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This bill is not suitable for Oregon and not compatible with Democracy. I and my family am not in favor of, or in agreement with, this bill.

What we have now works and works well. Without mail in ballots, consider the logistical and financial nightmare of having 4.2 million people taking a day off to overwhelm polling booths. Does Senator David Brock Smith have a plan to establish and run more polling facilities? Apparently not. The bill shows that it, "May Have Fiscal Impact, But No Statement Yet Issued." That unknown impact is not acceptable. The fiscal impact is surely not zero. Oregon had the lowest Cost of Voting Index value in 2024 with universal mail-in ballots. Does Senator Smith have a plan to cover the additional cost to push us to the other end of the Index? Apparently not.

For the sake of Democracy, kill this bill.