

The Internet is the Greatest Democratic Medium

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.

It would be against the egalitarian values of the United States of America to allow some websites better access to people based solely on money. We are a nation that values ideas equally and not based on how deep your pocket is. Everyone has an equal voice in the USA, let the Internet reflect that inalienable right. Support net neutrality.