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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Rules

Measure: HB2107

I oppose HB 2107 which creates MORE automatic voter registration, this time through the Oregon Health Authority. Automatic voter registration is coercive and takes advantage of people. If someone wants to vote they should turn in a registration form in person to the county clerk. If they don't want to vote they should be left alone. No one should be registered to vote simply because they didn't realize they had to DECLINE to be automatically registered by the clerk, or forgot they were supposed to do so. Automatic voter registration bloats the voter rolls with people not intending to vote and also creates inaccuracies. Any system that is inaccurate breeds mistrust. No to HB 2107.