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**From:** Clista Hancock <Hancock@netarrant.net>  
**To:** A4.A4 (SSEGAL)  
**Date:** 8/2/98 2:46pm  
**Subject:** Comments to the Chairman

Clista Hancock (Hancock@netarrant.net) writes:

It would be the height of folly to eliminate C-Span from the cable. This is the only way that most Americans can view the actions of Congress for themselves without pundits constantly telling them what to think. It is now an essential part of the information process required to make an informed opinion about out so-called leaders.

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**From:** John Borell <jaborell@sylvania.sev.org>  
**To:** A4.A4 (SSEGAL)  
**Date:** 8/2/98 5:44pm  
**Subject:** Comments to the Chairman

John Borell (jaborell@sylvania.sev.org) writes:

I strongly urge you not to adopt rules requiring cable companies to give local broadcasters two channels. This would endanger the C-Span network.

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From: barbara matthews <b.matt@fcc.gov>  
To: A4.A4 (SSEGAL)  
Date: 8/2/98 6:15pm  
Subject: Comments to the Chairman

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barbara matthews (b.matt) writes:

i am an avid viewer of c-span. i find  
c-span informative and a public service.  
i would like to ask not to have c-span  
cancelled when the hdtv transition occurs. please do not enforce the must-  
carry rule if it means that c-span will be cancelled. thank you.

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**From:** William H. Lockert <trekcol@earthlink.net>  
**To:** A4.A4 (SSEGAL)  
**Date:** 8/2/98 8:27pm  
**Subject:** Comments to the Chairman

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William H. Lockert (trekcol@earthlink.net) writes:

It is important that C-Span remain on the air and not be preempted by the Digital "must carry" rule. As a viewer from the African-American community, I find C-Span to be enlightening, fair and tremendously important in it's broadcast content. I request your careful review of any proposed changes that might eliminate C-Span. The cable networks seem to have unprecedented power to make rules that are not necessarily in the viewers best interest.

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