

To FCC Commissioners Genachowski, Clyburn and McDowell:

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<br />I sincerely request you do not lift a ban that has stood for 35 years and helps to prevent the creation of media monopolies. It's essential for a free and democratic society to have media that is not controlled by a small few. We need diversity of thought, opinion, coverage and local media outlets with small budgets will fall to large corporations. I do not want to live in a country where so much is controlled by so few.

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<br />Your commission must serve and protect citizens of the United States. Listen to us in our claims that we do not want a small, elite minority to determine the information presented and therefore the terms of discussion in the public forum.

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<br />Consider the power of our words, help protect the public voice, and do not let our country fall into the perils of monopolized tyranny.

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<br />Regards,

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<br />Jonathan Remple

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