

December 3, 2018

The Honorable Ajit Pai, Chairman
The Honorable Michael O’Rielly, Commissioner
The Honorable Brendan Carr, Commissioner
The Honorable Jessica Rosenworcel, Commissioner

Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
455 12th Street, Southwest
Washington, DC, 20544

Dear Chairman Pai,

I write to support the Comments of the Cable Act Preservation Alliance (“CAPA”) and to disapprove of the proposals and tentative conclusions set forth in the FCC’s September 25 Further Notice of Proposed Rule Making in Implementation of Section 621(a)(1) of the Cable Communications Policy Act of 1984 as Amended by the Cable Television Consumer Protection and Competition Act of 1992, MB Docket 05- 311.

Our local station, Chelmsford Telemedia (CTM), provides a high level of service to the students, educators, and families in Chelmsford. They not only record all of our music concerts and theatrical performances and broadcast them for the community to enjoy, but they also produce a monthly television show on their educational channel that features K-12 students from our Arts Department sharing their successes and work. This show is an integral component of our communication with the local community.

If funding is cut to stations like CTM, communities will suffer the consequences. I urge you to disapprove of the FCC’s September 25 Further Notice of Proposed Rule Making in Implementation of Section 621(a)(1) of the Cable Communications Policy Act of 1984 as Amended by the Cable Television Consumer Protection and Competition Act of 1992, MB Docket 05- 311.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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