The FCC's Open Internet Rules (net neutrality rules) are extremely important to me. I urge you to protect them and publicly support the FCC's existing net neutrality rules based on Title II. If the rules codified under Title II are removed, this change could potentially open the gates for Internet Service Providers (ISPs) to have the power to favor their own internet content, block websites which are not under their corporate shell, slow down competing sites, give some sites an advantage over others, or split the Internet into "fast lanes" for companies that pay potential upcharges, and "slow lanes" for the rest.

Net neutrality and the rules currently in force under Title II are vital to a robust economy for all businesses large and small, consumers, and not-for-profit organizations. Removing Title II requirements could potentially allow ISPs to charge fees for website delivery that would make it harder for nonprofits, artists, small businesses, startups, and others to have their voice and content available on the internet because they could not afford the potential fees established by the ISPs.

FCC Chairman Ajit V. Pai was formerly a lawyer for Verizon Communications. I am concerned he will work to remove the current Title II net neutrality rules, which will benefit large ISPS, but will be to the detriment of businesses and millions of consumers. This change could kill the internet’s open marketplace that has enabled millions of small businesses, and created the 5 most valuable companies in America.

Please publicly support the FCC's existing net neutrality rules based on Title II, and resist Chairman Pai's plans. Thank you! Charles W. Streamer