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I oppose this legislation. Voting by mail allows all citizens the opportunity to express their constitutional right to vote. There are many barriers to voting in person for many Oregonians and voting by mail removes many of these. Voting by mail allows for greater participation in our democracy, isn't that what we all want? If you vote yes on this legislation, you are voting to deny participation for many of our citizens! You are not doing anything to protect voting rights as they already exist! Non-citizens cannot vote, cannot receive a ballot by mail, and it is extremely difficult to fake or cheat the system. Mail in voting has proven to be safe and successful. It promotes participation in our beautiful democracy. Don't hinder Oregonians constitutional right to vote