

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

Dear Chairman Powell:

I am a Dish Network customer. I love the service that we get, however, I have no clue as to what is going on around me. I live in White Hall, Arkansas which to you it is probably considered a rural town but in actuality it is not. I am not able to get any of my local news channels, or local tv channels. I don't know if you are aware but the state of Arkansas has a lot of Tornadoes during the Spring and I don't want to have to depend on some weather channel out of California or where ever to tell me if a tornado is around my house. That is the only reason I do not like my satellite, and unless something is done so that I can get my local channels I will cancel my service as soon as my contract is up. I think that it is totally ridiculous not to offer people their local channels. I noticed on the map, the only areas that it is available are major cities and surrounding, and I don't think that you should be able to forget about us in Arkansas, there is not a single town where this is available. You want us to buy the service but you can't offer us anything else and that is wrong.

Sincerely,

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