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Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB210

Chair, Vice Chairs, and Committee Members,

I strongly support SB 210!

I will share just a couple benefits of ending vote-by-mail:

- Increased Security: Reduces the risk of voter fraud or misdelivery, ensuring a more secure and reliable voting process.
- Faster Results: Counting ballots on election day allows for quicker reporting of results, reducing delays in determining election outcomes.
- Improved Voter Engagement: Encourages voters to participate in person, which can enhance civic engagement and provide more opportunities for education about candidates and issues.
- Reduced Cost: Eliminates the need for mailing and processing absentee ballots, which can be expensive for election authorities.
- More Accurate Voter Roll Maintenance: Reduces the chance of outdated or incorrect voter information, ensuring that in-person voting can better verify eligibility.
- Equal Access: While vote-by-mail can help some voters, in-person voting ensures all voters have the same access to voting locations and ensures that no one is inadvertently excluded.
- Preventing Voter Confusion: In-person voting is often simpler and more straightforward, avoiding confusion about mail-in procedures or deadlines.

Please Support SB 210. Make Oregon an even policial field, it's very ironic that we haven't had a conservative governor since vote by mail started.

Kind Regards, Jessica Davidson