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**KEEP MY VOICE ANNOUNCES 2020 INITIATIVE,
OPTS FOR NON-SUBMISSION FOR CURRENT PETITION**

LEHI, UT — April 13, 2018 — Keep My Voice (KMV), a nonprofit group that advocates to preserve and strengthen Utah’s Neighborhood Caucuses, has decided not to submit petition signatures to be validated for their Freedom of Association Initiative.

While other groups began collecting signatures as early as the summer of 2017, Keep My Voice started mid-February. “We knew when we started the petition process it would be an uphill climb. But, we recognized the urgency to inform Utahns about the great benefits Neighborhood Caucuses offer to our communities and the harm Count My Vote is doing to our state politics,” said Keep My Voice Co-Founder and Director Brandon Beckham.

Dave Bateman, also a Keep My Voice Co-Founder, expressed, “What we accomplished in just two short months has exceeded all expectation. The outpouring of support from both Republicans, Democrats and unaffiliated voters has demonstrated the passion Utahns feel for the Caucus-Convention System. We are now well organized, funded and poised to defend the Freedom of Association for all Utah’s political parties.”

Keep My Voice has made significant strides in educating citizens about how the Caucus-Convention System gives every neighborhood a strong representative voice, removes big money from elections and holds elected officials accountable.

Support has poured in from across the Beehive state for the KMV movement. “We want to thank the Utah Republican State Central Committee, county party leaders and the army of passionate volunteers sharing our message. They believe restoring Utah’s Neighborhood Caucuses is worth fighting for,” says Beckham. “This is just the beginning. Keep My Voice is already preparing to launch a new initiative in 2020.”

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