

My work depends on net neutrality

I work independently helping small businesses market their products and services on the web - and it is through the web that I am able to market my services.

Without the fair and balanced playing field of the web as it is today, I would not be able to compete with larger firms for business and neither would my small business clients. It would completely destroy my business and the businesses of my clients.

Please defend network neutrality - there is nothing more imperative to the survival of the internet and its growth.

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.