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On Behalf Of: No More Cheating in Oregon Elections
Committee: Senate Committee On Rules
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB210

YES on SB 210

I wholeheartedly approve of the return to voting according to the Constitution. This bill makes voting in person the normal method for voting, and requires voters to show picture ID when voting or requesting a ballot. But it would still retain mail-in voting for military and overseas voters, as well as those with a mailing address outside Oregon.

It refers the Act to the people for their approval or rejection at the next general election. It also requires electors to present valid government issued identification, when appearing in person to vote or when requesting a ballot to be sent by mail. What makes a voter an Oregon resident without an in-state address? At least it should be registered as temporary address and prohibited if more than six months. It also requires all ballots to be returned by the date of an election.

In person voting will bring back the privilege to be civic minded and a pride in the American process, and eliminate voting by illegal aliens which is unconstitutional. This bill removes a requirement that the state pay postage for ballots returned by mail. The state paid postage has not increased voting as was projected, so taxpayers should not keep footing the bill.

Our election system here in Oregon allows for the voting of non-citizens, which is illegal on the federal level and should be in every state at the state level. This happened with the Oregon Motor Voter Act of 2016 which allowed non-citizens Oregon driver's licenses and automatically registered them to vote.

Only seven other states – and Washington, D.C. – even send mail ballots to all registered voters without requiring them to request one first: California, Colorado, Hawaii, Nevada, Utah, Vermont and Washington. WHY don't the remaining states do this? Because it allows for voter/election fraud.

Let' have identity verification and same-day voting to ensure fair elections.

Please vote YES on SB 210