It is critical we change the way we elect the President of the United States to be by popular vote so that every vote across the country is equal. Therefore, I am writing in support of the National Popular Vote - <u>without</u> referring it to the voters. This legislation has widespread support in both Oregon chambers, bipartisan support in the Senate, and there is no question that our legislators have the authority to pass the bill.

In our presidential elections, every vote should count, and NPV legislation to join the states' compact is the most expedient way to ensure that happens.

Respectfully,

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