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SB210

I strongly oppose this bill, which would eliminate Oregon's proven vote-by-mail system and require in-person voting on Election Day. For over 20 years, vote-by-mail has made elections secure, accessible, and efficient. It increases voter participation, especially for seniors, rural residents, working parents, and people with disabilities.

Requiring in-person voting creates unnecessary barriers, risks long lines, and makes it harder for many Oregonians to vote. Our current system allows voters to research candidates, ensures ballot security with signature verification and tracking, and has consistently worked without major issues. There is no reason to dismantle a system that has made Oregon a national leader in voter access and election integrity.

Please reject this bill and protect Oregon's trusted vote-by-mail system.