

I view the open internet as a common right and open path to knowledge exchange.  
No one group or groups should have ownership rights over a common good.

I believe the open internet is the future, a (free and public) roadway to informing, educating and improving ourselves, allowing the people the unencumbered right to gain critical knowledge and information for jobs, public safety, knowledge discovery and exchange and improving our overall well being.

I rely on the Internet as a public platform for free speech, equal opportunity, economic growth and innovation. Without vital Net Neutrality protections, companies like Verizon and Comcast, which have a commercial incentive to limit the free-flowing Web, can decide whether I will have a voice online. These companies should not have the power to determine my fate on the Internet.

If corporate gatekeepers continue to squeeze the masses, just to satisfy (non local) shareholders, the economic arbitrage of money leaving our local communities to private shareholders just continues and intensifies. Just what happens when a large company gets too big? We all know that one. And what happens to the small local communities and service providers? --They suffer the most and the longest.

Lets not contribute to the trend seen in Banking, Oil and other mega industrial giants, of giving more power to "too big to fail " companies that ultimately transfer wealth out of local communities--lets think smaller instead, Lots of small owners spread out amongst the country, all with an equal chance for success.

This can only happen with a truly free and open internet.

The FCC must have the power to protect consumer access to the most important communications medium of our time. The FCC must stand with me and keep the Internet in the hands of the people who use it every day. Please reclassify broadband as a "telecommunications service" and keep the Internet open and free of corporate gatekeepers.

This re classification has so much common sense and common good attached to it, its hard to understand there is even a debate about a mandating net neutrality.

Our fiduciaries at the FCC must allow common good (open internet) services, to stay open and free for the good of all people in the United States of America.

Thanks

