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## CHAIRMAN PAI STATEMENT ON WHITE HOUSE INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN

WASHINGTON, February 12, 2018—Federal Communications Commission Chairman Ajit Pai released the following statement regarding the White House's infrastructure plan:

"Too often, regulatory barriers make it harder and more expensive to build out broadband than it needs to be—to the detriment of American consumers. That's why this plan is a welcome and strong call to action. I stand ready to work with the Administration and Congress to turn this plan into a reality as we continue to bridge the digital divide and extend 5G digital opportunity to all Americans."

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