

Please support the ability of any voter to choose to vote by absentee ballot. It is important to make it easier for people to vote. I worked at the polls this past election and was pleased that we were able to serve the voters in a reasonable amount of time because many people had voted already by absentee ballot. For many years, people have criticised the poor rate of voter turnout in the United States. However, the large turnout in this election proves that people want to vote and will do so if given a reasonable chance. Our past practice of forcing people to stand in long lines to vote (because voting is confined to one day only), disadvantages our senior citizens and the working people of Connecticut who have limited time for such lines because they work long hours (particularly our first responders).

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