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SB210

I am a disabled Army veteran, living in rural Oregon. I am a woman. I am a person whose political beliefs don't generally match those of the community in which I live. All three of these things mean that mail in voting is not only more accessible but also safer for me. We in Oregon have participated in mail-in elections for so many years that many have never had to vote in person. Mailing in our ballots is well established as a safe, effective, and trustworthy method of participating in elections. It would be pure foolishness to change that now, particularly since the premise on which the bill is based is full of conjecture and conspiracy theory at its best, and gerrymandering, racism, and ableism at its worst.

I strongly urge you all to oppose this frivolous, unfair, and frankly idiotic measure.