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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Local broadband providers have been an important antidote to a few megaproviders that know they can raise rates if they don't have competition. Competition is very important, especially in rural areas such as where I live. I use Sonic and don't know what I would do without them. Please support competition in this area.

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