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SB210 Support of in-person voting

I support in-person voting because I have seen systemic problems with mail-in voting:

- When I campaigned door-to-door for a Democratic candidate, I had a parent who was angry when I asked for their offspring and they realized their offspring was registered different from them. The person was not cooperative with me talking to their relative. I could imagine them also not being cooperative to their relative voting differently on their ballot in the household.
- When I was visiting, I watched my aunt vote my grandma's ballot. I wrote the Secretary of State's office, but they would not deal with the matter as a systemic problem but suggested I reported my aunt for investigation of a crime.
- Someone I know was registered to vote in Washington and Oregon at the same time after moving from Washington to Oregon.
- When I was participating in Get Out The vVote for the Democratic Party by making calls to identified voters, I had several people I contacted say they were not citizens.
- Voting by mail results in voters having different campaign information based on when they vote.
- The delay of mailing causes the public to not know the result of the election in a timely fashion and it causes Oregon to be of less interest in national elections.