

## Proportional Representation

### Description

With 41 democracies on the planet, all but the US & Canada use this system, which is a percentage of the lesser votes for parties or candidates are represented in the makeup of the elected government (with a threshold for how low it goes). In the US & Canada, it's winner take all – anything over 50%. So the actual will of the people isn't considered.

Winner takes it all

That's our system now

But it really sucks

When we vote

US & Canada

Are the holdouts here

Everywhere else

You will win a vote

CHORUS:

We need pro-por-tional

Representation

Gives the smaller

sectors still a share

Fifty percent

Shouldn't take the

Whole thing

What about

the other votes in there?

2) On our planet

39 are countries

Where the voter

Is the voice that wins

Only 2 ignore the

People's choice

US – Canada

A real sin!

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3) If democracy

Is the best of all

Then we need to

Give all voter's voice

They win less amounts

In election counts

But they know it is

The fairest choice.

### Category

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**Tune** : Sound The Battle Cry

**Gaggle** : Kingston

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