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**Written Testimony before the Senate Rules Committee  
in Opposition to Senate Joint Resolution 2**

Chair Burdick, Vice-Chair Ferrioli, and Senators Beyer, Boquist, and Roblan,

The current 21-day registration cut off protects the integrity of the voter registration record from the potential of newly registered voters not being eligible.

The 21-day deadline provides county election officials time to confirm eligibility, and still deliver a ballot to the voter timely.

This deadline was set by overwhelming support of the voters.

**The Oregon Association of County Clerks (OACC) urges you to oppose SJR 2.**