

Submitter:	David Parker
On Behalf Of:	Oregon voters
Committee:	House Committee On Rules
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	HB4018

Dan Meek from HEO, in the very limited time he had to review the amendment, has already identified nine significant, substantive changes and expects he may find more. He concludes in his written testimony that this amendment comes “very close to repealing the contribution limits and disclosure requirements” that were initially part of HB 4024. We voters want real campaign contribution limits. The voters of Oregon have repeatedly, and by overwhelming majorities, voted for real, effective campaign finance reform. Such reform doesn’t selectively favor one class of donors over another. Please reject HB 4018-6 and involve the campaign finance reform community in amending this bill, including Honest Elections Oregon, League of Women Voters of Oregon, Common Cause, the Consolidated Oregon Indivisible Network (COIN), Campaign Legal Center, the Independent Party of Oregon, Oregon Progressive Party, and Pacific Green Party, among others.