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Like most things in life, what works for most is opposed by the few. For one party, any party, to oppose mail in voting means one thing: they're losing. Suppression of votes is one way to move forward unpopular public policy for the benefit of the few and to the detriment of the masses. For the GOP, any negative election result has to be wrought with fraud. It can't be their policies? Right? This Oregon voter and those in my family all prefer mail in voting over any other method. We vote. We participate. Mail in Voting makes that happen. If anything, Mail in Voting increases participation. Isn't that what we strive for in an election? Or, is an election an opportunity for one party to stifle the voices of the electorate? Eliminating Mail in Voting will not increase participation, will silence the electorate and will not eliminate fraud. When the GOP loses another election, they will find something else to blame and endeavor to eliminate that, too.

In conclusion, eliminating Mail in Voting would surely be the first domino to fall en route to eliminating elections all together. Just what the GOP wants.

Thank you,

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