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FCC, I believe firmly that you should reclassify broadband internet as a telecommunications (or "Common carrier") service.

Right now broadband is regulated like TV or radio, which doesn't make sense. The simple fact carriers would want to charge up to a theoretical three times more than they do now is a method of nickel and dime-ing the public for an entity that should be freely available to humanity as a whole.

Not only do I believe that this will affect the public as a whole on the consumer end, but think of the countless internet start-ups that rely on a level playing field to be able to compete with larger scale companies.

Please don't let them ruin a huge factor in what makes this country great and a leader in, freedom.