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On Behalf Of:  
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Measure: HB3625

It is a sad thing that so much information is circulating regarding what Article V actually is, its history and its purpose. I am pleased that the wording of HB 3625 is accurate. Article V allows for an Amendments Convention not a Constitutional Convention. We at COSA are neutral on this matter. However, going forward we will meet again as the Oregon Team works to educate legislators and their constituents on what we seek: 1) Reign in the scope, power and jurisdiction of the Federal Government; 2) Impose fiscal restraints on the Fed, taxing and spending; 3) Impose term limits on congress, the federal judiciary and unelected bureaucrats. By using the Constitution to save the Constitution we want to bring the power back tenth states which are intended to be sovereign. COSA does not align with any other initiatives seeking a convention nor do we include them in our numbers as falsely stated yesterday.