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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

Senate Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

SB210

I oppose this measure because I believe it will decrease voter participation. When I look at the percentage of voter turnout for general elections in Oregon after 1998, the year mail-in ballots became the standard, the average voter turnout is approximately 75%. When I look at the state I was born in, Wisconsin, the average voter turnout during the same time frame is approximately 61%. I feel very grateful that Oregon is committed to voter participation and making voting accessible. I urge the committee to continue its support of these invaluable democratic principles by opposing SB 210.