



**Pennsylvania House of Representatives
Consumer Affairs Committee Meeting
September 25, 2012 at 9:00 AM
Room B-31 Main Capitol
Harrisburg, PA**

Call to Order

Rep. Robert Godshall, Chairman

Roll Call

Senate Bill 1345 - Folmer

Creates the freestanding Wireless Broadband Collocation Act to streamline and standardize the municipal review process for collocation of wireless telecommunications facilities on existing wireless support structures. "Collocation" refers to the placement or installation of new wireless telecommunications facilities on previously approved and constructed wireless support structures such as towers, electrical transmission towers, water towers, etc. The process established does not apply to municipal review of applications for the initial siting of wireless support structures. The bill provides for an appeals process for delayed or denied applications.

Informational Meeting

Discussion will be on the placement of natural gas meters, which is the subject of an ongoing PUC rulemaking. The proposed new safety rule requires Pennsylvania utilities to move residential gas meters, which are connected to gas mains by steel service lines, from the customer's basements to outside of their exterior wall.

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| 9:20 AM | Chairman F. Powelson, Chairman
PA Public Utility Commission |
| 9:40 AM | Terry Fitzpatrick, President & CEO
Energy Association of Pennsylvania |

Other Business

Adjournment