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Committee:	Senate Committee On Rules
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	SB210
Testimony	

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Senate Committee on Rules: Vote NO on SB210, concocted to destroy automatic mail-in voting.

Vote by mail is the cornerstone of our democracy, and should be automatic for every State in the Union. The concept of waiting in lines to vote in high school cafeterias or an armory or an Elks lodge by inserting cards into a machine and pulling levers, or tapping responses on a decades-old computer screen is third-world archaic. The Republican Party wants everything archaic to make it easier to infiltrate, meddle in, and steal. They want Stormtroopers <sup>™</sup> to stand guard outside voting places to intimidate and crush dissent. They want to destroy vote by mail in Oregon simply because they want to destroy democracy. This aggression will not stand.

Signed, Bryan Westby March 31, 2025