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Voting by mail is vital to maximize democratic participation in our elections. It allows for the largest amount of citizens to have their voice heard on their terms. They can vote when it best fits their schedule. It also gives us plenty of time to research the items on the ballot and be an informed voter. I can speak as a night shift worker that it would be extremely difficult to vote in person as I would have to go stand in line at a voting for hours when I should be sleeping. Not to mention it would also adversely affect my work possibly causing a safety issue. Voting by mail allows me to have my voice heard by my ballot when it is most feasible to me and it respects the time of myself and other citizens. I strongly encourage this bill to not go through. It would drastically hurt our state and our people.