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Dear Members of the Maine Legislature,

On behalf of the groups signed below, we urge you to pass National Popular Vote in Maine during the upcoming legislative session and make it a priority of your policy agenda.

For too long, action on this important election reform has been stalled and stymied despite bipartisan support.

Maine now has an unprecedented opportunity to act on this important proposal so we can join the 16 other states and the District of Columbia that already have passed National Popular Vote into law.

National Popular Vote ensures every vote will count equally in presidential elections and that the candidate with the most popular votes will be elected president.

The current broken system causes unnecessary division and mistrust, leads to needless recounts and endless litigation, and the candidate with the most votes does not always win.

We can change that by enacting National Popular Vote, which will also make our government more responsive, accountable, and answer to ALL Maine citizens.

We, the undersigned groups, endorse moving to a National Popular Vote and strongly encourage you to pass this legislation to protect our democracy, ensure all votes are equal and ensure the candidate with the most votes wins every time.



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Strengthening the fabric of our community

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