



January 10, 2013

The Honorable Julius Genachowski, Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Reply Comments; DA 12-1863, IB Docket No. 12-340; RM-11683

Dear Chairman Genachowski:

As you know, almost all businesses thrive on fast and reliable access to the Internet. Small and local businesses are often unable to succeed without an online presence. It's even harder for a business to succeed in rural areas underserved by broadband providers. Without access to the Internet, especially from mobile devices, our economic survival is seriously threatened especially in my community.

That's why I support LightSquared's proposal to build a new nationwide mobile broadband network.

As I understand it, LightSquared's goals include expanding existing spectrum and boosting our infrastructure. By doing so, LightSquared can effectively partner with providers and bring mobile broadband to underserved areas. This newfound access to broadband can be the boost that small and rural businesses need to ensure our ongoing success.

In reviewing the recent comments regarding the LightSquared's proceedings, I am encouraged by the support the company has gained and felt compelled as a small business owner to also lend my voice.

It is time that we work to together to ensure that residents of rural areas have reliable access to adequate broadband spectrum. I stand behind LightSquared because I see their vision for the future of wireless communications. I urge you to do the same.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,


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cc: U.S. Senator McCaskill
U.S. Senator Blunt