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Measure: HB2004

HB 2004 is a horrendous idea for Oregonians who already feel disenfranchised by our easily-tampered-with compulsory mail-in balloting system! To further confuse voters with this proposed "ranked choice" system would be a disaster. What we need in Oregon is SAME-DAY, PAPER BALLOTS, NO COUNTING MACHINES, smaller precincts with humans counting ballots (under watchful bi-partisan eyes) ... not a more confusing system to discourage voters.

The Facts are that:

Exhausted ballots in ranked-choice voting races silence the voice of significant portions of the electorate.

Districts using ranked-choice voting have lower voter turnout rates.

Ranked-choice voting changes and delays the election counting process.

Do not pass this bill. It is bad for Oregonians and bad for our state. Vote NO on HB 2004