

Net Neutrality is essential to business innovation

I am an entrepreneur who has made an excellent living, built several businesses and have many employees due to my business and creative innovations online. Some of my businesses include Haxan Films, producers of THE BLAIR WITCH PROJECT, and Campfire, a advertising and marketing company that develops innovative campaigns online for clients like Pontiac, HP, Dreamworks, Kraft, and many more.

Locking up the internet in this way will stifle creativity and innovation, putting too much power in the hands of gatekeepers and making it harder for true innovation that can benefit the American people. Net Neutrality is vital and essential. Please protect 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.