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If it ain't broke, don't fix it. Oregon's vote by mail system is extremely popular and well used. It makes it easy and convenient for people to vote from home. Our current system enables our state to have one of the highest rates of public participation, which **should** be what the government wants.

Before moving to Oregon in 2006, I never voted. I couldn't get the time off work, the system was confusing and inconvenient. I felt disconnected from my government. But I've voted in every election since. Vote by mail helps remove barriers to voting and provides Oregon's diverse residents with diverse needs a safe, simple and effective method for participating in our democracy.

I strongly oppose this change to our currently functioning system.