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We should be doing all we can to encourage every eligible person to vote in every election. Doing away with voting by mail will do just the opposite, as it will make it more difficult for everyone to vote. We are the United States of America, but never since the Civil War have we been so divided. That division has been built almost entirely on fears brought about by people believing absolutely false information, such as voting by mail somehow leads to widespread voter fraud. There is absolutely no data to back up that assertion, yet it has been made so many times that a great deal of people believe it. And, because we are currently so divided, we should be focusing on how we become more united once again, because the notion that "United we stand. Divided we fall" is quite true and we are not too far from the latter part of that statement. Casting undue suspicion on our fellow citizens simply because they support mail in ballots does nothing but further add to the already deeply tragic divide in our country - making us more vulnerable to those who have long shown hatred for our country. Please do not support abolishing mail in voting! Stand up for truth and unity. Not for lies and further division!