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It is well known and documented that mail in ballots are subject to fraud. If we really want election integrity and trust in the system, we need 1 day voting on election day, with required ID and registration to vote needs to show proof of citizenship and residency. Votes are counted on election day at the precinct with observers. We cannot have votes being counted for several days if not weeks. Exceptions for absentee ballots should be made for those that it creates a significant burden, e.g. elderly, significant disability, etc. I have seen people admit to voter fraud by submitting more than one ballot, but nothing happens. We have non-citizens being registered to vote, then nothing stopping them from voting. Having people automatically get registered to vote at the DMV just serves to add to mailed ballots without intent to vote which creates the opportunity for stuffing the ballot box. Claiming that the small number of illegal votes does not impact the election is just an excuse to continue business as usual.