

MEMORANDUM

DATE:

December 7, 2009

TO:

Chief Deputy Rick Allen

FROM:

Major Pam Palmisano

RE:

Wilmeth Road Radio Tower

A recent Structural Analysis of the Wilmeth Road Tower indicated that the maximum stressed tower member is at 205% of its design capacity and does not have the design capacity to support the existing equipment. At this time the tower does not meet the minimum requirements of the TIA/EIA-222-F for load cases applicable in Collin County, Texas.

It has been highly recommended that we re-brace the tower per the attached recommendations.