

House Committee on Rules:

NO on HB2004

Let us praise and pray via Almighty God, the Creator, Father and Lawgiver who: led the ancestors of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob along with their progeny; is the same in the past, today and into the future. May His blessings and curses be abundantly given as He has prescribed within His Laws, Statutes and Judgments. May He give insight to the leaders of this State and Nation to help them obey Him. We are thankful to Him for giving His only begotten Son as recompense for the sin of those who He permits to accept and know His Son as the One and Only Lord, Savior and Christ, Jesus. We ask that He hear our prayers in the Holy Name His only-begotten Son, the One and Only, Lord, Savior and Christ, Jesus. Amen.

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*I do not support HB2004 or the upcoming bill SB506. No Ranked-Choice-Voting (RCV) System in Oregon!*

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RCV is messy and ends up not representing the will of the people. Changing to the RCV system is expensive and that cost will be passed on to Oregonians as another wasteful tax. The Oregon AG has openly admitted that the current electronic voting systems are hackable. It makes no sense to add more electronic systems that are hackable and have no clear structure or process for forensic auditing. It is already difficult to get Oregon bureaucrats to be forthcoming and transparent about the election processes and procedures. How can we trust the bureaucrats to manage a new system that is as complicated and confusing as the proposed RCV voting structure?

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Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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