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Net neutrality is key to an open market and free economy system. Having net neutrality up to this point has allowed the building of independent businesses that employ millions of people. Without net neutrality we would not have Amazon, Ebay, Facebook, YouTube, or many other large companies that didn't start as large companies.

Allowing carriers to charge more for faster internet speeds will give larger companies an unfair advantage over start-ups and small and medium sized companies. This will kill innovations and creativity and have a seriously negative effect on our economy in the future.

If Jeff Bezos had the idea of Amazon today he could still start the company believing he could succeed. If you allow carriers to have their way we would most likely not have Amazon and the online market would be dominated by large companies. This would mean higher prices, less competition, and little innovation in terms of using the internet to create value for consumers and businesses. Imagine the world today without Amazon, YouTube, Facebook, and the like.

Would a large company have ever come up with the idea of a social media site? Please do not enforce this decision. I ask you to reverse it and keep net neutrality as a cornerstone of the internet. My future votes will be highly influenced by a law makers position on this matter.