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Thomas Wheeler
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

RE: Proceeding No. 15-149

Dear Chairman Wheeler:

By way of introduction, The Midwest Council is a non-partisan alliance of businesses, academic and health institutions & public and private organizations striving to promote economic growth and a high quality of life throughout the 12 Midwestern states.

I am writing on behalf of The Midwest Council to state support of the proposed merger of Charter Communications, Inc. and Time Warner Cable, Inc. We believe combining the best of these two companies will provide broader reach, advanced services and enhanced customer service.

Our members understand the importance of having fast, reliable and cost effective broadband. No matter the business or industry, we all rely on broadband now more than ever. The proposed merger will only improve service and connectivity in Wisconsin.

The Midwest Council urges you to support the New Charter merger. We appreciate your time and consideration.

Best regards,

Tyler J. Foti
Executive Director
The Midwest Council