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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,

One of the jewels of the local economy here is Sonoma County--a great provider of jobs--and a company with a great product and record of service to their customers at a great rate is Sonic.net. They provide a valuable level of competition that keeps the big providers on their toes and the economy humming. It is crucial that you do not rescind the regulations that allow companies like Sonic to use existing copper wire to reach customers not serviceable by Sonic's broadband networks. Where we moved to town here, we used Sonic's competitive DSL service and I know it is vital to many here in the community. Do not turn internet into an even greater Monopoly than it already is. Bad for the economy, bad for consumers, bad for society.

Thanks,

David Kittelstrom