

In the name of us, the people of this nation...

I really do believe that Net Neutrality is essential for the emerging national conversation symbolized by the election of '08. For the common good, for the public discourse, the nation's political health, the internet must remain free from the influence of large corporations. Net neutrality is essential to free speech, equal opportunity and economic innovation in America. Please! After falling for "clean air initiative" "peace keeper missiles" etc. Please don't be fooled again. Resist the pressure from ATT, Verizon, et al, and keep the internet freely available for the people of this country.

Please do not allow the big phone and cable companies to become the Internet's gatekeepers and discriminate against the smaller Web sites that cannot pay the added tolls.

Despite the lies of the corporate lobbyists. the impending change in the law 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.

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