

We must have the ability to receive distant network channels as well as local network channels if we desire to pay extra for them. I am tired of the local stations deciding not to carry the national programming and depriving me of the ability to receive coverage of events of importance to me. It's called freedom of choice, people. I do not appreciate being forced to watch local stations just to appease local advertisers. As far as this merger is concerned, I couldn't care less. Just give me back my distant network stations!!!!