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Mail in voting has been a safe and reliable method of voting for all Oregonians for years. It has had great success and increased voter participation turnout, and there is virtually zero evidence of fraud. Taking this away is silly, as it would effectively undermine our laws and independent system of voting, making it less accessible and needlessly complicated for people who work or cannot vote in person on election day. Time, availability, and transportation can be a barrier to in person voting, and less participation makes for a less democratic system. The purpose of this is clearly making an effort to suppress the will of the people and make voting more difficult and less accessible. It is a power grab, that's all. This measure should be rejected wholeheartedly.