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I have been an Oregon Resident for 30 years. In my former residence state, in person voting was all I knew. And due to my youth and desire to work (sometimes at a distance) I missed voting opportunities because it was difficult or impossible to get to the poles prior to their closing.

For me the best part of voting by mail is the ability to be at home and research the candidates or issues at home, decide my ballot and deliver to a drop box in town conveniently.

In today's modern world it seems highly impractical to demand of every citizen that they may or not live in a town with a voting station, to have to purchase fuel, own a vehicle or be driven to a location to vote, as well what happens if someone is ill, disabled or otherwise compromised?

Vote by mail is the most practical and convenient way for rural Oregonians to prepare and submit their ballots.

That's really all there is to it for my part.

If it ain't broke don't fix it,

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