

Please FCC! Don't do it!

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.

I've been reading about net neutrality, and I've come to understand that it is something that we need. I can't stand greedy companies offering people DSL or Cable, and then charging them more to go to certain sites! That simply isn't fair! This fall my fiancée is going to Africa for a few months. I can't afford the international phone bills, and we want to use Skype to communicate. However, without net neutrality I am going to be paying a higher price just to be able to talk to her! Please don't let this happen FCC!