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I have been a resident of Oregon since October of 1991. At first I enjoyed voting at home and then driving to the county election office and dropping off my ballot on election day. However, I did miss the excitement of going to my precinct and voting in person. As the years passed and noting the controversy of ballots being mailed to addresses where the voters have moved and ballots being mailed to non citizens, especially in this state that welcomes and protects illegal aliens, we need to go back to precinct voting and showing our real ID or passport to get a ballot to vote in person. Because I'm in my late 70s, I realize this may be a problem for me in the future. However, I can request an absentee ballot and vote. My signature will be on file. The state should offer real IDs at no cost or low cost to non-drivers who can provide proper identification. Additionally, voting information at the polls should be in English only. The knowledge of English is necessary in order to become a U.S. citizen.