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On Behalf Of:
Committee: Senate Committee On Rules
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB210
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To: Oregon Senate

Re: Oregon Legislature (SB 210) Statement of Opposition

Thank you for the opportunity to provide written testimony on SB 210

I am writing to voice my strong opposition to this bill that Makes in-person voting on the date of an election the standard method for conducting an election. There are numerous reasons why in person voting is difficult. Why put up barriers to seniors, active duty military, those with disabilities, parents, workers, and more? As credit to the current system, there is no significant voter fraud to justify a change, increase cost, and once again make it harder for people to vote.

My father, who was wheelchair bound and a born and raised US citizen, was expected to sit in line with no protection from the elements for several hours when in-person voting was required. This was absolutely shameful. Returning to this system is trying to fix a process that ISN'T broken! It's making voting unnecessarily harder and is utterly backwards.

Thank you again for the opportunity to provide feedback.

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