

Don't let big business CENSOR the internet!

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.

The Internet is the last bastion of uncensored news and information and now the big communications companies want to censor the information their own customers wish to legally receive. This should be criminal!

I do not want some rich, "Religious Right," ultraconservative Republican to determine what I can and cannot view over a service that I PAY FOR! If he, as an individual wishes to censor his own Internet connection, that is fine, it is what programs like Net Nanny are made to do. Every parent of young children should have that sort of program installed on all of their computers, but it is NOT the right, nor the responsibility of Internet providers to censor what EVERYONE views.

Do not allow big business to ramrod their opinions of what is right and valuable information down the throats of the American people!