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To the FCC,

I oppose the proposed rule as it will take funding away from community TV and enable cable and television companies to use a town's rights of way for free. These companies will, as has been seen, and demonstrated in the past, abuse the ability this bill provides the to effectively reduce of kill local and community public channels by interrupting their already minimal funding stream, all in the name of gaining greater profit. Public access televisions channels are a vital local communications link that provide a great service to their local communities. They help inform the citizens of what is going on in their communities and a vital outlet for the younger members of the community to learn new skills.

I urge the FCC to vote against the rule proposed in proceeding 05-311.

Sincerely,

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