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Here's the truth about what IL26-126 does and doesn't do.

What Initiative IL26-126 DOES:

- Requires people in WA to provide proof of citizenship when they register to vote.
- Aligns with federal election law, Executive Orders and recent federal court rulings.
- Accepts multiple government-issued documents and forms of ID to satisfy its proof requirement.
- Sets statewide standards but allows local election officials reasonable independence in implementation.
- Effectively audits voter rolls (databases) and cleans up incorrect or outdated voter information.
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What Initiative IL26-126 DOESN'T Do:

- Suppress or discourage voter registration. In any way.
- End Vote by Mail (The Seattle Times got this wrong and issued a correction).
- Change current voting <u>in any way</u>.
- Require anyone to buy an enhanced WA driver's license or ID.
- Create any "poll tax" or other barrier to voting.

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