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On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	House Committee On Rules
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	HB3470

Dear Chair and Members of the Committee,

I am writing to express my strong support for House Bill 3470, which addresses the vital issue of verifying voter registration information to ensure that only U.S. citizens participate in Oregon elections.

Oregon has long been a leader in expanding voter access, making it easier for citizens to participate in our democracy. However, it is equally important that we ensure the integrity of our elections. House Bill 3470 provides a reasonable and necessary mechanism for confirming that individuals registered to vote are indeed U.S. citizens, as required by law. This bill will help safeguard our electoral process while maintaining the accessibility and inclusivity that Oregon is known for.

As a state, we must take every step possible to ensure that our election system is free of fraudulent activity. By implementing stronger verification measures, we not only reinforce public trust in the system but also affirm our commitment to upholding the rights of U.S. citizens.

House Bill 3470 offers a balanced approach to addressing concerns about voter eligibility without creating unnecessary barriers to legitimate voters. By enhancing the verification process for new and existing registrants, this bill strikes the right balance between ensuring eligibility and preserving our democratic ideals.

I urge the committee to support House Bill 3470 and take this important step toward ensuring the integrity of Oregon's elections.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely, Jennifer Brusa