



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS**  
**OF MARIN AND SOUTHERN**  
**SONOMA COUNTIES**

Mr. Tom Wheeler  
Chairman  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

RE: MB Docket No. 14-57

Dear Chairman Wheeler:

As CEO of Boys and Girls Clubs of Marin & Southern Sonoma Counties, I write today to urge the Federal Communications Commission to approve the proposed transaction between Comcast and Time Warner Cable.

Boys & Girls Clubs of Marin and Southern Sonoma Counties serves more than 5,100 youth in Marin and Sonoma Counties ages 6 through 18. We provide a safe place where youth can interact with caring adults who help them to develop a sense of belonging, usefulness, influence and competence.

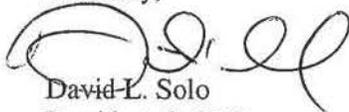
Over the years I have been impressed with Comcast's commitment to the communities that they serve and their efforts to support education, diversity and digital literacy. Our club has worked very closely with Comcast on the implementation of its Internet Essentials program in our footprint by partnering with Comcast and the local school districts to make sure our club members and students are aware of the low-cost home internet, affordable computers and training that are available via the program to make sure youth from all walks of life have the tools they need to succeed.

Comcast has also invested in our club members and technical training by supporting our Digital Connector program that teaches our club members about broadband technologies, and how to put that knowledge to work in a wide range of community service activities. In the last three years, over 100 members have participated in the program and have had a great time while gaining valuable technical experience that they can take with them out in the world.

Finally, this year, Comcast hosted a Comcast Cares Day, it's corporate volunteer day, at our Davidson Middle Site in San Rafael, CA. It was inspiring to be a part of this event where scores of Comcast employees and their families came out and worked together with our club members to improve and beautify our site. Now, our Davidson clubhouse is an even more inviting place for our members to come and find safe haven to learn, play and grow after school.

Comcast's long history of partnership, investment and service has been great benefit to our community and the youth and families that we serve. I urge you to recognize Comcast's community oriented attitude and recognize how other communities could benefit from Comcast serving their areas.

Sincerely,



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President & CEO