N BEHALF OF FLOYD AND DARLENE MINOR:

Hello from Alaska!!

We support favoring Winlink in Australia.

The Winlink system has made our life so much better. We both travel on our sailboat and are volunteer caretakers at a remote Forest Service camp.

With Winlink, we can keep in touch with our family, friends, and use e-mail to communicate with the Forest Service.

Winlink also allows us to be "weather spotters" for NOAA, and provides emergency communications when VHF is not practical.

The citizenry of Australia should have the same privilege that we enjoy in Southeast Alaska.

Thank you and good luck,

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