to increase its 5G wireless infrastructure within Roland Park. Some of these antennas have already been installed throughout our community on Roland Ave, Cold Spring Lane, North Charles, and Wyndhurst.

The next phase of Verizon's plan involves installing 10 additional 5G antennas within the interior residential streets and next to homes, utilizing existing BG&E Utility Poles and hardware.

Roland Park is a designated Historic District listed on the National Register of Historic Places and, as such, these installations require Verizon to undergo an additional review of the effects that this change will have on our community. This is called the Section 106 Review and is mandated by the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (NHPA).

Verizon has posted a public notice of this plan within the classified section of the March 16 edition of the Baltimore Sun. This notice opens a 30-day window for public comment.

Verizon, with TriLeaf (the company contracted to manage the Section 106 Review), has submitted their plans to the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO), Maryland Historic Trust (MHT), and copied the Roland Park Civic League. These plans identified the 10 locations for the sites, hardware they intend to use, and other details about these installations.

To summarize these plans, Verizon intends to replace, or already has replaced, the utility pole with a larger pole and then will install 5G antennas at these locations:

- 198 Club Road, Baltimore, MD 21210
- 501 Hawthorn Road, Baltimore, MD 21210
- 325 Woodlawn Road, Baltimore, MD 21210
- 4501 Schenley Road, Baltimore, MD 21210
- S. 111 Ridgewood Road, Baltimore, MD 21210
- 106 Elmhurst Road, Baltimore, MD 21210
- 4700 Md-25, Baltimore, MD 21210
- 1 Deer Ridge Drive, Baltimore, MD 21210
- 2 Club Road, Baltimore, MD 21210
- 835 W University Parkway, Baltimore, MD 21210



Click here to view Verizon's 5G Coverage Map (and remember to input 21210 or your address)

If you have concerns about the effect these installations will have on the historic nature of Roland Park, landscapes, sight lines, and architecture please reach out to Kayla Lauer (k.lauer@trileaf.com, (410) 853-7128).

If you have questions and would like to know more details about Verizon plans, please reach out to Joel DePalma (office@rolandpark.org).

The RPCL comprehensive assessment of this expanded rollout within Roland Park can be found here: **5G Installations**, RPCL Community Impact Assessment 2021-22

https://rolandpark.org/5g-installations-rpcl-community-impact-assessment-2021-22/

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An informational packet, created by TriLeaf and submitted for the 106 Review, contains details about the first 5 of these new installations. This packet contains details on the size and look of the new pole, the 5G antennas, and other details about each of these sites. The TriLeaf submission can be found here:

https://rolandpark.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/5G Trileaf-693893-RPCL.pdf

