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Hello, and happy new year to you all,

My name is Colin Vettier and I live in Portland. I am testifying in support of LD 1578, "An Act to Adopt an Interstate Compact to Elect the President of the United States by National Popular Vote". I believe that as our Democratic values appear eroded, and more voters are disillusioned, the Popular Vote would help rekindle the voters interests and trust.

Maine needs the National Popular Vote because it is nonpartisan and works within the Electoral College. It gives candidates a reason to campaign in all 50 states, even Maine, because every voter, in every state, will be politically relevant in every presidential election. Please support LD 1578. Thank you for the opportunity to testify.