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Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: GN Docket No. 14-28, *Protecting and Promoting the Open Internet*

Dear Ms. Dortch,

Enclosed please find the signatures and comments of 25,920 people urging the Federal Communications Commission to protect real Net Neutrality.

Since the FCC's proposed rules were announced we have seen a groundswell of public opposition to that proposal. We call on the FCC to abandon any unworkable rules based on compromised legal theories, and instead reclassify ISPs as common carriers.

_____/s/_____
Craig Aaron
President and CEO
Free Press

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FCC Chairman Tom Wheeler's plan would let Internet service providers like AT&T, Comcast and Verizon create a two-tiered Internet, with fast lanes for those who can afford the extra fees and a slow dirt road for the rest of us. This proposal would kill the open Internet. I depend on Net Neutrality and demand that the FCC protect the open Internet by reclassifying ISPs as common carriers.

—Hailu Dyami, amherst, MA

We need to reclassify broadband Internet service providers under Title II of the Communications Act immediately. This is what Congress intended with the 96 Act and is why the Internet has been an engine for innovation and free speech. Don't let the corporate lobbyists of a handful of companies derail the single greatest communications medium of our lifetimes.

—Candace Clement, Hadley, MA

I love Net Neutrality!

—Lindsay Embree, Florence, MA

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—Peter Blue, Sarasota, FL

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—Jim Gay, Seattle, WA

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—Alek Roslik, Minneapolis, MN

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—Arnold Roman, Nashville, TN

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—Guido Barletta, allentown, PA

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—Donald S. Kuss, Chicago, IL

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—Jason Michael Michael Walker, Laveen, AZ

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—Cyndi Clough, Wichita, KS

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—Bonnie Margay Burke, San Diego, CA

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—Larry Lambeth, Springfield, MO

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—Yasiu Kruszynski, Chicago, IL

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—David Burkett, Wyoming, MI

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—Jorge Garriga, Hialeah, FL

KEEP IT NEUTRAL

—Daryl Lawrence Coleman, buffalo, NY

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—Mary Liss, Brookfield, IL

Throw out your rules and reclassify ISPs as common carriers. This is the ONLY way to protect real Net Neutrality.

—David J Marcus, Somerville, MA

I like the First Amendment- its American

—Erin Rowe, Arcata, CA

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—James Greiner, Soquel, CA

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—Noenoe Barney-Campbell, honolulu, HI

It is time for the FCC to provide protection for citizens, not corporations!

—Carol Dahlberg, Sioux Falls, SD

For our freedom as a people and a country, we must have net neutrality !

—Henry Jones, Columbus, OH

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—Marcyklapper y, West Tisbury, MA

net Neutrality is very important to my family! than ks

—Liz Arizona, Phx, AZ

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—Jeffrey David Brzyski, tonawanda, NY

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—Thierry Deshayes, Scottsdale, AZ

Dear FCC -- I depend on Net Neutrality! - Fredric Salstrom

—Fredric Salstrom, St. Mary of the Woods, IN

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—Mary Ann Baier, Dearborn, MI

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—Valerie Truong, San Diego, CA

Sorry, but everyone should have equal access to the internet. It is the vendors who should pay the fees, not us. To charge for services is very discriminating.

—Ingrid Ronngren Guerci, Tarrytown, NY

Please save Net Neutrality!

—Gillian Cornelius, Studio City, CA

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—Daniel Vice, Bethesda, MD

Criminals!

—David Reid, Colorado Springs, CO

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—Geo N. Turner, Hollywood, FL

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—Frederck Hoffman, SUCCASUNNA, NJ

Net Neutrality is a cornerstone of democracy in the 21st century.

—Frieda Rusert, Daly City, CA

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—Russell Archer, portland, OR

Keep the internet free and open to all. Keep corporate America out to try and control it for profit.

—Steve Vlahos, Macomb, MI

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO TThe FCC's proposed Internet rules are out — and they're terrible. As we feared, FCC Chairman Tom Wheeler is pushing a plan that would allow rampant discrimination online. If approved, these rules would mean the end of Net Neutrality. Wheeler's plan would let Internet service providers like AT&T, Comcast and Verizon create a two-tiered Internet, with fast lanes for those who can afford the extra fees and a slow dirt road for the rest of us. These companies would have the power to pick winners and losers online and discriminate against online content and applications. And no one would be able to do anything about it.

—Darren Mitton, Avondale Estates, GA

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—Nicole Westre, Bellevue, WA

Net neutrality is not a joke. I don't want my ISP or my cable company acting as a barrier to the free flow of information and speech in this country.

—Joshua Baker, Seattle, WA

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE I don't want a fastlane/slowlane internet! It is certainly a utility w/ common carriers.

—Lesley Brill, Hartsville, NY

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—Edmund Weisberg, Philadelphia, PA

Those who control the Internet will control the consciousness of the world.

—Laurie "Ryan" Norton, Durango, CO

Corporations will be able to discriminate against political ideas they dislike by hampering the citizen's communications. This is unacceptable and unAmerican. The First Amendment and the government's obligation to protect the general welfare mean that the Internet needs to be protected from arbitrary discrimination. We need a level playing field of ideas that is not monopolized by certain voices from the technology sector or any other sector. The Internet is a public resource not the private plaything of entrenched private interests.

—Joe Giambone, Redding, CA

Keep it fair

—Roger Simonot, scottsdale, AZ

Do not allow the internet service providers like AT&T, Comcast and Verizon to create a two-tiered Internet!

—Samuel Durkin, Fairfield, CA

Reclassify ISPs as common carriers!

—Marianne M. Chrisos, Aurora, IL

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—Maheema H, Centennial, CO

Stop solely supporting large corporations - threatening the neutrality of the internet will heavily and destructively interrupt how work and leisure work. Don't expect the public to take this lightly.

—Patrick F Collins, Austin, TX

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—Jerome Hoffman, Brooklyn, NY

FCC: It is urgent to defend Net Neutrality. We are a democracy and part of that democracy is access to a free and unencumbered Internet.

Thank you, K Hart

—K Hart, Houston, TX

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—Mark Hurmence, Carolina Beach, NC

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—Larry Schlessinger, San Francisco, CA

Not just for the rich.. Should be free For all

—Badah Badah, flint, MI

Individuals are more important than corporations. Vote FOR Net Neutrality.

—Joanna E Kenney, La Canada Flintridge, CA

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—William Dorsey, Saint Inigoes, MD

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—T Bell, Austin, TX

Represent the people as is your duty. The people clearly want net neutrality so stand and represent them.

—jon MECHAM, Ellicott City, MD

The broadband of telecommunications is PUBLIC PROPERTY and you, administrators and public servants, cannot hand it over to your own private buddies for their and your eventual exploitation! Save the Internet. Save this public utility. Rescue neutrality. DO YOUR JOB AND REGULATE EQUALITY INTO INTERNET.

—Carol Jackson, New York, NY

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE Keep the internet the way it currently is. Don't try to fix something that isn't broken!

—Dean Frick, San Francisco, CA

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—Karen Vasily, Norristown, PA

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—Bruce Ross, Boulder, CO

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—Marsha Riti, Austin, TX

Please preserve actual net neutrality and do not allow internet providers to dictate winners and losers. Protect a free internet, reject Mr. Wheeler's plan.

—Max Barack, Glenview, IL

Because the internet needs new startups etc to have equal access to resources. Without net neutrality, the internet innovation ecosystem will be negatively impacted.

—Zahra Khan, Cambridge, MA

Allowing lobbyists to make policy is shameful and harmful. Don't allow this horrible legislation to continue. Please reclassify ISPs as common carriers.

—Ms. Lydia Ash, Lawrence, KS

please keep our internet free and open, the ISPS already have a monopoly, they need to have rules to keep them from ruining our internet. no fast lane, no super fast lane, all traffic should always be equal

—Donald Noffsinger, Houston, TX

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—Warren E Shull, Decatur, GA

The internet is on par with basic utilities

—Colin Hart, Purcell, OK

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—Bruce Bennett, Port Townsend, WA

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—Jason Barnes, Springfield, MO

its the right thing to do!!!!

—Richard DeFazio, Erie, PA

As a citizen, computer professional, researcher, and small business owner, net neutrality is crucial to my success and functioning. I need access on a level playing field to the entire Web; I need my site's visibility on a level playing field to the entire Internet. These goals can only be achieved by declaring the Net a common carrier utility and enforcing net neutrality.

—Howard J Cohen Ph.D., Palo Alto, CA

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—Vicky Brandt, New York, NY

Please maintain net neutrality!

—Nanette Cronk, Truckee, CA

The freedom to do what we need to do online is important. It is like freedom for the rights we have in the real world also. What makes them different?

—Liane Aw, Fresno, CA

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—Melissa McCool, Selah, WA

Don't be the ones who ended the era of Internet freedom and made it a toll road only for the rich and powerful. Freedom will return, over the long run, and you will be condemned in history as cowards.

—Umberto Tosi, Chicago, IL

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—Kelly Healy, Clinton, IA

I'd like to see the government side with the people instead of big business for once. I work from home and rely on the internet for my income. Internet access is already too expensive in this country and the speeds are no where near as high as other countries. Do the right thing!

—John E. Hendricks, Albany, NY

Protect Net Neutrality!!!! Do not sell out the internet to greedy corporate interests. **KEEP THE INTERNET FREE!**

—Christopher Coleman, Blue Creek, OH

A free and open internet is critical for our democracy.

—Barney McComas, Berkeley, CA

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—Ivan Handler, Chicago, IL

protect the rights of the people not corporations!!!! DO YOUR JOB PLEASE!!!

—Scott Canning, LA, CA

Your job is to work for the PEOPLE - not pad the pockets of huge corporations. This is really a no-brainer. Get on board! All BYTES ARE CREATED EQUAL. DO YOUR JOB AND KEEP THEM THAT WAY!

—Kathy Condor, LaVale, MD

The Internet is a public utility. An informed people is essential to democracy.

—Thomas S. Meacham, Bowling Green, KY

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—Shirley Crenshaw, st. louis, MO

Please restore net neutrality. Fast access to information should not be reserved for those who can afford to pay the most.

—Kimi Nishikawa, Greenwich, NY

Enough is enough with Big Corporations buying their way to profits. We need people in government positions that are not influenced by corporate America. The internet was meant to be available to everyone at the same equal basis. Stop this nonsense already. WE NEED NET NEUTRALITY NOW!

—John Csaszar, Fleetwood, PA

Real net neutrality is needed. Do not allow the huge companies make another profit off the backs of the middle class. Don't say that net neutrality is important to you and allow the corporations to charge us! That is hypocritical.

—Kathie Daviau, Billings, MT

THERE IS ONLY ONE SOLUTION: RECLASSIFY ISPs AS COMMON CARRIERS! NOW!

—Greg Collins, Coopersville, MI

the internet is an essential utility.

—Michael Rababy, los angeles, CA

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—Andreas Riris, Nicosia,

The internet MUST remain neutral otherwise internet service providers like AT&T, Comcast and Verizon create a two-tiered Internet, with fast lanes for those who can afford the extra fees and a slow dirt road for the rest of us. These companies would have the power to pick winners and losers online and discriminate against online content and applications. The internet belongs to everyone not just wealthy corporations that pay millions to lobby congress.

—Joshua Farrell, Fishkill, NY

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—Tamara M, San Francisco, CA

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—Gary Hudd, Lafayette, CA

FCC - Please watch the John Oliver video and see how ridiculous it will be if you allow traffic to be prioritized for a fee.

—Scott Severn, Londonderry, NH

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—Randall Esperas, Cupertino, CA

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—Ryan Puztai, Jenison, MI

FCC..... Reclassify ISPs as common carriers. This is the ONLY way to protect real Net Neutrality.

—Gerald Rust, Troy, IN

I'm sick of Big Corporations getting larger share of the pie at the behest of the consumer. It's egregious and morally corrupt. No wonder we have income equality. Everything is leveraged in favor towards large corporations and wealthy individuals and institutions. This has to change. Sincerely, Timothy J. Larkin San Francisco, Ca.

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—Jason LeValley, Tucson, AZ

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—Steve Eisenberg, Dixfield, ME

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—Valerie Guinan, Cupertino, CA

The biggest problem I have with the system proposed is that, ultimately, the bills are being payed by all of us - every single person who uses the internet - through our carriers. We overwhelmingly endorse equal access for everyone involved, so why should you side with the carriers? Are you complicit in this idea? I think yes. Grow a set and tell them no, they can't just grab it all and mete it out slowly. This shows the FCC to be a lowly tool - not an organization overseeing anything, just a device for the enrichment of a few. I would be ashamed to be that.

—Pat Wilkins, fitchburg, MA

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—Michael Taylor, Mercer Island, WA

America's internet is ALREADY among the slowest in the world. Ending net neutrality would be highly discriminatory.

—Nick Berezansky, Ridgewood, NJ

I already pay Comcast we'll for Internet access. Charging companies such as Netflix again for the same access, to retain their customers, is extortion. Please enforce Net Neutrality and break up the cable company monopolies.

—Lee Kupersmith, Madbury, NH

Please preserve Net Neutrality. It is a tool vital for a democracy and free society.

—Richard Zimdars, Athens, GA

Continued opportunity for small businesses...and for the explosion in innovation that the Internet has made possible over the last 25+ years (including Linux and other open source software initiatives) will CEASE TO EXIST IF NET NEUTRALITY IS NOT PERMANENTLY PRESERVED. Is that clear enough??

—Edgar Russell, Glen Burnie, MD

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—Harry and Jill Brownfield, Newport, PA

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—Ms. Alfa-Betty Olsen, New York, NY

I believe in protecting Net Neutrality. Reclassify ISPs as common carriers.

—julie Alian, Riverside, CA

Net neutrality is important to me because it allows for freedom of speech and expression without regard to a person's ability to pay extra fees to access platforms. It also prevents companies, politicians, organizations, and others from censoring critical opinions and information.

—Mollie Madden, Minneapolis, MN

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—Edward Colley, Ellensburg, WA

Dear FCC With the appointment of your new "leader" I can see why Neutrality would be a foreign concept to you. However, in AMERICA we would like our internet to remain as is.

—Jason Salsbury, Little Elm, TX

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—Bret Sher, Vernon Hills, IL

The net was created by all of our tax dollars and should remain a public benefit as intended. Removal of net neutrality could kill seniors and persons with disabilities because they and their health providers would not be in the fast lane with the speed their electronic options expected for saving lives. Removal could also deny equal education access (e.g., AP classes) to children living in remote areas. Removal also would be expected to reduce the creativity and innovation our country's future requires. Regulate it as the public utility it is and should be for the public's interest.

—J Angell, Rescue, CA

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—Guy Perkins, Reno, NV

INTERNET FOR ALL, NOT JUST THE RICH FEW!

—D P, Madison, WI

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—Heather Haverfield, Langley, WA

Please deliver us from the curse of corporate rule. The media monsters are the embodiment of greedy, monopolistic, evil! Please don't put our fate in their hands.

—Brian Brian St. John, Spicewood, TX

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE Net neutrality has worked for a long time to make the internet a place where ideas are shared freely and people can learn about things quickly and easily. If you allow internet providers to prioritize content based on who can pay the most money, small companies, not-for-profit organizations and others will be pushed to the 'slow' traffic lane. This will cause many of them to cease to exist, so it really comes down to a form of censorship. You should reclassify ISPs as common carriers to protect all of us who use the internet every day.

—Wynne Corson, Chicago, IL

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—Stephen Bogoff, Mill Valley, CA

The internet was built for all, not for the rich.

—Edward T. Hills, Westland, MI

The internet should stay with its current configuration with no one or two organizations controlling it. A controlled internet is a communist internet.

—Charlene Knop, Charlotte, NC

Reclassify internet as a utilities company.

—Noah Plakun, Brooklyn, NY

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—Nancy Carey, Gates, OR

THROW OUT THE RULES AND RECLASSIFY ISPs AS COMMON CARRIERS. WE WANT NET NEUTRALITY. I DON'T WANT MY ABILITY TO USE THE INTERNET HAMPERED BY THE GREED OF AT&T, COMCAST & VERIZON. STOP THIS NOW !!!

—Karen Neuforth, Great Bend, KS

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—Chad M. Halsey, Salem, OR

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—Stan Sheggeby, madison, WI

Net Neutrality is vitally important for a free Internet.

—Ethan Ward, Lawrence, KS

The Internet should be accessible to all EQUALLY. No special access to only those who can afford it.

—Peggy Albrecht, Westlake Village, CA

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—ronald king, Salem, OR

Don't let Internet service providers like AT&T, Comcast and Verizon create a two-tiered Internet, with fast lanes for those who can afford the extra fees and a slow dirt road for the rest of us. These companies would have the power to pick winners and losers online and discriminate against online content and applications. And no one would be able to do anything about it.

—Timothy Gaughan, Pittsburgh, PA

The internet is important to everyone. We all deserve equal access. Period.

—Leslie Friedman, Junction City, OR

I ALREADY PAY FOR INTERNET SERVICE. I WANT TO THE SERVICE I PAY FOR TO BE PROTECTED. IF SITES I GO TO NEED TO PAY FOR A "FAST-LANE" FEE, THEN I AM BEING ROBBED OF THE SERVICE I PAY FOR.

—Steven Black, Bloomington, IN

Corporations should not be able to buy legislation on net neutrality. Keep the internet a balanced path for the flow information.

—Donny Kutzbach, Kenmore, NY

The internet should be viewed as a public utility.

—Cindy Thompson, Salina, KS

Because the Net neutrality is the principle that Internet service providers and governments should treat all data on the Internet equally, not discriminating or charging differentially by user, content, site, platform, application, type of attached equipment, and modes of communication.

—Mark Verkhovski, Walnut Creek, CA

Pay-to-play internet only serves to rid the country of smaller startups, mom-and-pop shops and anyone just trying to get going. You're ruining the ability of anyone to get a head because they can't pay to have decent speeds for their service. This is wrong. Do not let this happen. Make internet access like a utility, electric, water, etc... people can pay for what they use, but not how fast it is.

—Ryan Wallace, Seattle, WA

I fear our cost of Internet will go up a lot.

—Paul Rosenberger, Decatur, IL

RECLASSIFY ISPs as common carriers!!!

—Tory Wenger, Panama City, FL

Net neutrality allows a purity, a non-bias, and an intellectual freedom we wouldn't have without it.

—Susan r, TC, VT

I am insisting that FCC throws out the rules and instead reclassify ISPs as common carriers.

—Pauline Priestley, Fenton, MI

Just like the telephone of the 19th century, the Internet is the predominant communication device of the 21st century and should be classified and regulated as such. To remain neutral all traffic must have equal & free access to the full speed of the internet.

—Paul Horne, Boynton Beach, FL

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—Daniel Burnham, Bloomington, IN

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—Al Daniel, Grosse Pointe, MI

I use the internet for both work and play. Please end Net Neutrality! It could cause me to lose a lot of customers and not be able to pay my bills or put food on my table.

—Kara Graul, Houston, TX

Verizon and Comcast make billions of dollars in profit each year. Billions. And yet for some reason, we're being told that isn't enough - they want to receive additional money based on the amount of internet traffic. If we were a purely capitalist society that would make a certain amount of sense. But we still fancy ourselves as a place where all voices deserve an equal right to be heard. In an age where corporate interests govern so much of our society, there needs to be a place where the people can make their voices heard. The internet has become that place. Please protect the dream of our founders that all men are endowed with certain inalienable rights.

—Thomas D Hendrickson, University Place, WA

Reclassify ISPs as common carriers this is the ONLY way to protect real Net Neutrality.

—Stephen Pazdziorko, Wilmington, MA

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE The FCC needs to represent the interests of the human citizens of our country, not the corporate profit pirates of bandwidth.

—Pamela Leighton-Burwell, Austin, TX

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—Jean Friday, Belle Vernon, PA

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE Keep the internet open and free--no fast lanes for big spenders!!! Rule in favor of the people on this--not corporate profits. RECLASSIFY ISPS AS COMMON CARRIERS. Protect Net Neutrality!!!

—Kathy Dasilva, Garden Grove, CA

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—Martha Utz, San Jose, CA

Anything other than net neutrality would be terrible for the economy and blatantly discriminatory.

—Anna M., Allston, MA

Throw out your rules and reclassify ISPs as common carriers. We need net neutrality.

—Rachel Wolf, Santa Cruz, CA

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—Margaret Ames, Kirkland, WA

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—Timothy Taylor, Los Angeles, CA

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—Michael Travers, aurora, CO

Net Neutrality is important to me because I don't want the government in the business of playing favorites in choosing which content should receive preferential treatment. It will squelch what little competition exists and make things far worse for consumers.

—Angela Green, Oxford, MS

Isa 3:10-11 [NIV] Tell the righteous it will be well with them, for they will enjoy the fruit of their deeds. Woe to the wicked! Disaster is upon them! They will be paid back for what their hands have done. Isa 3:14-15 [LB] First to feel his wrath will be the elders and the princes, for they have defrauded the poor. They have filled their barns with grain extorted from the helpless peasants. How dare U grind my people in the dust like that! the Lord of Hosts will demand of them. Isa 5:7 [NIV] And he looked for justice, but saw bloodshed; for righteousness, but heard cries of distress.

—David Porter, jonesboro, GA

Please, just this once, do the right thing. I think that you'll still be able assure yourself that future career in the telecom industry by bending over backwards for them on some other issue. But this one is far too important to fuck the American public on. I hope you have some small shred of human decency left that will allow you to still see that.

—John Hoskinson, Los Angeles, CA

An open, neutral internet is required for modern democracy to survive. But aside from the freedom of speech and social justice issues inherent in any discussion of allowing current big business interests to throttle or restrict internet access, it's also simply bad for the future of all business. It is a bad business decision to limit access to new markets. Pay to play, tiered speed fee packages, it all adds up to the same thing. Big corporations will swallow or smother competition before it can even get started so they can maintain their own dominance. New markets that could be the future of our economy might never get off the ground.

—Pamila Payne, Reseda, CA

Reclassify the Internet as a Title II Communications service.

—Eddie Geller, Las Vegas, NV

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—Sonya Smith, Cadillac, MI

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—Wayne Kelly, Ashland, OR

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—J Miskelly, baltimore, MD

Free speech = net neutrality. All people are created equal and that goes for what we are charged for the Internet, and we should all be able to access any sites we want, we don't need Big Internet telling us what we are allowed to access.

—Patricia Dingleberry, Jersey City, NJ

DO THE RIGHT THING FOR EQUAL ACCESS AND FAIRNESS TO ALL. RECLASSIFY ISPS AS COMMON CARRIERS.

—Belle Sprague, Chino Hills, CA

The free and unimpeded flow of information is crucial to a democratic nation. Commercial traffic for profit should not take priority over the functioning of our nation.

—Mr Moe Kafka, New Brunswick, NJ

I've said it before and I'll say it again. The internet was developed with government money and has been a driver for all sorts of innovation. If we don't protect net neutrality it'll turn into just another money pump for big corporations.

—Suzan E Syrett, Menlo Park, CA

If you think there is a tiered populace now - with major inequities - just wait. Destroying net neutrality will finish making this a 3rd world country. Serfdom will be pleasant compared to what will happen here. WE the people BUILT the internet - and WE the PEOPLE MUST be able to use it unshackled and equal.

—Ms. Ann Wilson, Garland, TX

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—Mike Beer, Milwaukee, WI

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—Mill Miller, Dayton, OH

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—Harry Smith, Costa Mesa, CA

Do not hand us over to the cable companies and Verizon, which are already way too powerful and intrusive.

—Carol Casey, Baltimore, MD

Internet service providers should not have the ability to discriminate against content. Internet service providers should be reclassified as common carriers.

—Kellie Smith, Deering, NH

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—Jorge Flores, Morgantown, WV

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—Shannon Cowett, Chantilly, VA

When I buy a pair of shoes, I get the same price, the same deal, as my neighbor gets. This fair deal should also apply to the Internet. The big corporations already have too much power. This needs to end. Let's have more power for the PEOPLE.

—Helen N. Hanna, Sacramento, CA

Hi, Please reclassify ISPs as common carriers. Thanks Joe

—Joe Jones, Sunnyvale, CA

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—James Nowack, Highland, NY

Do the job you were hired for as the responsible party creating rule for all citizens, corporations and the common good- not for former and obviously by your proposals, future employers. The common good for all supercedes any connections and or payoffs you have and receive. Net neutrality can be sustained very simply- these rules seem to be written explicitly for the not so hidden hand and need to be rejected.

—Carol Jagiello, bloomingdale, NJ

This is not only democratic, it's anti-capitalistic. What happened to letting the market decide? Haha, what a sham, the "free" market. Say no to this monopolistic outline these rules propose for yet another of our media, perhaps the most important.

—Sam DeLeo, Denver, CO

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE I use the net to obtain information from several sources, entertainment and my own website. net Neutrality allows freedom information to flow freely and is vital to our democracy and way; of life.

—Robert Berry, Petaluma, CA

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—Mr James L Wolcott, Evansville, IN

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—Antonio Barbosa, Lisbon,

Keep the Internet a level playing field for all, or it will become the domain of the wealthy and powerful as has been proven by the actions of the cable and telecom providers that they can not be trusted!

—Wayne Williams, Sherman Oaks, CA

HEY WHEELER DEALER!!! VERIZON already has us by the short hairs. Reclassify ISPs as common carriers. DO YOUR JOB!!

—Willard Goodman Goodman, Bethesda, MD

No tiers, the internet should be treated as a telephone line, no fast lanes for some. ISP's are as common carriers!

—John Costello, Lancaster, NY

Do not give the OPEN Internet away to the service provider corporations. That is not the democratic thing to do. If you quash Net Neutrality, the poor, school children, people who are self-employed and others will be damaged educationally and financially. Do not go forward with your plans to coddle the corporations. Keep Net Neutrality in place as it has been since the founding of the internet. Please. Reclassify ISPs as common carriers!!

—Sandra Whiteknact, New York, NY

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—Brett Gadbois, Bainbridge Island, WA

The internet belongs to everyone. It is a public utility and should therefore be designated a common carrier. It should not be a device for companies to profit via a tiered and discriminatory system of service

—Susan Blain, Gardner, MA

Internet service in the US is slow and overpriced compared to other developed countries. The reasons boil down to the fact that we've failed to treat it as a public utility, as other countries have. Not only have we left this essential infrastructure to the vagaries of corporations, but we've under-regulated them, resulting in a lack of competition, among other problems. Partly because of the FCC's loosening of regulations during the last few decades, at least 90% of traditional media are owned by 6 colossal, multinational corps. If we fail to act now to protect net neutrality, the same forces that bought control of cable tv and our political process will have the power to discriminate and censor content on the net. The net is where freedom happens now. Reclassify the internet as a public utility and regulate it to protect REAL net neutrality.

—Carolyn Sortor, Dallas, TX

We would not permit certain corporations to have privileged access to faster lanes of the interstate while the rest of us had to pay to use those lane. Everyday people, small companies, and start-ups should not have to pay extra for the the speed others with privilege get.

—Sandra L. Herndon, Shelton, WA

We should be leaders in Freedoms and Commerce. This assuredly will hamstring both Efforts!

—David Kwitkowski, Chicago, IL

Please do not allow the Internet to become yet another example inequality and the ability for those who can pay more are allowed to commandeer and overtake the Internet to the point that those who can't get squeeze down or out altogether.

—HiC Luttmers, Menlo Park, CA

Net neutrality is important, because the power to inhibit internet use shouldn't be arbitrarily determined by a handful of providers. Enabling companies to throttle internet access and speeds gives them the ability to interfere with commerce by companies they don't approve of, and customers who are unwilling or unable to pay their tiered fees. History indicates that leaving decision-making power in the hands of profit-driven companies rarely works out well for the consumer.

—Lewayne White, Grimes, IA

Please protect REAL net neutrality and reclassify ISPs as common carriers.

—Roger Bell, Morgantown, WV

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—Dennis Kleinsmith, Lathrup Village, MI

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—Betsy Germanotta, Cambridge, MA

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—Jeff Stromgren, Minneapolis, MN

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—Lucian Dixon, Jackson, MS

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE: FCC throw these rules and instead reclassify ISPs as common carriers.

—Geoffrey McCabe, Hollywood, CA

AT&T did not develop the Internet. Comcast did not develop the Internet. Verizon did not develop the Internet. America's military, supported by US taxpayers - people like me! - created and developed the Internet. DO NOT HAND OVER TO PRIVATE CORPORATIONS WHAT BELONGS TO THE AMERICAN PUBLIC! Say a loud and furious NO! to ending Net Neutrality.

—Meryle A. Korn, Portland, OR

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—Mitchell Slatin, Lakewood, CO

Please do not consider a two tiered internet - with "fast lanes" guaranteeing discrimination. Keep the internet FREE and NEUTRAL! Classify ISP's as common carriers. Thank you !

—Elizabeth Cross, Rancho Mirage, CA

The internet is a means of education for many underprivileged and poor people. They should have the same internet access and speed as the wealthy who want to limit internet access to the poor!

—Terry Huey, Lexington, KY

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—Beverly Williamson-Pecori, McKees Rocks, PA

Slippery slope to controlling what we see and hear. News needs to be unbiased and uncontrolled to have ANY value at all.

—Tristan Brandhorst, Madison, WI

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—Rose Hughes, Minneapolis, MN

Free the internet! We need real net neutrality! Make the net an public utility!

—Mr. Brenan Searain, Pueblo, CO

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE Any attempt to alter the course of true democracy is ill founded and for personal corporate gain only. That is what this proposed plan to control the internet is all about...in one word, greed. We're not buying it.

—J Benevento, gilroy, CA

Tell the FCC to throw out its rules and instead reclassify ISPs as common carriers.

—Christian Y Rivera, Homestead, FL

STOP INTERNET FUCKERY!

—Matthew Smith, hillsborough, NC

ISPs are and should be labelled common carriers.

—Cameron L Palmer, Garland, TX

It's already slow - Don't make it worse

—Kevin Wightman, sylmar, CA

More and more the USA is looking like a 3rd world country. Certainly not a leader by any means. You have contributed to the selling of our country to the highest bidder.

—Michael Sullivan, Marshfield Hills, MA

The internet is NOT BROKEN so why is the FCC trying to fix it so that service providers can make a "Fast" lane for anyone able to afford extra fees and a "Slow" lane for everyone else?--it's obvious the FCC is trying NOT to fix anything--but to break what's already working!!!

—Lynn Manzione, athens, GA

Democracy requires an equal voice for all concerned.

—Dean R. Sigler, Aloha, OR

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—Cynthia Fertman, Winchester, MA

Once again a large corporation is making money of the backs of the consumers. This action will cost the general public more with the end result being that the mega-rich corporations become even richer.

—Mark Mahallak, Crystal Lake, IL

Net Neutrality is the ONLY thing preventing companies from gouging us for services they don't own. I demand net neutrality!

—Shawn Wilton, Salem, OR

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE Please do not destroy net neutrality because it will pose a hardship to people who can't afford to pay for faster services.

—Barbara Sullivan, Peabody, MA

Wheeler's plan would let Internet service providers like AT&T, Comcast and Verizon create a two-tiered Internet, with fast lanes for those who can afford the extra fees and a slow dirt road for the rest of us. These companies would have the power to pick winners and losers online and discriminate against online content and applications. And no one would be able to do anything about it.

—Robert Grillo, Chicago, IL

True net neutrality, in which all data is treated equally and there there are no "fast lanes," is vitally important to U.S. innovation and democracy. Please preserve net neutrality, and don't let ISPs created a two-tiered system, paid system. We the people want true net neutrality. Please preserve it.

—Gari Cruze, Cincinnati, OH

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—Wesley Barton, Magnolia, AR

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—Jdalla@coxnet Dalla, Las Vegas, NV

Please reclassify ISPs as common carriers. Protect real Net Neutrality.

—Jaen Lawrence, Houston, TX

Net neutrality is the new requirement for an information-rich civil society. Education, technology, politics, health, and culture (in other words, everything we care about) will be impacted negatively, while the biggest of the big entertainment companies get richer, and our society as a whole suffers.

—Gin Ferrara, South Burlington, VT

You clearly are intelligent individuals and can see the importance of protecting net neutrality. Just because it's good for wallets and pocketbooks today doesn't mean it will be good for anyone tomorrow. Please do the right thing!!

—Mary Burke, Lisbon, IA

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE Internet service providers should remain as common carriers equal to all! Democracy still counts!

—Cynthia Cynthia Maris Dantzig, Brooklyn, NY

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—T Stephen Cody, Tucson, AZ

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE Net neutrality is an indicator of a democratic society in which every individual is given the equal opportunity to exercise his/her freedom to communicate via the Internet.

—Roberta Desalle, New York, NY

Please throw out your proposed FCC rules and instead reclassify ISPs as common carriers. This is the ONLY way to protect real Net Neutrality.

—Sylvia Stack, Annandale, VA

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—Bruce Markens, New York, NY

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—Ed Rivera, Santa Cruz, CA

Please listen to the real people of this country and leave the internet an open place.

—Philip Wittlief, Chicago, IL

Corporate ISP's should be just like the power lines: how much we choose to use and pay for and what we use them for is our own business and none of theirs!

—Jim Liljeberg, Bay Springs, MS

Net Neutrality has given so many people the opportunity to start small businesses, share ideas and opinions without the threat of censorship, and allows for more innovation in technologies and communication. The proposed rules from Tom Wheeler would effectively kill net neutrality and allow rampant discrimination, which should not be tolerated. Instead, internet service providers must be reclassified as Title II common carriers to preserve real net neutrality.

—Matt Ringquist, Redwood Falls, MN

Internet is the future of communication. It is cruel to leave our experience to the judgement of corporations.

—Ahmet Emir Kara, Farmers Branch, TX

If you don't have net neutrality, it all boils down to greed and who has the most money and who can profit the most.

—Scott Mack, Indiana, PA

Dear FCC, Your position and proposed rules affecting open and neutral use of the internet is not well thought out and smacks of corporate lobbying and payoffs. Everyone will think this. You need to back off and leave the internet open for all and not let corporations do even more damage to the freedom of all americans than they have already done. Thank you.

—Gary Schuitema, Tucson, AZ

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—Suzanne Dalton, Canton, OH

Maintaining equal treatment of network traffic on the Internet is of utmost importance to the future of the United States economy. The US is already behind much of the developed world in terms of Internet access speeds which puts us at dire risk to be overtaken in development of new technologies and services. If ISPs are able to make extra profit by charging service providers for faster access to end users, the ISPs will be disincented to improve network speeds because they will then lose that profit if their networks become fast enough that the "fast lane" isn't necessary. It will become necessary to keep US Internet speeds low enough that basic access is inadequate to provide services in order to maintain that line of profit. Additionally, innovation will be stifled by the high cost of competing with established rivals. If a business requires huge amounts of money in order to reach its potential customers effectively, it will be extremely difficult for new players with new ideas to enter the market.

—Jonathon Merz, San Francisco, CA

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—Ryan Reasor, Austin, TX

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—James Hildebrand, Mobile, AL

As a librarian, I know, because I see them, that there are many people without internet access at home, and they depend upon free access at the nearest library. Libraries get so much use, that we have to establish time limits for each person in order that everyone can have a turn. A slow internet for libraries means that some people will have even more limited access to government, job, etc. information, which is many times available in no other format, and is vital for them to participate in public life. The proposed rules are a disaster. The internet is now fully as basic to modern life as telephone, water or any other utility. PLEASE do not allow ISPs to discriminate against any clients.

—B Dingley, Kansas City, MO

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—Glenda Goldwater, Portland, OR

No fast lanes, no slow lanes. These changes will kill inovative commerce.

—Michael Leighton, Henderson, NV

Hey, FCC! Throw out your rules and instead reclassify ISPs as common carriers. Now.

—Tami Linder, Mountainair, NM

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—Joseph Zirker, Menlo Park, CA

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—Martin Banks, North Bay Village, FL

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—Linda Brebner, Rochester, NY

Net Neutrality is important to small business, jobs, and our economy. Keep it neutral! Classify it as Title 2 like it deserves to be!

—Jon Proton, Ithaca, NY

Please limit the influence that these corporations wish to inflict on the consumer. Net neutrality is a necessary state for multiple innovations to develop by small time individuals or small company. Don't create another Ma Bell type megacorporation

—George Lefayt, Columbia, MD

Net Neutrality is something that we all need. If we treat internet like T.V. then no one would want to be on the internet. FCC would ruin the Freedoms our founding fathers fought hard to get us.

—Juan Duran Cantu IV, Mesquite, TX

Please... Just stop.

—Thomas Rymer, Savage, MN

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE We Must, as a free society, maintain Net Neutrality! Already we are behind a lot of the World technologically! Save America Greatness!

—Christopher Law, Laguna Woods, CA

Please don't push for a plan that would allow for a tiered internet. It is imperative that the US be a leader of innovation and internet policy. Don't let corporations run something this important.

—Jenny Dimsho, Portland, OR

The internet is a common carrier utility, exactly like the telephone system, and should be regulated like the telephone system. Whether transferring digital voice, or data, it is handled the same way by the equipment and should be handled the same way by the regulators. No one has to pay more for making phone calls than another person, and content providers on the internet should not have to pay to have their content delivered.

—Tom Dewille, Owens Cross Roads, AL

The Internet is a human achievement on the level of the printing press...but better! Coming up with a 'fast lane' for companies who pay for it will destroy it. FCC, you are meant to be the cops on the beat FOR THE PEOPLE when it comes to all these things - have you been bought? Please REGULATE cable companies and Internet providers, rather than cave in to them.

—Susan Gillespie, Chatham, NJ

please do it now.

—Leda Slattery, Idaho Falls, ID

I as one senior citizen struggling to make ends meet on just a monthly SS payment of \$941.00 and a small part job with a grocery store chain amounting to an addition \$100.00 cannot afford any price increases on anything and still make ends meet. To allow an inexpensive way to communicate with others as the internet has done we cannot allow corporations to interfere with this method of affordable communication by raising costs and taxes on its use.

—Richard W. Firth, Mechanicsville, VA

Net Neutrality is the only way to level the playing field and keep the United States on par with other developed countries. Let's keep America on the forefront of technology and support Net Neutrality.

—Jay Conrad Price, SAN DIEGO, CA

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—Kathy Bilicke, Los Angeles, CA

Net neutrality is important because it stimulates commerce to a much larger and broader scope than any prioritizing will do. Any sale of bandwidth to highest bidder is antithetical to the concept of a public utility which the Wide World Web is. Selling access to bandwidth will hamper development of many businesses and severely limit choices. Vote for net neutrality

—Gabriel Morner, Rutherford, NJ

Net Neutrality is a right of the people. It is our job to protect it, and that includes YOU Mr. FCC. Get off your asses! If you're not going to do shit, you might as well step aside and let us, the people, take care of this. If you're not in these company's pockets, do something NOW before it's too late.

—Juan Pereanez, Phillipsburg, NJ

throw out its rules and instead reclassify ISPs as common carriers.

—Angel Negron, brooklyn, NY

This makes no sense to me. Please stop supporting the ISPs. Represent the people.

—Dave Swift, Boston, MA

The Internet is and always has been a neutral platform for people to share with one another. It's not a corporate platform, for executives to control its content.

—Atli Hafsteinsson, Reykjavik,

No one should control the way information flows. Corporations, who are never accountable, and wealthy businessmen with an agenda (to make themselves bigger salaries at the expense of everyone else) should have nothing to do with administrating the world-wide Internet. Information is gold and should not be hoarded. It should be considered free as air. Too many people will suffer from information deprivation if service providers are the choosers of who gets to do what.

—Dana Ivey, New York, NY

Net neutrality will only help lazy corporations, at the expense of the consumer. Another welfare for Comcast & Verizon. I know they are greasing the pockets of FCC, I also know that these poor Corporations are now defined as People, by our corrupt Supreme Corporate Court! So go ahead, and do the thing that will hurt the consumer. Just remember, when we ALL are on Welfare, there will be no more consumers to grease these wheels!

—Allen Wickell, Fort Myers, FL

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—Serge Lubomudrov, Chicago, IL

The internet holds the key to information access, changing it in this way will further damage democracy worldwide

—Alejandro Andres Monreal, Auckland 1446,

Tom Wheeler: What's your problem with Net Neutrality???

—Nina Ramos, St. Petersburg, FL

There is far too much discrimination in this "democratic" country but so far use of the internet has been relatively equal for all and it should stay this way!

—Anne and John Hedberg, Golden, CO

I live on Social Security and use the Internet continuously to communicate with friends, research topics and get help around the house. My present bill through a cable provider is currently outrageous. I can only imagine what will happen to my access if my representative do not protect me.

—Jeffrey Bains, The Villages, FL

Net neutrality is crucial for education and free and easy access to knowledge. I am a teacher and rely on net neutrality in the classroom.

—Steve Bush, Santa Rosa, CA

The internet is where I learn, study, and pretty much do everything.

—Abbey Ash, Ashland, OR

Throw out these proposed rules that allow corporations to control the internet. What does the FCC not get about net neutrality being vital to our economy and communications? Reclassify ISPs as common carriers.

—Kevin West, Austin, TX

I can't have others choosing my ideas for me, I can't have a particular culture forced upon me by priority being given to the ideas and thoughts and values of any particular entity or corporation.

—Shane Deal, Cayuga, NY

No less than our freedom and democracy are at stake. Net neutrality protects us from a form of capitalist totalitarianism.

—Kevin B Vaught, Antioch, TN

Hi there FCC! I know you guys work really hard, and have a lot on your plate. I also know you get a lot of gruff from people. I know you're not a bad group, but I do beg you to PLEASE restore proper net neutrality. The internet is quite literally the future, and back room deals or not, the current state of net neutrality is limiting our ability to innovate. With the way things are heading, while certain high ranking individuals (not necessarily in the FCC) are stuffing their pockets, we're trying our hardest to circumvent systems in place JUST so we can innovate and improve. An open internet is paramount to our future as innovators and creators, and I urge you to do your part to make America stand up for net neutrality and an open Internet so that we can continue to be the best country. Thanks!

—Andrew Hauser, Pensacola, FL

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—Caroline Binder, Mc Connellsburg, PA

FCC- watch this video - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fpbOEOrrHyU> Shame on you Tom wheeler & FCC!

—Swetha Chellappa, GILBERT, AZ

NO ONE, EXCEPT THE MAJOR COMMUNICATIONS COMPANIES FOR WHOM YOU PROSTITUTE (prostitute: #2 a person who sells their values and talents for an unworthy cause) SUPPORT A TIERED SYSTEM.

—Robert E Flynn, Minneapolis, MN

WE ARE TIRED OF BIG COMPANIES RULING THIS COUNTRY AND TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. AREN'T YOU ALREADY MAKING ENOUGH MONEY OFF OF THE SERVICES YOU PROVIDE? IS NO AMOUNT ENOUGH? CORPORATE GREED IS KILLING THIS COUNTRY. IF THE INTERNET IS NOT BROKE DON'T FIX IT!

—Tiffany, Conroe, TX

Protect NET NEUTRALITY.

—Chris Noyes, bloomfield, NJ

Tell the FCC to throw out its rules and instead reclassify ISPs as common carriers. This is the ONLY way to protect real Net Neutrality.

—Judy Coughlin, Los Gatos, CA

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—Cyndi Hunt, Tallahassee, FL

I don't believe the telcos when they claim that a two-tiered system will do right by "the little guy." We need bandwidth for all destinations to have the same quality-of-service guarantees, or else we'll end up with a patchwork of better and worse routes, and innovation for the little guy will be stifled.

—Daniel Hardman, American Fork, UT

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—Sarah Hafer, Sacramento, CA

Pleeeeeease. Keep net neutrality alive. It's all I care about!

—Austin Gould, Santa Clarita, CA

The internet has become an unexpected tool for social change and transparency. It works because it is open and organic. It is so much more than a delivery system for media content. Please do not compromise it's potential by putting business interests in charge. We had no idea that the internet would become what it is. We have no idea what it may yet become. Let us not continue to make the same mistakes.

—James Jentile, portland, OR

THE INTERNET SHOULD BE EQUAL FOR ANYONE WHO USES IT. NOT JUST THE GREEDY RICH!!!!

—Lynn Morris, Chicago, IL

FCC YOU MUST throw out FCC Chairman Tom Wheeler"s plan that would allow rampant discrimination online, FCC YOU MUST THROW OUT THESE RULES AND INSTEAD, "RECLASSIFY ISPS AS COMMON CARRIERS." This is the ONLY way to protect real Net Neutrality.

—Elaine Balgemann, Mesa, AZ

We need Net Neutrality because it allows small business and self-employees expand their business to a global scale. Without Net Neutrality, it's going to increase the unemployment rate to skyrocketing levels

—Eliseo W. Perez, Homestead, FL

Keep the internet neutral!

—Alice Shechter, Brooklyn, NY

FCC: I am SICK AND TIRED of big money buying influence in all aspects of life, especially when it concerns profits! You WILL keep the internet neutral and equal for all users! Correct?

—Patrick Brady, Indianapolis, IN

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—Jeremy DeCristo, San Francisco, CA

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—David Martin Ph.D., Norwich, CT

Like or not, the World Wide Web is a public utility in todays day and age. A significant portion of our population does not understand this concept partially because it has been treated as such for the majority of their conscious lives. It's ubiquitous presence in our daily lives is greater now then land line phone services was 20 years ago. Leave traffic flow on the net free and open. It's the cost of our digital age.

Chapman Holbrook Houston TX

—Chapman G Holbrook, HOUSTON, TX

WRITE YOUR MESSAGE TO THE FCC HERE We already have the most expensive and slower internet and wireless, than most countries. This is not going to change it. It will only make it worse.

—Mr. Scott Pierce, Portland, OR

NET NEUTRALITY IS IMPORTANT, BECAUSE THE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICIANS HERE ARE HELL BENT ON TURNING THIS COUNTRY INTO THE FASCIST STATES OF AMERICA. STOP THIS NOW, IT IS CORRUPT. THE FACT THAT WHEELER IS THE HEAD OF THE FCC MAKES THIS POINT PERFECTLY CLEAR.

—Christopher Willcox, Santa Barbara, CA

Reclassify ISPs as common carriers. Maintain net neutrality.

—Charles Wilson, Monterey, CA

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—Kirk Bails, Harrison Twp., MI