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Committee: Senate Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB210

Thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony on SB 210.

Mail-in voting works. It increases voter turnout, builds trust in our election system, and has no evidence of widespread fraud. Therefore, this bill is an attempt to "fix" problems that do not exist.

I oppose the requirement for in-person voting. As an elderly Oregonian with intermittent back trouble which is at times disabling, the requirement for in-person voting may make it impossible for me to vote.

I oppose the requirement for picture ID, which is a blatant attempt at voter suppression. Again, this measure "solves" a non-existent problem, as there is no evidence of fraud in any quantity that would affect any Oregon election.

This bill would create significant increased costs for rural counties especially, if they build accessible voting facilities, as they must if this bill were to pass. And larger cities do not have enough voting booths either.

Vote NO in committee on this appalling and wasteful bill.