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I vehemently oppose this bill. Of all the things you could be doing to benefit Oregonians, THIS is what you choose to do? This is ridiculous. In 1998, Oregonians voted to make Vote by Mail the way to vote in Oregon. It is the easiest, smartest, most efficient and accurate way to vote. Oregon's elections are secure. The voting equipment is never connected to the internet. There are no routers connected to the tabulation system and there never have been. Oregon performs post-election reviews after every election that includes a federal or statewide contest.

Everyone in Oregon has been very happy with voting by mail. It wasn't until a certain sore loser decided to make arbitrary and incorrect comments about voting by mail that anyone questioned it. By the way, that sore loser's claims were all proven to be wrong.

Your argument that "state paid postage has not increased voting as was projected, so taxpayers should not keep footing the bill." Do you honestly think requiring people to take time off work and go to a polling station on election day will increase voter turnout??? There is no logic to support that at all.

This bill should never get out of committee!