Senators,

As a life long citizen of Oregon and a reliable voter, I urge you to support HB2927 WITHOUT REFERRAL.

This matter has not been referred to voters in any other state and is the responsibility of the legislature.

Special Elections attract very few voters but would present an opportunity for out of State money to be used to distort and lie about what NPV would accomplish. This would further confuse, demoralize and discourage voters about all political issues.

It is hard to understand why an Oregon legislator would be opposed to a bill that could ultimately result in every Oregonian's Presidential vote counting. In the last 5 Presidential elections my vote has counted in only two elections.

For some voters their votes counted in none of those elections.

Does this make sense that we are still utilizing a method that was designed in part to keep slave states in the Union by letting them count their slaves as 3/5 of a person and which discourages voter participation?

Marilyn Schulz 4096 Coltsfoot Lane Lake Oswego, OR 97035 503-705-4983