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Thank you for reading my testimony. My name is Amy Nichols, small business owner in Multnomah County.

Once a month I am required to show my ID to purchase spray paint to cover up graffiti that happens on a regular basis in downtown Portland. I laugh each time this happens. I can NOT purchase spray paint without my ID.

You have to have ID to drive, fly, move into a home, rent, medical, drink, smoke even purchase spray paint. It's time our state requires voters ID.

Several Oregonians have lost faith in our election systems even though when we vote "NO" on measure some how the legislation still decides to pass the measure anyways.

Example: CAT tax that Oregonians vote NO on two election cycles. Last cycle we voted NO on rank choice voting state wide but some how its back on the table for discuss this time without the vote of Oregonians.

How about we give Oregonians piece of mind and show that legislations cares what Oregonians really want. You change it anyways without our approval, let us at least vote and have faith in the system with voter ID.

VOTER ID should be required just like every other aspect of our life, we can't function with out an ID. Why should we be allowed to vote without an ID.

Thank You for your time. Please approve SB210 and allow Oregonians to VOTE in person with a valid ID.