

The Honorable Michael K. Powell
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

As a resident of a rural area, we are unable to get cable. Although we have a tall antennae, we are still unable to view clearly two of the major networks. We would like to view local programming but that is not possible under the current system. The merger of the two satellite TV providers would make it possible for us to view local broadcasts thru the satellite. The viewers in major areas already have this service and it is being denied to us because of geographical area.

Sincerely,

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