



AFRICAN AMERICAN
MUSEUM

RE: MB Docket No. 15-149

Mr. Tom Wheeler
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Dear Chairman Wheeler,

For more than forty years, the African American Museum of Dallas has been a source of preservation, education and outreach for children and adults. We welcome all visitors and are especially interested in interacting with those that do not ordinarily visit museums. In an effort to support diversity and inclusion, we urge the commission to approve proposed cable broadband company New Charter.

New Charter would work to improve its industry through a variety of capacities, but its commitment to inclusion is one of its most detailed ambitions. The company would advocate for diversity through hiring, procurement, programming and community investment programs. Having had great success at legacy firms Charter Communications, Time Warner Cable and Bright House Networks, the initiatives would be implemented from the get-go.

The programs would include Time Warner's award-winning initiatives in hiring and procurement. For example, New Charter would offer free seminars to minority-owned businesses interested in joining the broadband supply chain. In addition, New Charter would offer a variety of diverse programs, carrying TV One on its basic tier and including BET, Bounce TV, Centric and Fuse in its collection of options. These channels are currently offered by Charter and reach an audience of more than 11 million. Under New Charter, more consumers would have access to these options, allowing customers to follow media outlets of their choice.

We are confident New Charter would follow through on its diversity and inclusion programs, and we ask you to approve the merger.

Sincerely,

Harry Robinson, Jr.
President/CEO

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