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To the members of the Senate Committee of the Oregon Legislature,

I'm writing in support of Senate Bill 210. I have been voting in Oregon elections since 1977 and have deliberately observed how elections are conducted since that date. I also served as a Republican Precinct staff person working at my local precinct on election day checking voter identity and handing a ballot to each legal Republican voter for at least two elections in the late 1970's before Oregon adopted mail-in ballots for all of our elections.

Many studies have been done regarding the accuracy and reliability of mail-in voting, especially focussing on the fact that mail-in voting is the voting method most prone to voter fraud, which Americans across the country have observed in multiple elections. Buildings in Oregon which are not a private residence have had multiple voter registrations for multiple different fraudulent voters, documented to that non-residential building, all of these ballots are illegal, but they still get counted until investigators take the time to discover they are fraudulent ballots.

Oregonians are fed up with this farce, we are sick of the fraud. Mail-in voting has resulted in such bad governance that a huge area of the state wants to become part of Idaho. That doesn't happen when a state is governed by intelligent, and superior leaders. And we are sick and tired of having the far-left Marxist fringe of Oregon's Democratic Party gaining elected office when no one can be 100% sure all votes were cast by lawful means. Oregon is a laughing stock, we are the pariah of the 50 states. I read comments from news sites in London, and across the US, and our reputation in all these diverse places has hit below rock bottom. The insults hurled at Oregon and Oregonians are horrendous and the blame can be laid at the feet of the far-left Democrats' extreme deviation from common sense policies which have harmed the unique, melting pot of people who call Oregon home. Oregon deserves much better, and legal voter I.D. presented at a local polling site with one-day elections with verified legal voters voting in person is a huge step in the right direction to rebuild Oregon's reputation as a beautiful and dynamic state full of possibilities and achievements worth promoting.

Oregon needs to return to its original voting practices, voters at their local precincts presenting legal I.D. and voting on site at the polling location, allowing only legal U.S. citizens to vote, on one official election day. When I served on the election board in the late 1970's, we closed our polling place at 8 p.m. on the dot. We arrived at our local county elections office and delivered our ballot box before 8:30 p.m. As a child,

I remember seeing adults casting their votes at my school and it made a big impression on me, it showed me how important it is for each citizen to take the time to vote and select the leaders of towns, states and federal government. Mail-in voting makes voting seem insignificant and unimportant. It is critical that Oregon return to our voting procedures prior to 1980, permanently revoking mail-in voting.