

An Invitation to Engage around Electoral Reform: From the Privy Council Office/Government of Canada

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Hello, my name is Derek Alton from Waterloo, Ontario, traditional land of the Haudenosaunee. I am working with the Government of Canada's Democratic Reform group to support national consultations on [potential changes to the federal electoral system](#).

This is a topic that affects everyone because it will influence how people engage with government and the type of actions that they take. I'm reaching out to let you know about opportunities for you and your community members to contribute your voice to this historic dialogue on the future of Canada's democracy.

- Would you be open to **sharing information** about electoral reform with your community through your newsletter, mailing list, social media channels and/or on your website?
 - If so, we'd be happy to support you with whatever information you need.
- Do you have any **events** planned, or are you interested in planning an event related to electoral reform for your community? If so:
 - The Minister of Democratic Institutions and the Parliamentary Secretary are interested in personally attending events across Canada. If you would like to invite either of them, please let me know.
 - We're also offering to promote your event on [our calendar of events](#) once you've picked a date.
 - Don't feel overwhelmed, we're here to support you! There are useful [materials readily available to help anyone interested in hosting an event on electoral reform](#).
- Do you have any **suggestions or ideas** on how we might work together to raise awareness of and engagement in electoral reform amongst your community?
 - If so, feel free to get in touch and we can explore them together.

Please feel free to share this email with others who might be interested.

Warm regards,
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