

I support LD 252 “An Act to Withdraw from the National Popular Vote Compact” and LD 1373 “An Act to Repeal the National Popular Vote Compact.”

Primarily a “compact” without Congressional consent is unconstitutional.

The Electoral College is designed so that all states can participate in Presidential elections.

Maine has the unique distinction by splitting our four electoral votes during a Presidential election. Two for the popular vote winner, and one electoral vote each for the popular vote winner in CD 1 and CD 2.

This system allows our vast rural areas to have their say in the Presidential election.

The National Popular Vote compact dilutes our state’s say in determining a President, as larger urban population centers will determine a President, and our four electoral votes will be cast accordingly.

Mainers will lose our voice.

I support LD 252 and LD 1373 and they “ought to pass.”

Thank you,

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