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As a Verizon FIOS customer, I was very disappointed to see RFD-TV dropped from the cable lineup. I believe it's important to have independent programming choices, particularly those which serve rural areas. Also, stations like RFD-TV should be available in basic tiers of service, so that customers do not have to pay premium prices for them. Many of the viewers are senior citizens on fixed incomes, and they should be able to enjoy this programming without paying extra for it. I feel there is a bias against rural and senior citizen programming and its viewers, and I urge the FCC to protect independent stations like RFD-TV.