

To whom it concerns,

I want an independent, nonpartisan commission to draw up the redistricting lines for Oregon. This commission would make fair decisions based on data, not political interest.

Regardless of which party holds the majority in Oregon, I believe most voters would agree that a nonpartisan commission makes best sense to draw up the districts.

Every party complains when their opposing party holds majority, so this is a great opportunity to take the control away from supermajorities and place it into the hands of a fair commission.

I understand more than 20 states have already elected to do just that, including California and Washington.

Let's stop living in the "dark ages," so to speak, and move into a mature state that doesn't allow politicians to control their votes.

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