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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

House Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

HB3392

Dear Legislators - We Oregonians deserve better than this backroom deal to stall campaign finance reform until the 2030's. So many ills in our beautiful state. One from money in our campaign system.

Oregon voters have been clear – across party lines – that we want an end to big money politics.

Unfortunately, Oregon lawmakers and big spenders appear equally aligned – across party lines and

interests – that you'll do whatever you can to avoid this. Since the Oregon legislature got rid of

campaign finance limits over a half century ago, this body has managed to dodge them ever since, and

only finally agreed to reforms last year, when faced with the imminent likelihood that voters would

pass stricter reforms at the ballot. It's ironic that in these politically polarized times, lawmakers are still

able to work across the aisle to undermine campaign finance reform.

Thank you for rejecting this bill.