



Agenda
Friday, January 23, 2025
1:00pm-3:00pm ET

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1:00 – 1:02	Hello's
1:03 – 1:07	Introducing Guests / Newcomers
1:08 – 1:23	<p>Admin – Reports by people whose initials are indicated</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Media - Please join us on Twitter, Telegram, LinkedIn and Facebook (NS, GM, RR) https://www.facebook.com/groups/2043896826047893 Report on FB (RR) • Report on Telegram (GM) NewsWire (RR, CS, EM) • Seek out alliances - United States Council on Domestic Relations™ (RR-we have met with them), SCM Advisors – 5G Safety Advocates, Annette Smith VT for a Clean Env't (Alison Despathy) need follow up, Safe Kids Strong Moms (Claire Sookman) need follow up; any additional ideas? • Cards to hand out to the public – The National Call for Safe Technology • Phonegate https://phonegatealert.org/en/resources/printable-posters/



YOUR CELL PHONE IS DANGEROUS!

For your HEALTH adopt these simple gestures:

Not in your pocket



Not against the ear



Never while sleeping



“In 2018, multiplication of 4 and more of the most serious brain cancers ”

Act

Now !

**Share and Inform
those around you >>>**

www.phonegatealert.org

International NGO for protection
of the health of cell phone users

Other side of card reads:

Applies to your cell phone, tablet, computer,
baby monitor, air pods, Bluetooth, Wi-Fi Router,
any device using wireless.

Contact: hello@thenationalcall.org

For more info:

BabySafeProject.org, techsafeschools.org,
ehtrust.org, NewYorkers4SafeTech.com,
WiredBroadband.org, TheNationalCall.org
National Call for Safe Technology on



Graphics by Environmental Health Trust below:



Feature your website at The National Call.

Feature your brochures at The National Call website.

Brochure Ideas – 10 factoids – “Did you know?” Telecoms not liable for personal injury or property devaluation (but the Communications Act of 1934 stated that the FCC’s purpose is “to protect life and property.”).

1:24 – 1:30

Filings:

Comment Due Date: **April 27, 2026**

On February 26, 2026, the FCC released a Public Notice in connection with its Twenty-First Century Communications and Video Accessibility Act (CVAA) Biennial Report to Congress.

The Public Notice seeks comment on:

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Compliance with the accessibility requirements for telecommunications and advanced communications services and equipment, and Internet browsers built into mobile phones; 2. Whether accessibility barriers exist with respect to new communications technologies; and 3. The effect of the CVAA’s accessibility recordkeeping and enforcement requirements on the development and deployment of new communications technologies. <p>The CVAA Biennial Report to Congress is due by October 8, 2026.</p> <p>Link to Public Notice: https://www.fcc.gov/document/cgb-seeks-comment-2026-cvaa-biennial-report-congress</p> <p>For general information about the CVAA, visit www.fcc.gov/cvaa. For further information, please contact Molly Burgdorf, Disability Rights Office, Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau, at (202) 418-2173 or Molly.Burgdorf@fcc.gov.</p>
1:31-1:55	<p>See also The National Call’s social media for more news: Telegram, Facebook, LinkedIn, X (formerly Twitter).</p> <p>Rep. Jennifer McClellan (D-VA-04), former assistant General Counsel at Verizon, “is actively pushing for the modernization of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, aiming to update federal communication policies for the 21st century, focusing on artificial intelligence, broadband accessibility, and the digital divide ... she has noted a current lack of sufficient support in Congress for broader changes.”</p> <p>Data Centers – air pollution https://www.nbc4i.com/news/local-news/columbus/report-data-centers-air-pollution-associated-with-lung-issues-death/?utm_medium=social&utm_source=facebook_NBC4</p> <p>Norwegian scientist who tested EMF on himself suffered Havana syndrome https://campaign-statistics.com/browser_preview/eEAzAK-r2vpBqB-cNgHI explains impacts of wireless radiation on the thyroid, breasts, brain cells https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ogTiNPS24rl</p> <p>Communications Disabilities Bill in NYS: "Fahy has proposed amending her bill so that the Office of People with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) and other agencies could veto the communication method chosen by disabled people."</p>

	<p>Dozens of organizations say no to FCC’s fast tracking wireless infrastructure https://broadbandbreakfast.com/dozens-of-orgs-say-no-to-fccs-fast-tracking-wireless-infrastructure/</p> <p>Cities oppose FCC inquiry into speeding wireline permitting https://broadbandbreakfast.com/cities-oppose-fcc-inquiry-into-speeding-wireline-permitting/</p> <p>Inside Towers features Theodora Scarato’s review: “New review finds U.S. wireless radiation rules outdated and weakly enforced” https://insidetowers.com/new-review-finds-u-s-wireless-radiation-rules-outdated-and-weakly-enforced/ Good work, Theodora!!</p> <p>Verizon Wireless Pays \$7.7 Million, Los Angeles County - environmental violations statewide https://da.lacounty.gov/media/news/verizon-wireless-pay-77-million-settle-environmental-violations-following-statewide</p> <p>Cleveland fires and explosions exacerbated by smart meters? https://www.google.com/search?q=cleveland+fire+depatment+smart+meters+blown+off+houses+from+explosioin&oq=cleveland+fire+depatment+smart+meters+blown+off+houses+from+explosioin&gs_lcrp=EgZjaHJvbWUyBggAEEUYOdIBCTMzMDC0ajBqN6gCALACAA&sourceid=chrome&ie=UTF-8</p>
1:56- 2:10	<p>Nicholas Martin UK Update 5G is beyond ICNIRP guidance ICNIRP has said that metal implants are not covered by its limits</p>
2:11 – 2:38	<p>DEFEAT HR 2289. Open https://www.govtrack.us/congress/members/map and identify a town in which they know a Safe Tech advocate in a district and tell us who that is so that we can follow up.</p> <p>40+ Federal bills introduced (see below the agenda for some of the bills)</p> <p>Steps to take:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Contact your U.S. Rep and 2 U.S. Senators. If you have already contacted them in 2024, please schedule a meeting to update them. 2. Find your federal electeds, call 202-225-3121 Capitol switchboard or use https://www.usa.gov/elected-officials?iframe=1&iframe=1&iframe=1&iframe=1 3. Call and email to request a “Zoom call to discuss telecom bills to bridge the digital divide.” 4. Schedule on Calendly where you can book the time directly on our calendar, and you can see the available slots at https://calendly.com/ojwilkins/30min?month=2025-12

	<p>5. Schedule within the time availabilities for Charles and Odette, which are as follows – please provide at least 48 hours’ notice to us so that we can prepare:</p> <p>Week of March 2nd: M 10am-12pm; 1:30pm-4pm T 10am-4pm W 10-11:30am; 1:30-2pm; 3-4pm Th 10-11:30am; 1:30-2pm Fr 10am - 3:15pm</p> <p>Week of March 9th: M 10am-4pm T 10am-4pm W 10-11:30am; 1:30-2pm; 3-4pm Th 10-11:30am; 1:30-1pm; 3-4pm Fr 10am-12:45pm; 3:15-4pm</p> <p>Week of March 16th: M 10am-4pm T 10am-4pm W 10-11:30am; 1:30-2pm; 3-4pm Th 10-11:30am – 2pm Fr 10am – 3:15pm</p> <p>NHF Alert - please send to your legislator: https://hosted-page.civiclick.com/5867</p> <p>EHT Alert - https://secure.everyaction.com/N2Q4AVKlqk6G-JBrBpFYMg2</p> <p>EHT Recap of 2024 congressional legislation - https://ehtrust.org/recap-of-the-118th-congress-2023-2024/</p> <p>This is NHF's recommendations for Telecom state bills https://national-health-federation.rallycongress.net/ctas/demand-telecommunications-informed-consent-in?iframe=1</p>
2:39– 2:59	<p>State Updates and Initiatives: MA, Snowflake AZ, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, California, Nevada, New Jersey, New York, etc. MA Bill on EMR-S - https://us20.campaign-archive.com/?u=62f2cbcbd8eeef4c8fe3da281&id=14954200a0</p>

	<p>AZ - Fiber-to-the-Premises rollout in Tucson by 2029—universal, equity, public protections (LS).[]’. Jan 27 hearing at Bd of supervisors in Snowflake, AZ</p> <p>PA - trying to get new bills (DO) Senator Mastroianno introduced smart meter bill, modeled after VT bill</p> <p>RI – RI Energy follow up questions (SR) – tri-fold RI for Safe Tech new website. there is an opt out, no written form, 45 days before will send a postcard and can let them know opt out by phone w/ confirmation; businesses are not allowed to opt out. RI Dept of Health – Envntl Public Health Tracking Ctr for Healthy Homes and Environment included a webpage on cell phone radiation, but has lost its federal funding. Pastori Univ – pollution from turbines, silverdioxide, carbon dioxide, but nada on EMF. Fixed wireless and 4G LTE on the campus. Sent in written comments and hearing sch’d by Jan 26.</p> <p>WVA - Green Bank Observatory – legislation to open up area which is a radio quiet zone since 1957, largest telescope in the world. Since 3-4 yrs have been working with SpaceX to provide internet svc to 99-1/2% of quiet zone w/o interfering with signals. (T) Starlink’s frequencies are causing interference and should not be emitting those frequencies. Exp’g laser transmitter to ground station. Golden Dome defense system (Space X is part of system). Intercontinental ballistic system to disable missiles.</p> <p>CO –Opt-in bill passed. (DK) State legislator Sheila Lieder in Longmont on smart meters. Told story of a friend who was forced to leave home for 9 mos, even with opt-out meter. Op-ed article. OH – letter writing campaign – emails from state legislators to write to the FCC to update exposure limits. Up to 12 legislators. Monique has all of the links to emails on the Health Committee. EHT is tracking this on their website. Good model for all states.</p> <p>CA – CPUC wants to change def of carrier of last resort. ATT wants def to include wired, wireless, etc.</p> <p>St Paul, MN – smart gas meters (LC)</p> <p>ME – Status on bill (HL)</p> <p>6409 was used for 4G not 5G; 5G is a major modification.</p>
2:59-3:00	Closing remarks; next steps

General References:

Dr. Magda Havas interview: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LJ7oRrjiktE> at 1:17:00 conducted by **Shawn Buckley**, who headed the **National Citizen's Inquiry** a few years ago. For more information please visit <https://nhppa.org>.

Would your library like an EMF meter for its patrons?

<https://ehtrust.org/emf-meters-public-libraries/>

How to find cell tower locations (Lisa Smith)

Here are some instructions from Dgtl Infra for using cellmapper.net and other cell tower locator websites & mobile phone apps. <https://dgtlinfra.com/cell-tower-locations-4g-lte-5g-towers/>

Also see Lisa Smith's presentation (May 2024): "Finding Cell Towers: Can't Prevent Cell Tower Radiation if One Doesn't Know Their Location"

https://rumble.com/v6tt8f3-cant-prevent-cell-tower-radiation-if-one-doesnt-know-their-location.html?e9s=src_v1_ucp (Starting minute 8:00)

Smith goes over three ways to find cell towers and the importance of determining whether the radiation from a cell tower is likely reaching you.

Cellmapper.net is excellent for finding macro towers (in non-remote areas), but often misses small cells. The popular antennasearch.com helps with understanding tower density but misses many towers and has poor location accuracy.

Smart Meters and Supraharmonics

<https://smartmeterscience.substack.com/p/industry-article-supraharmonics-an>

Reference: EMF Hazards Summit 2025 – Nick Pineault

April 10-15, 2025

<https://emfhazards.com/jv>

Children's Health Defense: Stop5G.org – resources to oppose proposed cell tower or small cell installations. Offering expert consultation, strategic advocacy, community organizing skills, and legal support.

Children's Health Defense: 704 No More Campaign

<https://childrenshealthdefense.org/support/704-no-more/>

Dr. Magda Havas Surveys

<https://globalemf.net/>

2 Petitions:

1. FCC's Failure to Comply

<https://www.thepetitionsite.com/6/urge-congress-on-emf-safety-fcc-must-change-exposure-guidelines-for-microwave-radiation-exposure/>

2. Keep Cell Towers Away from Schools

<https://secure.everyaction.com/MtBrFxfy50KZdrE7AQV9UQ2#:~:text=The%20numerous%20school%20districts%20that,mst%20recently%2C%20Temecula%20Valley%20California>

Dr. Sharon Goldberg -

Clinical Electromagnetics Collaborative - Building Biology Institute initiative to have a database of health care practitioners dealing with EMF. Please send contact info on all health care practitioners in U.S. and Canada who are familiar with EMF to

info@clinicalectromagnetics.org. They will contact the practitioners to see if they would like to be included in a directory. For more information, or to sign up for their mailing list to be notified once the directory goes live, go to: <https://clinicalectromagnetics.org/>

FEDERAL BILLS

Top sponsors a/o 7-14-25

Name	District	Bill #	Description	Status	Passed
Dan Crenshaw	R-TX 2 nd	339	Installs wireless antennas on any antenna structure w/o consent (expanded 6409 preemption)	Oppose	
Jay Obernolte	R-CA 23 rd	1836 (was in 3557)	For federal lands and buildings: accelerate deem granted applications under 6409(b) pre-emption with 270-day shot clock (from when the application is initially submitted); must review application w/n 30 days to indicate what's missing, otherwise cannot ask for information later (is in Infrastructure & Transp Cmte, Rep. Graves is Chair)	Oppose	
Richard Hudson¹	R-NC 9 th	1870	Encourages digital redlining; reallocates BEAD money to wireless. (see co-sponsors below)	Strike section (d), (e)(4)(J) and (K), strike (f), amend (g)(D)(ii) to allow states to consider cost of service	
Cliff Bentz	R-OR 2 nd	1655	Eliminates environmental review in repairing telecom infrastructure following disasters or emergency (vague as to what that is)	Oppose	
Rick Allen	R-GA 12 th	651	Authorizing more wireless spectrum which will accelerate cell tower rollout	Oppose	
Rick Allen	R-GA 12 th	1975	Limits fees for what localities can charge; otherwise, will jeopardize BEAD funding	Oppose	
Rick Allen	R-GA 12 th	1975	3557 Section 402: municipalities must comply with fees requirements to be eligible for BEAD grants	Oppose	
Nicholas Langworthy	R-NY 23 rd	1617	"Streamlines" or overrides local requests for modification of telecom infrastructure	Oppose	
Nicholas Langworthy	R-NY 23 rd	3699	Energy Choice Act	Oppose	
Michael Rulli	R-OH 6 th	1541	Collocation of more wireless antennas exempt from environmental review	Oppose	
Morgan Griffith	R-VA 9 th	278	Expands cell towers to "improve" service (essentially, overriding "gap in	Oppose	

¹ Chair of E&C Subcommittee on Communications & Technology.

			service” requirement), shot clocks with deemed granted approval remedy		
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Buddy Carter	R-GA 1 st	1455	Taxpayer subsidies to wireless industry	Oppose	
Buddy Carter	R-GA 1 st	2289	NEPA/NHPA exemptions for 6409	Oppose	
Buddy Carter	R-GA 1 st	1455	Codifies the NTIA's Institute for Telecommunications Sciences into statute to promote transferring federal spectrum to commercial users; allows industry payments to government staff.	Oppose	
Robert Latta	R-OH 5 th	1618	“Precision agriculture” to add more wireless antennas/towers on farms which will harm crops, livestock, microbiome	Oppose	
Greg Landsman	D-OH 1 st	1709	Cybersecurity study <i>explicitly</i> excludes 5G, the most insecure wireless network; Requires DOC to report within 1 year on vulnerabilities	Amend to include 5G; Replace the exclusion of 5G (pg 6, sec 2(d)(2)) with an inclusion of 5G and direct DHS/CISA to conduct this study	
Bruce Westerman	R-AR 4 th	471	Omnibus forest bill; requires Agriculture and Interior to invite companies and NGOs to test wildfire prevention and mitigation programs, including with 5G (5G cell towers in national forests despite wildfire risk from cell towers)	Section 303 (c) to exclude wireless and technologies dependent on wireless facilities from the technologies eligible. Sec (e) to exclude the wireless technologies listed in (c) and remove 5G and nomadic mesh networks	H
Stacey Plaskett	D-US Virgin Islands	1838	Amends 7 USC 950bb to promote precision agriculture and allow grants	Oppose	

			to be made prior to environmental and historic reviews		
Mike Kelly	R-PA 16th	1873	Makes federal broadband grants non-taxable	Exclude grants used on wireless deployments	
John Barasso	R-WY	S. 140	Pilot program to prevent forest fires using 5G nomadic and mesh technology, despite fire risk posed by cell towers	Section 302 (c) to expressly exclude wireless and technologies dependent on wireless facilities from the technologies eligible. Sec (e) to exclude the wireless technologies listed in (c) and remove 5G and nomadic mesh networks	
John Barrasso	R-WY	S.140	Section 302 (c) to expressly exclude wireless and technologies dependent on wireless facilities from the technologies eligible. Sec (e) to exclude the wireless technologies listed in (c) and remove 5G and nomadic mesh networks	Section 302 (c) to expressly exclude wireless and technologies dependent on wireless facilities from the technologies eligible. Sec (e) to exclude the wireless technologies listed in (c) and remove 5G and nomadic mesh networks	
Roger Wicker	R-MS	S. 323	Requires federal agencies to accelerate processing communications applications, including wireless; imposes “tech neutral” which usually	Amend the definition of broadband to expressly exclude wireless, as applicable to the	Commerce

			means wireless. 3a9D: streamline permitting. 3a10 streamline federal permitting. 4b3 tries to impose tech neutral	entire bill. Strike 9(3)(iv)(III)	
Gus Bilirakis	R-FL 12 th	2817	Excludes NEPA and NHPA environmental and historical preservation review for cell towers in a floodplain.	Oppose	
David Taylor	R-OH-2	2750	Amends ILJA for low-income people to qualify for vouchers for wireless, but no provision for vouchers for wired service	Oppose	
August Pfluger	R-TX 11 th	1094	Pre-empts local zoning authority for amateur radio towers (similar to 3557)	Oppose	
August Pfluger	R-TX 11 th	3343	Requires DoC plan to track processing of 6409b forms to deploy communications facilities on federal land and national forests	Oppose	
Moolenar	R-MI	1020	Provides \$400 tax credit to taxpayers in underserved areas to purchase an OTARD or similar device	Oppose	
Miller-Meeks Marianette	R-IA	1588	Require DoC report on barriers to online forms for deployment on federal property	Oppose	
Evans	D-CO	1681	Establish strike force to expedite communications facilities on federal land and in national forests	Oppose	
Gary Palmer	R-AL	1781	Standardize fees for wireless applications on government lands and buildings and prohibit federal agencies from recovering all costs of wireless facilities	Oppose	
Donald Davis	D-NC	1985	Requires USDA, in consultation with NIST+FCC, to create precision ag standards	Oppose	
Doris Matsui	D-CA	2449	Establish 6G taskforce at FCC		
Lizzie Fletcher	R-TX	2975	NTIA grant program for local review of telecom applications		
Thune	R-SD	507	Requires USDA, in consultation with NIST+FCC, to create precision ag standards		

Thune	R-SD	4821	Requires federal agencies to "take actions" to accelerate processing communications applications, including wireless (Sec 2); lowers the size threshold from \$200m to \$5m for broadband projects (including wireless projects) to benefit from FAST Act protections that help streamline deployment	exclude wireless projects from this bill (sections 2 and 3)	
Fulcher	R-ID	2298	Exempt from NEPA any communications facility (including wireless) in a right-of-way on federal land	Limit to wired only	
Feenstra	R-ID	3211	Requires creation of a government loan program to fund precision ag deployments	Expressly exclude funding from being used on wireless	
?	?	(1353)	Requires FCC to make spectrum available to any "unserved area" which does not have emergency alerts or e911. Considers lack of service and emergency with no stopping condition	Authority must be a) limited to spectrum that is already approved for commercial purposes, b) only for bona fide emergencies and c) time-limited, such as after a natural disaster	
Wicker	R-MS	S.323	Directs NTIA to develop and implement a National Strategy to Synchronize Federal Broadband Programs; requires federal agencies to "take actions" to accelerate processing communications applications, including wireless; lowers the size threshold from \$200m to \$5m for broadband projects (including wireless projects) to benefit from FAST Act protections that help streamline deployment (3a9D: streamline permitting. 3a10 streamline federal permitting. 4b3 tries to impose tech neutral)	Amend the definition of broadband to expressly exclude wireless, as applicable to the entire bill. Strike 9(3)(iv)(III)	Passed S. Commerce

Wicker	R-MS	459	Amateur Radios		
Curtis	R-UT	S.1462	Omnibus forest bill; Section 303 is HR 4235, which requires Agriculture and Interior to invite companies and NGOs to test wildfire prevention and mitigation programs, including with 5G	Section 303 (c) to exclude wireless and technologies dependent on wireless facilities from the technologies eligible. Sec (e) to exclude the wireless technologies listed in (c) and remove 5G and nomadic mesh networks	
Fischer	R-NE	S.1616	Allows USDA funding to subsidize precision ag	Expressly exclude funding from being used on wireless	
Mike Lee	R-UT	S.1568	Liberating Incandescent Technology Act of 2025 (LIT)	[We support b/c LEDs produce DEs – already exceeded FCC limits]	

Not telecom related but important to contact legislators					
Brian Fitzpatrick; co-sponsor John Joyce (on E&C’s Communications and Tech Subcom) 18 co-sponsors	PA-1 / PA-13	2767	Studying glioblastoma and developing drugs for it. States that in 2024, 1 mil Americans had brain tumors. (Good to talk to them about the connection with wireless.)		