

December 4, 2015

RE: MB docket No. 15-149

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

Dear Chairman Wheeler,

I am writing in support of the proposed merger of Charter Communications, Time Warner Cable and Bright House Networks.

Both Charter Communications and Time Warner Cable are major employers in the Louisville region, making us a rather large player in the telecommunications industry. The new combined company, New Charter, would further put Louisville at a competitive advantage for both business and attraction and development.

Charter has been an innovator, in expanding services and New Charter would only bring on new services.

New Charter is committed to promoting American jobs, and will bring previously outsourced customer service jobs back to the United States. Having seen the impact Charter and Time Warner employees have had on our local economy, we are looking forward for the potential for additional employment.

Charter has been a positive force in our community for years, and I am confident they would remain so as "New Charter." I urge you to reflect on the positive impact this merger would have and vote to approve New Charter.

Sincerely,

Councilman Tom Owen
Louisville Metro Council District 8
Kentucky

