

Submitter: Ralph Thomas

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1509

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

My name is Ralph Thomas and I live in Ashland, Oregon. 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.

This legislation is urgently needed. Without this legislation Oregon electors may be coerced by bribery or compromised in other ways. The president of the USA has demonstrated on numerous occasions he will do literally anything to maintain his grip on the office, including subverting the outcome of an election. This legislation will help block his unscrupulous conduct.

I want to see SB 1509 passed out of committee before the end of the current legislative session.

Thank you,  
Ralph Thomas