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I urge the FCC to classify ISPs as common carriers under title 2. Any action that allows for paid prioritization of traffic, when taken in light of the fact that Americans have almost zero choice in terms of broadband providers due to choices made by local, state, and federal governments, would hamper innovation and be an economic as well as social disaster.

I have worked in technology for well over a decade, for companies ranging from small startups to educational institutions through large enterprises and believe the internet to be among the most important advancements in human history.

ISPs have long enjoyed government-supported monopolies and my taxes have filled the pockets of increasingly greedy cable companies. The US ranks embarrassingly low globally for internet access, and it's not because of our size or geographic breadth, it's because of cronyism like appointing cable lobbyists to head of the FCC.

Flowery language about "neutrality" and completely off-base statements from Mr. Wheeler aside, the FCC is proposing significant economic harm with a set of policies that will make innovation, and possibly my own livelihood impossible by putting control of the internet into the hands of a few wealthy "haves".