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It is undemocratic that 43% (1.3 million) of Oregon voters are shut out of Oregon's closed primary elections for the most powerful offices in the state. I like opening up voting to as many Oregonians as possible. It promotes moderation not extremism. The two-party system is broken as documented by the overwhelming number of non-affiliated voters. The summary above says 5 candidates will move on but the HB says only 2 will move on. The change is better than no change to elections, but I would prefer to see 3, 4, or 5 candidates move on.