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.Dear Sir or Madam, We all know the best thing for the consumer is competition, without it we create mega-lo monopolies like Comcast wants to be. Which hurts the consumer greatly; this includes you who read this document. Monopolies ALWAYS hurt the poor the most. I have been a Comcast subscriber for a great many years, why? Well there really is not a practical choice other than comcast in my area. Yes there is DSL, but it does not offer the speeds that Comcast does. I am a retiree on a fixed income and pay \$84.00 per month for a basic cable connection and local TV programming plus the The Weather Channel. I get no other services offered by Comcast. The above figure should be half of what I have stated. With competition, I believe it should be HALF. I URGE YOU TO *NOT* ALLOW COMCAST TO TAKE OVER TIME WARNER COMMUNICATIONS.