

More than 1.7 million Americans have already called on Washington to protect Net Neutrality – the rule that keeps control over the Internet in the hands of the people who use it.

The FCC must now act decisively in the public interest by enacting strong rules that keep the Internet free from blocking, censorship and discrimination.

Tell the FCC: Don't give in to pressure from AT&T, Comcast, Verizon and their lobbyists. Stand with us in support of a strong Net Neutrality rule.

I'm filing because:

- * An open Internet gives me freedom of expression - freedom to write and share my views and the freedom to find alternative viewpoints;

- * I want other, smarter people to come up with the next Google, the next YouTube, the next Web application that I can't even imagine;

- * I want to read about people and cultures that are different from me;

- * Mainstream media make me scream expletives, and I use the Internet to find alternative sources of news and information;

- * I want to e-mail my boyfriend a link to a picture that reminds me of our last vacation;

- * Net Neutrality means I don't need anyone's permission to create my own videos, and media execs aren't determining what's funny - we are;

- * I come up with potential million-dollar ideas all the time, and some day, I just might start my own business;

- * An open Internet feeds the activist in me, allowing me to engage with my community and organize for social change online;

- * It's winter and I'd rather shop online, only I still want to support a local business;

- * I needed advice on how to prime and paint a room, and found a video online that taught me how to do it; and,

- * I don't want to be censored.