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For many many years, the process of voting in person, showing my precinct card and my identification was the standard for voting in an election. Additionally signing the registration book next to my registered name clearly noted my participation in the process. The integrity of the process not only confirmed the check points of authenticity but it confirmed the seriousness of keeping the voting process legal, underlying its importance and its essential need to eliminate fraudulent illegal voting. If the process is compromised, why vote? The importance of election integrity should be the foundation and priority of the voter registration process. Making something "easier or more convenient" is not necessarily an improvement. The privilege of voting and the integrity of casting your vote must never be compromised. We must physically show our ID when we bank, when we rent a car, when we go to the doctor, when we purchase alcohol, often when we use a charge card, and for numerous other reasons. Voting should hold the same standardized procedures.