Barcodes: Handy for Bread, Risky for Ballots

Q: What Does a Barcode Mean?
A: Whatever the Programmer Wants it to Mean

Handy for Bread

$2.49
Programmer at supermarket

Programmer at convenience store

$3.19

Risky for Ballots

1) Votes on Your Barcode Ballot Could Change as Easily as the Price of Bread

E-Voting Machine Printout of Votes
President: Adams
Senator: Dodge
Representative: Ellis
Governor: Garcia

Votes reported by the scanner in your voting booth.

Votes reported by the scanner where votes are counted.

... might NOT match ...

2) You Could Lose the Secrecy of Your Ballot
Data about YOU could be hidden in the barcode, along with your votes, and you would never know.