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What an interesting idea is being proposed....to end a voting process that has nearly half a century of proven worth and expediency for the populace and voters of Oregon!!

Of course, as a voter in Oregon for 55 years, and a strong proponent of this "mail-in ballot" process, I am going to protest your transparent effort to strip this right from all Oregonians. You won't be interested at all in my reasons for loving the mail-in ballot system, and for striving to preserve it. Any convenience to me, any strengthening of our democratic process, any inclusion of those who can't get to the polls on a particular day (and it boggles the mind to think of how you are going to mess with any special day or place for voting in our future) will fall on deaf ears (yours and those of your cohorts) because what you want to do with this proposal is all too transparent. You want to make it HARD to impossible for many of us to vote. You think that the system, as is, somehow favors Democrats, and by changing the system, you will change the outcome of who gets elected.

I doubt that your reasoning is sound, but it's safest to stop you by stopping this stupid bill. I totally opppose this measure!

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