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This country needs Ranked choice voting right now. Ranked choice voting has the potential to weaken divides along party lines, and to help us elect individuals with broad appeal. Our current systems of choosing elected officials have increased party polarization, and supplied us with some of the most unpopular fringe candidates in this country's history. It kills me that have to reduce my complex and nuanced opinion into a vote for one candidate. I won't go into all of the benefits of RCV, but there are many. I'm strongly in support of RCV.