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SB210

I am writing this testimony in **STRONG** opposition of SB 210. As an Oregonian who works full time and helps out my elderly parents and in-laws, voting in person would be an undue burden on me as a citizen. This would also be a burden to my younger family members with small children who work full time and would find it challenging to vote in person. Voting by mail allows me the time to research each candidate and measure before completing my ballot at my dining room table. I'm a well-informed voter because of mail in voting.

Oregon has had voting by mail for over 30 years and has ranked near the top for voter participation consistently over the years. SB 210 would cause voting numbers to fall significantly. Oregon's mail in voting program had bipartisan support for decades and should **NOT CHANGE**. Do not make it harder for Oregonians to vote!