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This bill is disenfranchisement, plain and simple. Vote By Mail has been a cornerstone of Oregon's voting landscape for longer than I've been an eligible voter, resulting in some of the higher turnout numbers in the nation. We know as a society that when more voices are included, more people are taken care of. The right-wing has said for decades that they know they lose when voter turnout rises; this is a clear attempt to silence the vast majority of us who care about our neighbors and don't want to see a rightward slide into fascism go any farther. America's promises are contingent on people being able to vote for their own futures, and any attempt to restrict our access to safe and proven methods of voting is unAmerican. Shame on anyone who proposes or supports this bill.