

To the Senate Committee on Rules,

My name is Joseph Ycaza and I strongly support SB 785. During the last two presidential elections, Oregon has not played a significant role in choosing the nominee during the primaries and as such voters are given few candidates to choose from by the time they are able to vote. I believe moving the election up, ideally to Super Tuesday, would greatly improve the choices that voters have and allow Oregon to play a more significant role in national elections. I support the passage of this bill and believe that it is a bipartisan way to improve Oregon's standing in electoral politics. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Joseph