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Dear Committee Members,

I strongly urge you to support the use of drop boxes, a proven safe and secure method to cast a ballot. A single example of indoor voting by elderly citizens with a higher attack rate to the current Covid strain that is four times more contagious than its predecessor when a safe alternative is obvious speaks to a callous intention. Or consider the risk of a common cold in the frail chronically ill that frightens that population to avoid groups.

How about plain old availability and convenience in increasing voting and participation in government. When so many people died giving us the right to vote, why would we want to limit it now?

Respectfully,

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