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I support Chattanooga's petition that the FCC preempt and declare unenforceable the portion of Tennessee law that currently prevents Chattanooga EPB from providing broadband services outside its current service area. More generally, I support FCC's preempting and declaring unenforceable any state law to the extent that it limits the rights of municipalities to provide broadband services.

EPB has provided what COMCAST won't, EPB has brought broadband to some of the underserved areas in Hamilton and Surrounding areas. Comcast tells people in the same remote areas at EPB, they must pay (Comcast) to install cable routes to the locations to provide High Speed Internet. The FCC is reviewing the purposed Comcast - Time Warner merger, (which should not be allowed).

I support EPB, and the City of Wilson NC. They should be allowed to offer Highspeed Internet to neighboring communities that would like the service.