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We must protect Oregon's vote-by-mail system from being corrupted by those who want to suppress our votes.

Authoritarian regimes try to keep us from voting. The MAGA regime wants to rewrite the rules to block us from voting because they know that when we all participate, we elect leaders who work for us, not just the rich and powerful. They know that most Americans support things like higher wages, affordable healthcare, and strong public schools, so instead of winning our votes, they want to stop us from casting them. They would like to make it more difficult for veterans, seniors, students, and working families to vote because they don't want us to have a say in decisions that affect our lives. The government already has the information it needs to determine who is eligible to vote — the Trump voter suppression order and SB 210 are just more attempts to add a hurdle meant to keep certain people out.

This bill should die on the vine.

Thank you.