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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

Senate Committee On Rules

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As a working parent, I have come to rely on voting by mail. It gives me the flexibility to research and vote at my convenience and allows me to educate my children on the democratic process. Furthermore, voting in person is not feasible for all residents of Oregon, most especially those whose work hours are irregular or not flexible. Unless the state is also going to make Election Day a holiday for all workers, or require all employers to provide paid time off to vote, this bill is a clear act of voter suppression by Republicans in a state that historically votes Democratic. I strongly oppose the measure and implore the committee to uphold the current vote by mail process, which has produced a very high rate of voter turnout and very little (if any) voter fraud. Thank you for your time.