

CHAPTER 19**AN ACT**

HB 4133

Relating to voter registration; creating new provisions; and amending ORS 247.019.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. ORS 247.019 is amended to read:

247.019. (1) The Secretary of State by rule shall adopt an electronic voter registration system to be used by qualified persons who have a valid:

(a) Oregon driver license, as defined in ORS 801.245;

(b) Oregon driver permit, as defined in ORS 801.250; *[or]*

(c) State identification card, issued under ORS 807.400; **or**

(d) **Social Security number.**

(2)(a) The electronic voter registration system shall:

(A) **Require a person registering to vote under subsection (1)(d) of this section to enter only the final four digits of the person's valid Social Security number;**

(B) **Allow a person registering to vote under subsection (1)(d) of this section to electronically submit an image of the person's signature; and**

(C) **Allow a qualified person to complete and deliver a registration card electronically.**

(b) A registration card delivered under this section is considered delivered to the Secretary of State for purposes of this chapter.

(3) A person who completes a registration card electronically under this section consents to the use of the person's driver license, driver permit or state identification card signature, **or an electronically submitted image of the person's signature**, for voter registration purposes.

(4) **If available**, the Department of Transportation shall provide to the Secretary of State a digital copy of the driver license, driver permit or state identification card signature of each person who completes a registration card under this section.

(5) **The electronic voter registration system may also include an application programming interface to allow third-party organizations to securely submit registration cards electronically on behalf of individuals. In order to submit registration cards under this subsection, a third-party organization must be approved as a voter registration organization under a process designed by the Secretary of State by rule.**

SECTION 2. The Secretary of State shall implement the amendments to ORS 247.019 by section 1 of this 2022 Act no later than January 1, 2026.

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