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SB210

I strongly support SB 210 because it prioritizes election security and transparency while emphasizing voter accessibility for all Oregonians. By making in-person voting the standard, this bill ensures that every voter's identity is verified, reducing the risk of fraud and enhancing trust in election outcomes. It guarantees that individuals who cannot vote in person—such as those with disabilities, illnesses, or other limitations—can still participate through a secure vote-by-mail option. Military personnel and overseas voters are also accommodated, ensuring their voices are heard regardless of location. Additionally, SB 210 streamlines ballot processing and reduces costs associated with mail-in voting, ensuring efficient use of taxpayer dollars. This legislation is a crucial step toward safeguarding the integrity of our elections and reinforcing public confidence in our electoral system.