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SB210

I am writing in support of SB210.

I grew up under in person voting and recognize it is a wonderful privilege to vote. It was impressed on me that it is also a responsibility which should be taken seriously, therefore I am in favor of SB210 which would, require voter ID, in person voting, and same day vote count, not days, weeks or later to determine an election outcome.

I feel the current mail-in voting leads to greater probability of voter fraud since there is no way to secure the chain -of custody of our ballots. Also, why do people need more time to vote than one day; that is the way we used to do it and it worked well.

Machines and too many steps in handling our ballot both can open us up for fraudulent elections.

Mail in ballots has not seen a major increase in people voting. If people treat voting as a privilege and responsibility then they will make time for it and do it!

Voter ID is also important; we need to show our ID to cash a check, buy alcohol, get on an airplane and many more privileges here in this great county. Why not require voter ID for one of the most sacred privileges in our nation?

There are many other important reasons to Vote Yes for SB210, but I will end with this reason and that is our President has signed an Executive Order and this would bring Oregon into compliance with that action.

Please vote YES on SB210.

Respectfully Submitted,