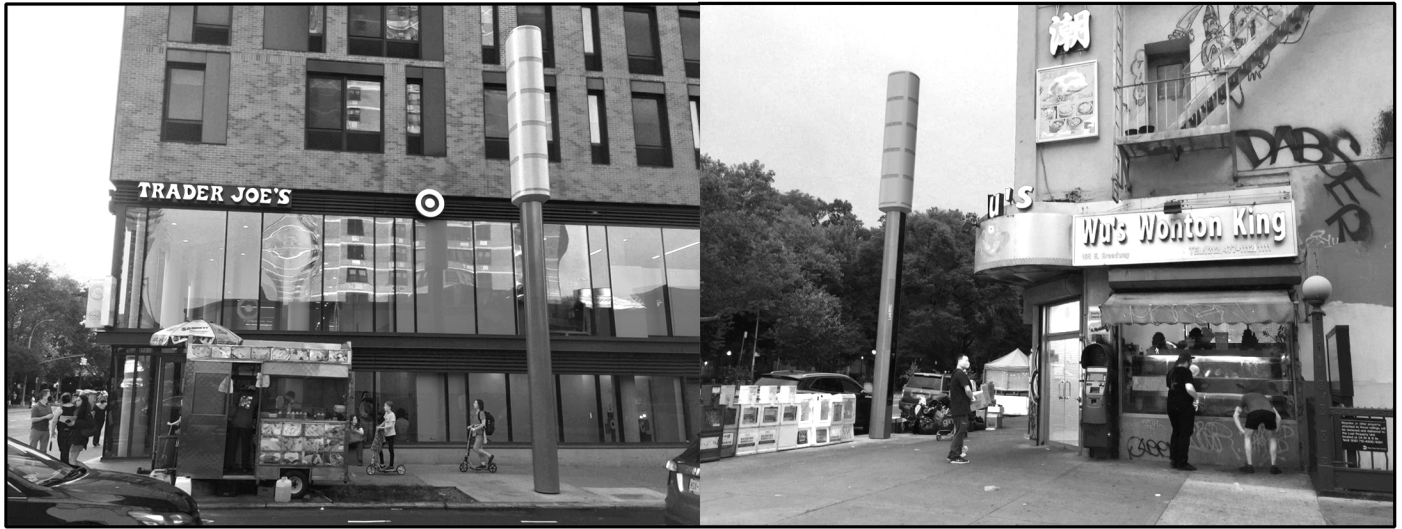


# What are these



## Jumbo Poles?

What is the city planning with these supersized jumbo 5G poles? Why hasn't DoITT (the city's Department of Information Technologies & Telecommunications) told us the proposed sites of these monumental 32 foot high structures? One could turn up right outside your window without any warning. The FCC's track record in monitoring the safety of our wireless communications infrastructure is pretty much zero. Despite studies showing increased incidence of cancer, hormonal, neurological, cardiac, and immune system effects, our dependence on wireless technologies only gets deeper.

There is an alternative, yet it would not be as lucrative for the telecom companies that have captured our federal and local agencies. That is fiberoptic wires to everybody's premises. We have already paid for it through extra fees on our phone bills and through government grants that allowed the companies to tear up the trusty copper wire infrastructure that worked throughout electrical outages and moments of crisis. The telecoms themselves use fiberoptic wires, but they left the last mile wireless, so that the commercial side of their business can make private gain off of public investments. Let everyone get affordable wired broadband internet connectivity if we truly want to give equitable access to all. It is safer, faster, and more private, and does not bathe the entire population in ever-increasing wireless radiation.

**Call your representatives today, your city council members, your community boards, and your state representatives. Ask them why you are not getting affordable, wired internet connections. Ask them why they are allowing such a wireless wild west, and to halt these jumbo poles now!**

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