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I see no reason to change our current system of voting by mail. The system permits those with disabilities and the elderly who are unable to travel easily, those with unforgiving work schedules such as first responders and caretakers, and those who may be forced to stay home due to injury/illness/obligation to an ill loved one the ability to vote and make their voice heard despite the barriers a traditional in-person voting system may provide. Long lines, limited locations, hours that conflict with work schedules, would all cause issue for voters. As someone who moved here from a vote in-person state, vote-by-mail is a fat better system and there is no reason to completely upend and change it.

The current system should remain in place, and not be replaced.