

Dear Sir,

While I am highly gratified that the American public has given the opportunity of a public forum, I am furious and fearful of the possibility that my government would allow private and insanely competitive companies prioritize Internet access. These corporations can, have, and will pursue megalomaniacal methods to maintain their cutthroat edge.

It starts today with Charter intentionally slowing broadband speeds and demanding premium fees to load Netflix but it ends with all major network carriers blocking certain pages of Wikipedia and Reddit which document their fraudulent business practices and white collar crimes. If you don't think this will happen, then you aren't paying attention. This willful ignorance and moral apathy cloaked in laissez-faire politics is precisely the rub that lead to the 2008 economic collapse.

As an agency empowered by the people to protect the interest of the people, I implore you not to allow a handful of heavily moneyed investors strangle in its crib the greatest achievement of mankind. The repository of all human knowledge through all the ages must remain unfettered in its mission to illuminate us all. Thank you for your time and the forum.

Kind Regards,

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