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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 want and are using a LOCAL internet provider. Big business should not be our only option. we have our phone calls and all our needs addressed within our community not being put on hold and spoken to by someone that is difficult to understand. If we need technical help they go the extra mile to address our needs.

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