

To Chair Williamson and Committee Members,

I cannot urge you enough to vote "No" on HB2927 that support a National Popular Vote!

Should this bill take affect California and New York could run the table on every election due to the size of their populations. Oregon's votes would become irrelevant.

The only way for our vote, and other small states to ever have a chance of participating in future elections is through the Electoral College. The College guarantees overall representation. Just like a baseball game!

The winner isn't the one who scores the most points overall but the team that played and won the best games.

Our country needs the same representation. A country wide representation and not just from a few highly populated states.

Our country is like a body and all parts need to work together. The NPV would limit this to just a couple functioning parts!

The Electoral College promotes synergy!

Synergy- noun:

1. the interaction or cooperation of two or more organizations, substances, or other agents
2. **to produce a combined effect greater than the sum of their separate effects.**

Please vote no and keep Oregon in the game!

Thank You,
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