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Oregon has successfully, and with very few problems, conducted mail-in voting for many years. The only serious issue of which I am aware was someone setting a ballot drop box on fire; I believe, but am not certain, that this happened only once. I worked for Legal Aid for many years, and am aware of many senior and/or disabled voters who were born at home, and do not have birth certificates, and may not have transportation to a voting site to vote in person. Additionally, standing in line for hours at a voting site would be unhealthy for those voters. Rural voters could also be disenfranchised based on transportation issues. Why would we want to "fix" a system that is not "broken"? I am adamantly opposed to this bill. Thank you for allowing testimony.