

Testimony in Support of HB 2927

House Committee on Rules

May 18, 2017

Chair Williamson and Members of the Committee,

I am writing as a law student at Lewis & Clark and an Oregonian to express my support for HB 2927.

The Interstate Compact for Agreement Among the States to Elect the President by National Popular Vote ensures that one person equals one vote. This fundamental principle of democracy means that every person's vote has equal weight, and that regardless of which state a person votes in, all voters have an equal impact on the outcome of the Presidential Election.

Please join me in supporting the bipartisan and constitutional¹ HB 2927.

Thank you so much for working to make our democracy stronger!

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¹ Article II, Section 1 of the Constitution, provides that: "Each State shall appoint, in such manner as the legislature thereof may direct, a Number of Electors..." Therefore, Oregon can select Electors.