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If the idea is to have a democracy where the general public has a hand in how we choose to govern ourselves, we should want the greatest engagement as reasonably possible in the form of voting. Making voting more difficult, ESPECIALLY for persons who have been regularly marginalized due to time constraints, leads to the opposite of an engaged public, and the eventual demise of democracy as only those who can "afford" to vote, are able to vote.

I strongly oppose the idea decreasing access to voting, which would absolutely be the outcome of removing Oregon's Vote-By-Mail.