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

My name is Barbra Cantone and I live in Portland. I am writing to testify in strong support of SB 1509, which is a good governance bill that seeks to add additional security measures to our election process to ensure that presidential electors in Oregon vote faithfully and in alignment with the public's will as it relates to the President of the United States.

Faithless electors are an existential threat to our democracy. Oregon needs to follow the lead of other states that have proactively enacted legislation to guarantee that the will of the people will be faithfully represented by our chosen electors.

I urge to support SB 1509's passage and to immediately act to pass it out of committee.

Thank you,
Barbra Cantone