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Chair Bowman, Vice Chair Drazan, Vice Chair Pham and members of the House Committee on Rules,

My name is Kim, and I live in Portland. I am writing to testify in strong support of the Student Voice and Democracy Act, HB 3012, which will allow registered 16- and 17-year-olds to vote in local school board elections, giving students a critical voice in their education and thereby strengthening our democracy.

Students are the future of our communities, and we need to invest in their voices and ideas to create a more equitable Oregon. Youth are ready to be apart of our democracy. I highly encourage you to support HB3012.

Thank you, Kim C.