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Mail-in voting plays a crucial role in making elections more accessible. Many Americans, including seniors, individuals with disabilities, and those serving in the military, depend on mail-in ballots to exercise their fundamental right to vote. Removing this option would disproportionately affect these groups, effectively suppressing voter participation.

Moreover, in rural communities and areas with limited polling places, voters may face significant logistical challenges in reaching in-person voting locations. Long lines, transportation barriers, and inflexible work schedules further complicate the process. Mail-in voting eliminates these obstacles, ensuring that every eligible citizen can have their voice heard.