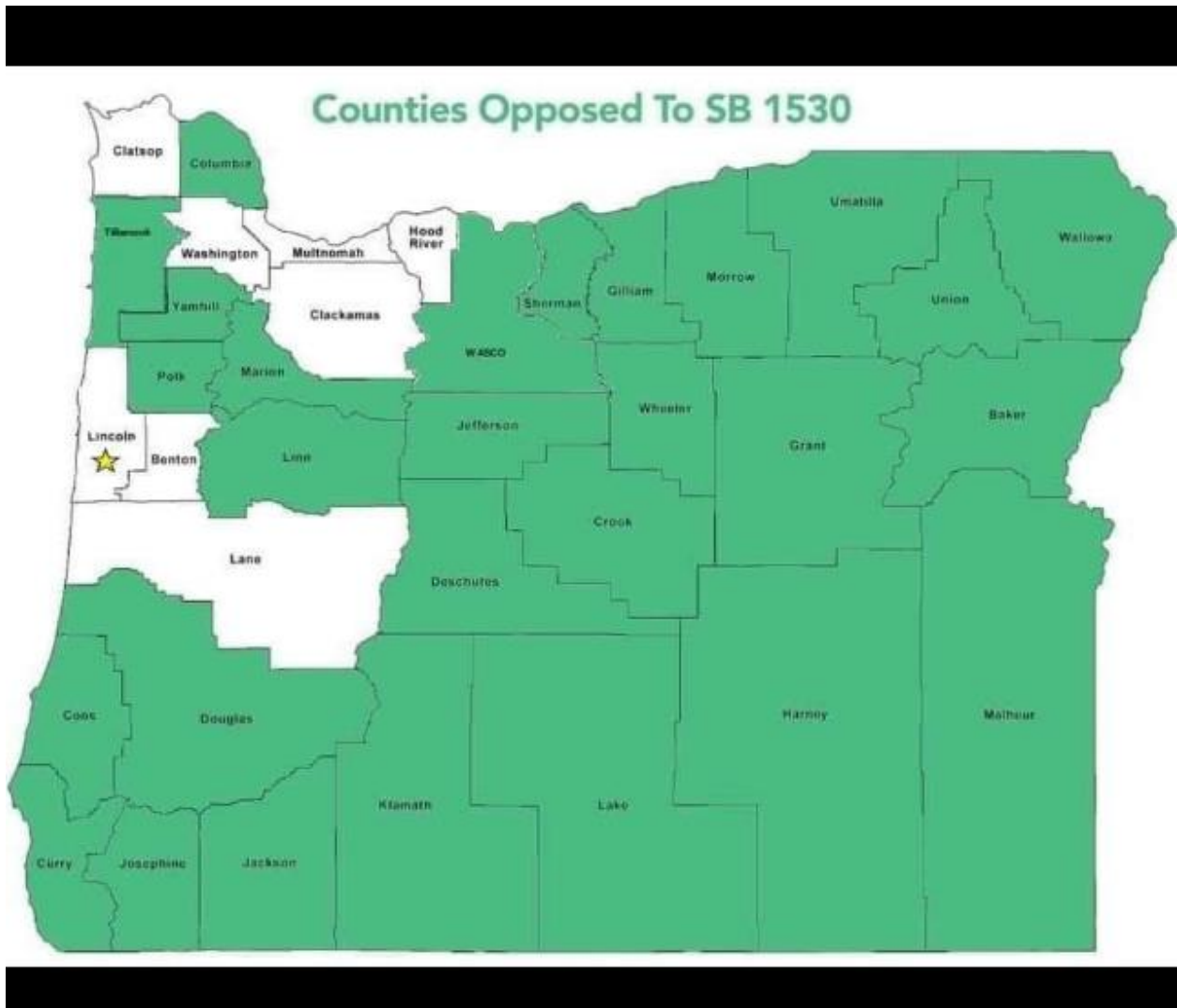


With supermajority comes abuse of power. There is no longer a desire to listen to any other voice or opinion. There is no desire for compromise. There is no desire to listen to the minority or “perceived” minority, but in the case of cap and trade, the majority want to vote on it-Dems, Navs, & Republicans. However, the Dems have dug in their heels, and won’t listen to anyone who doesn’t agree with them—even if it is the majority outside the walls of the capitol. There is no longer a desire to approach compromise with a goal of good legislation. There are no longer any checks and balances. Without a quorum, to help the supermajority from steamrolling over a diverse legislative body, the supermajority can do as they please, approve their own agenda, instead of one that is representative. Removing the quorum requirement removes the voice of the party and voters.

The Dems say only 4 states require 2/3 quorum, let’s be like the rest of the states instead and just have majority. Then the Dems contradict themselves and say, let’s not be like the rest of the states, let’s be like CA and shove through the cap and trade. Keep the 2/3 quorum, it holds the lawmakers accountable and prevents narcissistic dictatorship.

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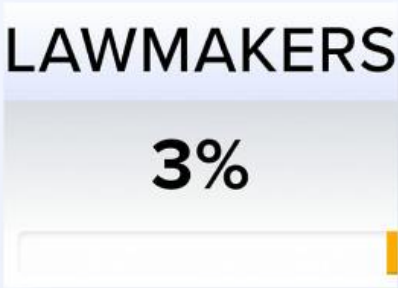




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