Hello,

I'm writing to you in support of HB 2927. I strongly support Oregon joining the National Popular Vote Interstate Compact.

My reasons are simple.

1. Hillary Clinton won the popular vote by 3,000,000 votes...and yet lost the Electoral College vote. It was a travesty of democracy.

2. The Electoral College vote may have served a purpose when it was instituted, but it is archaic and unnecessary.

3. Over time, the Electoral College has been hijacked, and it no **longer provides proportional representation for Oregonians.**

4. By joining the National Popular Vote Interstate Compact, we will guarantee that the President is elected by U.S. citizens, and not by gerrymandered Congressional Districts, or the rounding errors that are inevitable in a "winner-take-all-system".

I know that the Oregon House has previously approved this legislation. And I urge you to, once again, pass this out of committee for a full House vote.

My name is Luisa Simone, and I live in Portland, OR (97215).

Thank you, Luisa

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