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On Behalf Of:

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House Committee On Rules

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I am writing today in SUPPORT of this resolution. The existing rules for gathering signatures permit an excessive number of petitions to qualify for a vote. This system enables proposals that garner support from only a small fraction of Oregonians to be considered and occasionally approved. Implementing the changes outlined in this resolution would lead to fewer initiatives that do not reflect the broader interests of the state. Ultimately, passing this bill would empower Oregon voters to determine its effectiveness. Legislators should back this initiative to ensure that the decision rests with the voters of Oregon. Please vote YES.