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Committee: House Committee on Rules  
Measure: HB 2107

Honorable Chair Fahey, Vice Chair Breese-Iverson, Vice Chair Kropf and Members of the Committee

I am writing in Opposition of HB 2107 for the following reasons:

- The Oregon Health Authority deals with people's physical and mental health. The Oregon Health Plan, provides health coverage for low-income people. Both organizations hold people's sensitive, personal and private information. It would **violate HIPPA laws** for either organization to share personal information with the elections office.
- It's the Secretary of State's responsibility for managing Oregon's elections  
\* **OHA & OHP must not provide personal data for registering people to vote.**\*
- To collect digital images of people's signature is a **gross violation of privacy**.
- Using digital images of peoples' signatures, especially without their participation or permission, puts the people of this state at risk for **identity fraud**. There have already been multiple breaches of data at the state level.
- "No technical evidence exists that any internet voting technology is safe or can be made so in the foreseeable future; rather, all research performed to date demonstrates the opposite." <sup>1</sup>

For these reasons and more, I urge you to **VOTE NO on HB 2107**.

Thank you,  
Elaine Woods

1. "AAAS EPI Center letter to Colorado Legislators Regarding Internet Voting" written by the American Assoc. for the Advancement of Science's (AAAS) Center for Scientific Evidence in Public Issues and the U.S. Technology Policy Committee of the Association for Computing Machinery.