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Before I moved to Oregon three years ago I was a poll worker in two presidential elections in California. Poll workers are paid for training and Election Day. There was much information, a variety of ballots, and many staff needed for each polling place. In my last election there three poll workers did not show up and a suspicious, so called, volunteer wanted to help. Personally, I voted by mail, to avoid the lines at the polling place.

When I moved here Oregon used the mail in ballot. So sane, so cost effective, so much harder for non citizens to vote. Why take a good, no, superior voting method and replace it with chaos?. Less we forget the hanging chads during the Bush/Gore election.

What is the motive to change this excellent voting method? Sounds like grand standing to me. Appealing to a few, who want standing in poll lines, to the majority who do not have to take off time to vote.