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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB210

I am writing in strong opposition to SB 210. Voting by mail has been a safe, secure and reliable process over many years. Voting by mail even allowed soldiers to cast ballots in the Civil War. It's been crucial to have all Americans vote. Voting by mail is accessible to everyone. Here is a short list of the voters who are able to vote due to vote by mail.

People with disabilities

People in rural areas

People unable to transport to polling sites (due to distance, physical disability, aging, lack of transportation)

Work schedules that prohibit in person voting.

Oregon has a strong history of citizen involvement. Our ability to actively participate in our govenment and our democracy hinges on our ability to maintain our voting process.

Please retain our Vote By Mail.

Thank you, Lynn S Taylor, LCSW