

The Internet was conceived in the idea of free and open information to the commons. The FCC must continue to protect our right to free and unobstructed speech. With the demise of the written word and the corporate take over the media, we the people will no longer have access to unfiltered information, and there by unable to make informed decisions, and ultimately unable to effectively participate in our government. The Internet gives access to information, increasing our knowledge and understanding, as well as aiding in our search for what is true.

I use the Internet daily. The Internet has developed into a new channel of communication that gives people like me access to information not previously available. I have been able to access in so much breadth and depth a vast array of topics; without unfettered access to the Internet this would of not been possible.

To turn control of this incredibly important tool over to a few people, whose only purpose is to gain power and profit, is at best an abdication of responsibility and at worst a crime against present and future generations.