

Ohio election law already requires mail-in ballots to be postmarked on the day before Election Day. The existing 4-day acceptance period doesn't extend the time Ohio voters can cast a ballot, it's simply a mail delivery window to ensure ballots from eligible voters are counted. Mail-in ballots are essential. Some people do not have transportation, some have disabilities preventing them from physically going to the polls, others are in the military and cannot vote in person! Those of us in rural areas suffer from slow mail delivery and already risk ballots not reaching the destination in time to be counted. Reducing this acceptance window even more will negatively impact voters much too dramatically. Please preserve our election systems by voting NO on SB293.