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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

Senate Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

SB210

Dear Oregon Senators,

It astonishing to us that our excellent, pioneering VBM system is once again under attack by Republicans. As pro democracy Oregonians we wholeheartedly support our current VBM system and we demand rejection of this preposterous effort to gut it. Our all mail, paper ballot based voting is the envy of other states and routinely leads to very high participation compared to other systems. Our paper ballots facilitate auditing and recounts. In home voting prevents waiting in lines, and gives everyone a chance to consult our voters pamphlets carefully in an unrushed environment. Signature verification adheres to the best scientific methods and permits curing if necessary. Ballots are not mailed to ineligible voters. For some bizarre reason Republicans keep attacking our system and inventing problems based on nonsense and scare mongering. WE SAY "NO"! Hands off our convenient, accountable, proven system that makes voting easy for all citizens of Oregon, rural and urban, old and young. Thank you for thwarting this new version of the tired, worn out Republican war on voting rights.

Thank you,

Ginny Ross, #IndivisibleBeaverton