

I am against any deal where Verizon Wireless and the nation's largest cable companies, including Comcast and Time Warner, would come together and sell each other's products and services.

If a deal between Verizon Wireless and large cable companies goes through, it will end up costing consumers way too much for services, and price many out of obtaining these services. This could be disastrous in this information and technology age.

The lack of cable competition will send cable and Internet rates up. The hidden costs will be even bigger. With no competition, we'll lose the freedom to choose between providers. And with no incentive to keep up with improvements, communities will lose the chance to connect to a high-speed future.

Thank you for taking these comments into consideration when making decisions regarding this matter.