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| ***FCC - News from the Federal Communications Commission***  **Media Contact:**  Shannon Gilson, (202) 418-0505  Shannon.Gilson@fcc.gov  **For Immediate Release**  **STATEMENT OF FCC CHAIRMAN TOM WHEELER**  **ON THE PASSING OF RALPH ROBERTS**  ***--***  WASHINGTON, June 19, 2015 – “Ralph Roberts was a pioneer, an entrepreneur and a good man. It was my privilege to know, work with, and learn from Ralph. He has left a lasting legacy on the communications landscape of America.”  ###  **Office of Media Relations: (202) 418-0500**  **TTY: (888) 835-5322**  **Twitter: @FCC**  [**www.fcc.gov/office-media-relations**](http://www.fcc.gov/office-media-relations)  *This is an unofficial announcement of Commission action. Release of the full text of a Commission order constitutes official action. See MCI v. FCC. 515 F 2d 385 (D.C. Circ 1974).* |