



August 21, 2014

Tom Wheeler
Chairman, Federal Communications Commission
445 12th St., SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: MB Docket No. 14-57

Dear Chairman Wheeler,

The Education Partnership is dedicated to addressing educational inequities by providing and enabling access to the tools and resources necessary to support teachers and enhance a student's ability to learn and succeed. Comcast has been a longtime supporter of our organization, and I thought it would be helpful to the Commission as it considers the company's proposed merger with Time Warner Cable to describe the nature of our partnership and how Comcast has worked to aid the public interest wherever it does business.

Our organization provides supplies to school and classrooms free of charge where at least 70% of the student body qualifies for the National School Lunch Program (NSLP). So you can imagine how perfectly our program goals fit with Comcast's efforts like Internet Essentials that focus on students in similar economic situations. We were pleased that in 2012 the company enhanced its Internet Essential program by providing an instant approval process for students attending "Provision 2" schools and other schools validated by the National Center for Education Statistics to have at least 75% participation in the NSLP. This showed us that Comcast's community engagement is driven by results and outcomes, not by positive press or kudos from local politicians. Comcast employees have also dedicated their time to this end as well, using their annual "Comcast Cares Day" events in recent years to help us gather and sort school supplies that our students so desperately need.

We are pleased to have Comcast as our partner in addressing the critical needs of at-risk youth in our communities, and we are certain that public interest groups in other cities across the country would have a similarly beneficial experience.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Justin Brown".

Justin Brown
Executive Director