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See MCI v. FCC, 515 F 2d 385 (D.C. Circ 1974).

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## **STATEMENT FROM FCC CHAIRMAN JULIUS GENACHOWSKI ON GOOGLE FIBER KANSAS CITY ANNOUNCEMENT**

“For the United States to remain globally competitive, we need to keep pushing the boundaries of broadband capabilities and foster testbeds of broadband innovation. Abundance in broadband speeds and capacity – moving from megabits to gigabits – will unleash breakthrough innovations in healthcare, education, business services, and more.

“Today’s announcement by Google, the Gig.U projects across the country, and similar continued advances by providers and municipalities are important and welcome developments that are pushing frontiers in speed and bandwidth, while also enhancing consumer choice. As outlined in the National Broadband Plan, it’s vital both that we connect every corner in America to broadband and that we spur next-generation innovation through next-generation broadband networks.”

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