



August 25, 2014

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

RE: MB Docket No. 14-57

Dear Chairman Wheeler:

My name is Ann Sheehan and I am the Executive Director of Berks Community Television (BCTV) in Reading, Pennsylvania. BCTV is a nonprofit organization that provides cable programming via the Internet and two cable TV stations. We encourage and invite community members to actively participate in shaping our programs by submitting stories, photographs, event information, opinions and reviews of local entities that would be of interest to the community. Our primary purpose is to enhance the unity and strength of the community by providing a medium for community dialogue and educational opportunities and a forum for the exchange of information and ideas.

BCTV is also the third-party manager of the City of Reading's Community and Government Access Channels. As the Executive Director of BCTV, I have had the opportunity to work closely with Comcast, whose technical assistance, funding and various other kinds of support have been a large part of the success and growth of our organization.

In 2013, thanks to Comcast's carriage of our network, we had the opportunity to expand to Boyertown, in the eastern part of Berks County,. We are hopeful that in reaching new households, relevant and critical information can be shared among neighboring communities.

Local community television stations are present nationwide - and since many of them are community-funded nonprofits, it can be hard to come across both financial and technical support. Comcast has a strong track record of supporting community programming like BCTV, and it is my understanding that through the proposed transaction with Time Warner Cable, Comcast will be able to provide that same support in new markets.

In the nonprofit sector, where technological advancement can often be extremely expensive, we are fortunate to have the unwavering and loyal support of a large partner such as Comcast. I urge you to consider the positive impacts of a transaction between Comcast and Time Warner Cable and to act favorably.

Ann Sheehan,
Executive Director

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