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Senate Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

SB210

I oppose SB 210 and will oppose any measure that might alter the excellent, transparent, and convenient vote by mail system in Oregon.

Voting by mail has made it possible for me to vote, despite the demands of being a parent with a full-time job. Carving out time to drive, park, stand in line, and cast my vote in the middle of an already demanding schedule, would make voting a huge stretch.

The intention of voting is to give people a voice, to allow us to participate in a democratic society, and have a say in what will govern our lives. Taking away systems that give people access to voting, without causing them undue hardship, goes squarely against this intention.

Oregon's election process is a model to be replicated in other states. Stand up to the executive order. Oppose SB210.

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