

The Honorable Michael K. Powell  
Chairman  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

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Dear Congressman Gordon:

We urge you to use your skills and influence to help bring the proposed merger of DISH Network and DIRECTV into existence.

We are fortunate enough to have a small cabin on Center Hill Lake. For years we were unable to get any TV signal, broadcast or cable (the latter is a joke in rural areas).

We have DISH service presently. However, periodically, one or more of the local Nashville broadcast channels will refuse or not agree to allow their signals to be carried by DISH. The proposed merger would prevent such from happening.

The merger would also hold out the promise that in the not to distant future, folks on Puckett Point Road would be able to connect their computers to fast and reliable internet service.

In our view, the proposed merger is a positive development that will provide a much needed change in the level of Television and Internet service.

We hope you will work to bring the merger into existence.

Thanks for your hard work on our behalf.

Bobby & Julie

Sincerely,

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