From the standpoint of a consumer, the assault of unsolicited and unwanted calls is interminable. A day has not gone by when I do not receive a distracting and useless call on my landline and/or cell phone. I can say with conviction that not ONE of those calls has been useful, informative and anything other than a time-waster and distraction from other activities.

I understand that companies are urging the FCC to expand allowance of autodialed calls. Consider the loss of productivity and general annoyance if your Commission were to allow additional unwanted and unsolicited calls. My suggestion is that you shut down and work to make illegal all forms of autodialing. If a call cannot rise above the need and significance of a one-on-one calling effort, it simply should not be allowed.

My issue is annoyance and distraction from getting real work done, or simply enjoying some free time and relaxation without interruption. The real pain and penalty is experienced by the susceptible elderly, those with mild dementia or those inclined to respond to the pitch of an earnest salesperson selling what is likely to be unwanted and unneeded services or merchandise.

I see no justification for allowing robocalls and/or autodialed calls. Please act. For my part I will be working to elect representatives who will shut down this behavior as a NUMBER 1 priority!