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We are constituents in District 26; William and Poppy Wyatt, [30320 SW Heater Rd., Sherwood](https://www.google.com/maps/place/30320+SW+Heater+Rd.,+Sherwood,+OR+97139/@45.5888889,-123.0555556,15z). We are writing in support of House Bill 2927 which we understand is scheduled for a work session Thursday at 3:00.

The National Popular Vote Interstate Compact's time has come. This recent quote from Governor Malloy of Connecticut urging his legislature to pass their state's bill regarding the National Popular Vote compact sums up our concern and support, "Last November, our country saw one of the largest disparities in the popular vote since its founding. If we as a nation want to increase voter turnout, we need to not only combat attempts at voter suppression and gerrymandering, but we must also sign onto this compact creating a coalition of states that will award all of their electoral votes to the candidate chosen by the people. Every American deserves to have their vote counted equally for the highest office in the country. A citizen's vote from one state should not be worth more than that of another citizen who lives in a different state. An equal vote for every American citizen, regardless of which state they happen to live in, is the fairest and most democratic way to go."

We support Oregon joining the 11 states and the District of Columbia who have already passed legislation to cast their electoral votes to the winner of the popular vote in the presidential election. We urge your support and swift passage of HB2927 so that it can go on to the Senate.

Respectfully,
William and Poppy Wyatt

Sent from my iPad