

keep the internet free open & neutral

I would like to continue to find info & links to a variety of places & sources when I do a search not just those who can afford to pay the highest price or who have the best connections. Part of the appeal of the internet is that you are (almost) as likely to get a low tech homegrown source as an expensive commercially developed one when you search for info.

Net Neutrality is essential to free speech, equal opportunity and economic innovation in America. Since the FCC removed this basic protection in 2005, the top executives of phone and cable companies have stated their intention to become the Internet's gatekeepers and to discriminate against Web sites that don't pay their added tolls.

This fundamental change would end the open Internet as we know it. It would damage my ability to connect with others, share information and participate in our 21st century democracy and economy. The FCC must ensure that broadband providers do not block, interfere with or discriminate against any lawful Internet traffic based on its ownership, source or destination.