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We need to maintain our current system of voting by mail. This makes voting much more accessible to all. As a young person, a new mother, a busy working woman...all the roles I have taken on in my life thus far...I would have been less likely to have been able to vote if I had to go in-person on the day of the election. In addition, in our current system, I have been able to be a much more informed voter as I am able to carefully look through the voter's pamphlet, view candidates' websites, research issues and terms, etc. as I am voting in the comfort of my own home. People can take the time to research things in our current system, which would not happen if we need to vote on-the-spot on Election Day. Please do not repeal our current system of voting by mail. It will only serve to reduce our state's numbers of active, informed, and engaged voters. Thank you.