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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 are writing in support of Infrastructure, our LOCAL Internet connection. We value highly having this LOCAL company because they are attentive to our every need. They answer the phone 24-hours a day and are consistently helpful, compared to the larger companies. The cost is low for our e-mail addresses, which are critical for Jessica's home business. And rather than having some anonymous or unavailable address, she is able to use "editor@mind.net," which is good business promotion. Our broadband connection to Infrastructure comes via cable from Spectrum. In addition, we are planning to move to a rural area in Southern Oregon soon, which makes local broadband critical for the survival of Jessica's business and our connection to the outside world.

Competition is a driving force in all commerce, isn't it?

PLEASE SUPPORT LOCAL BROADBAND by keeping the Telecommunications Act intact.

Jessica Bryan