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I strongly oppose this blatant attempt to disenfranchise Oregon voters!
We have been using a vote by mail system for many years which has led to us having one of the highest voter turnouts in the country.

Here are some reasons I love our vote by mail system. One, I am able to submit my vote on my own time and do not need to miss work to vote. Two, I have more time to make informed decisions on each candidate in the comfort of my own home. I don't feel rushed in line. And I can avoid the stress of over stimulation in large crowds. Requiring in person voting will put undue stress on the workers in the voting office on election day.

Removing the right to mail in ballots will disproportionately affect disabled voters, blue collar workers, and those with limited transportation opportunities, meaning much of rural Oregon.

Considering Oregon's high voter turnout and strong Democratic leaning, it's obvious the Republican administration wants to win by cheating. I do not support his attempts to undermine a free and fair election.