

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

Dear Chairman Powell:

I support the merger between EchoStar and DirectTV providing it will be at or below the cost we are paying now to the low-income consumer and still provide services needed.

We are a retired couple, of modest means and have no access to the Local TV Market (Springfield, Missouri). Because of our location in the Nielsen family area we could receive the Kansas City Stations which do not provide the weather and news that we need in Osceola, MO.

I have heard that the merger would also eliminate some Christian/Religious channels and I DO NOT agree with the removal of that type of programming for more unsavory, foul language, anything-goes stations.

It is a terrible thing to have to watch 30 year old re-runs to eliminate cursing and bad language in our home.

Sincerely,

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