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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,

I am writing to you on behalf of my small business and personal needs I rely heavily on my internet provider since I live and work in a very rural area in eastern Washington.

I am a Gorge Networks customer, and urge you not to grant USTelecoms petition.
Gorge Networks serves me well and do not make me "pay" for being a small business.
I believe they offer me superior customer service and always treat me as a business partner.

I do not want to lose that service and access.

Please, keep companies like Gorge Networks available to folks like myself.

Please do not grant the USTelecom petition.
It is not good for competition.
It is not good for small business.
It is not good for the FCC mission of serving all internet users.

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