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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,

We need local Broadband options. We live in a semi-rural area and rely on our local ISP to get service. Additionally, our provider gives us phone service and has been 100 times better at meeting and supporting our needs than any of the Big companies like AT&T.

Competition is the backbone of our economy and Broadband should be no exception. Do not allow the few largest firms to monopolize and control pricing and competition. Thank you.

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