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I oppose eliminating mail in voting for the state of Oregon residents. Free and fair elections are the basis of this Republic and eliminating any access to voting for qualified persons is a violation of our constitutional rights that empower said Republic. Voting on one single day, in person, at assigned locations is restrictive and prohibitive for many citizens. That just is not an efficient or effective means of operating an election today. Oregon has repeatedly had some the highest turnouts in the nation with some of the lowest verified rates of error or fraud. That is a result of mail in voting and the processes that define it. We should be proud of it and empower it, not eliminate it.