

Davis Wright Tremaine Knows Cable

DWT represents all of the nation's largest cable operators, but its roots are with ACA Connects members, which its cable team have represented for more than 50 years.

We are committed to leverage our expertise to provide high-quality, cost-effective counsel that is, when needed, still custom-tailored to meet your unique situation.

Our cable expertise includes:

- Low-income broadband programs (ACP, EBB, and Lifeline), E-rate, rural healthcare
- Regulatory approvals and commercial terms for transactions (sales, mergers, swaps)
- Access to utility poles, conduits, easements, and rights-of-way
- Broadband grant programs (RUS, BEAD, CAF, RDOF, state programs)
- Franchise fees, taxes, and agreements
- Programming, must-carry, and retransmission consent agreements
- Privacy, security, and data breaches
- Network management and broadband "nutrition label" disclosures
- Broadband data collection reporting
- Wireless rollouts and MVNO agreements
- MDU/MTE access and agreements
- Customer agreements, billing, and notices
- CALEA, subpoenas, and law enforcement coordination
- Copyright (including repeat infringer policies under DMCA and Section 111 reporting)
- FCC and state enforcement proceedings
- Telephone revenue reporting (FCC Form 499 and state fees)
- Litigation and arbitration
- Digital accessibility
- C-Band transition
- Telephone Consumer Protection Act (TCPA) compliance and Do Not Call lists
- Outage reporting
- Interference, equipment authorization, and Part 15 compliance
- Public file requirements, EEO
- State telecommunications licensing
- Robocalls and STIR/SHAKEN
- 911 regulation, routing, and risk management
- Artificial intelligence
- Piracy and theft of service
- Supply chain/national security restrictions and regulations
- VoIP regulation, fees, and assessments



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