

The greatest benefit of the internet is the free and open exchange of thoughts and ideas. If corporate interests are permitted to dictate the content of the web, it will undoubtedly be to serve THEIR interests. This benefits but a few already rich CEOs at these companies to the detriment of the rest of us. Make no mistake, they already have ideas on how to take advantage of the situation. The recent economic crisis and the disaster in the Gulf of Mexico should serve to underscore the usefulness of government in keeping these rich powerful people from abusing their position and good fortune at our expense. And they most certainly will if given the opportunity. We have seen it time and again.