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I certainly oppose any effort to eliminate vote by mail in Oregon. Vote by mail has increased participation in Oregon elections, and proved to be a big success. There have been very few isolated instances of problems. The party out of power in Oregon would love to limit the ability of democrats to vote. Vote by mail has been so successful that it is impossible to mount a reasonable argument for eliminating it. Its so great to be able to sit down at home and vote. It allows one time to check the voters pamphlet, and research any issues that need further elucidation.