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- 1.) It seems extremely odd that anyone would see a reason for OHA to be involved in voter registration. It's even more odd than the highly questionable practice of adding voter registration to the tasks of DMV. I won't go to DMV for healthcare. I won't go to my county clerk for a driver's license or to register my car! Every county has a Clerk and Clerks Office for the purpose of registering to vote. Conflating tasks just invites errors. Or Fraud. Don't. approve this foolish idea.
- 2.) Only citizens are supposed to vote. If, as this appears to be written, OHA is forbidden in this proposed legislation to transfer records that would show that a person is NOT a citizen, this sets up a system that will not, nor cannot, be monitored. Ergo, the motive seems highly questionable. Don't approve letting non-citizens be registered to vote before they become citizens. It would seem SOS Fagan wishes to ignore our Constitution. Oops! Best re-think!
- 3.) Relative to a recently tabled item, SB 579, felons (citizens or not) lose their rights to vote until their terms are served. This proposed "pilot program at Powder River Correctional Facility" looks like an effort to circumvent said forfeiture. I'm disgusted by the whole proposal. Please make room in the 'round file' for HB 2107 and SB 579. Don't resurrect either bill.