

The Internet is part of the Commons. It belongs to all of us, the people of the United States of America. Companies like Comcast, Verizon and Google, use the Internet to make money, but only at our behest, first and foremost, for our collective benefit. That's why there is an FCC in the first place: to regulate the media in the interest of WE THE PEOPLE! Without equal access to the information and potential public forum represented by the Internet, we loose a vital part of the OUR Commons, which should always be above all else there for the strengthening of democracy by ensuring the people can always inform themselves and express freely their views. We will surely loose all of those things if these monopolistic companies are allowed to establish these "tiers". Furthermore, these developments will put us further behind other countries than we already are in terms of our utilization of the Internet for accessibility afforded to the people. This will be a disaster for democracy. DO YOUR JOB, FCC! Do you work only for the corporations, or do you represent the people?

The FCC can't cut private deals that would hand control over the Internet to a few massive phone and cable companies. Any compromise that allows Internet providers to build toll lanes online is not real Net Neutrality.

The agency must stand with the public and protect consumer access to the most important communications medium of our time. The FCC must regain its resolve to protect Net Neutrality on wired and wireless networks. Please reclassify broadband as a "telecommunications service" and keep the Internet open and free of corporate gatekeepers.