

Though I can't attend today's hearing in person, I would like to submit the following written testimony in favor of HB2927, and in opposition to SB825. Please submit my testimony to the Senate Rules Committee.

I am strongly in favor of the Oregon legislature passing HB2927 to join other states to form a National Popular Vote Compact to result in presidential elections being decided by the people of the entire United States, instead of a few swing states influenced and targeted by months of advertising and massive amounts of campaign money and outside influence. It is time for the President of this great country to be elected by the people using a process where each person's vote counts and is equal in electoral value.

Since SB825 would refer the matter to the voters as a measure, it would subject it to a big money advertising campaign funded by interests outside the state of Oregon. We need the legislature to act on its own by passing HB2927. Please pass HB2927 as is and put SB825 on the shelf.

Very sincerely,
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