From: Federal Voting Assistance Program

Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 6:10:01 AM

To: Yolanda

Subject: FVAP Releases 2020 Post-Election Report to Congress

Sensitivity: Normal



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To: Outreach

Subject: FVAP Releases 2020 Post-Election Report to Congress

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Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 8:45:55 AM

To: <u>Christine Dyster</u>; Cc: Outreach Outreach

Subject: FW: FVAP Releases 2020 Post-Election Report to Congress

Response requested: No

Sensitivity: Normal

Just FYI. Thanks. Tanner



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Sent: Monday, March 7, 2022 11:47:59 AM

To: Mala

Subject: How Museums and Libraries Are Fostering Civic Engagement Through Voting

Sensitivity: Normal



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To: Holly Henley

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From: C.Murphy Hebert

Sent: Monday, July 31, 2023 10:55:54 AM

To: Paul Smith-Leonard

Subject: FW: Letter to the department of education

Response requested: No Sensitivity: Normal

Attachments:

7-27-Godlewski-SecCardonaLetter.pdf

FYI

You may already have this but sending just in case because it's all BCC.

From: Menchhoff, Hannah - SOS < @wisconsin.gov>

Sent: Monday, July 31, 2023 10:14 AM

To: Menchhoff, Hannah - SOS < @wisconsin.gov>; Schwantes, Nathan - SOS

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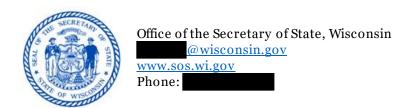
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Sent: Monday, July 31, 2023 10:16:20 AM

To: Menchhoff, Hannah - SOS Menchhoff, Hannah - SOS;

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From: Keely Varvel

Sent: Monday, July 31, 2023 11:59:25 AM

To: <u>C.Murphy Hebert</u>; Cc: <u>Robert</u>;

Subject: Fwd: Letter to the department of education

Sensitivity: Normal **Attachments:**

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Not sure what the story is behind this letter. They must have asked the Secretary to sign on to it. If anyone on this email has more info, please share. FYI

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Phone:

From: <u>Dodd</u>, Stacy

Sent: Tuesday, August 10, 2021 1:30:36 PM

To: Dodd, Stacy

Subject: NASS 2021 Summer Conference - Travel Tips, Reminders & Weather

Sensitivity: Normal

Attachments:

draft-agenda-nass-summer21-08102021.pdf

Dear NASS Conference Attendee:

We are excited to see everyone at the end of the week in Des Moines. Sec. Pate and his staff have planned a wonderful 2021 NASS Summer Conference in Des Moines, IA. Before you arrive, we wanted to send you some last-minute reminders and information — as you can imagine, even though we are able to meet in person, things will look different this year. We are following CDC guidelines, that state "To maximize protection from the <u>Delta variant</u> and prevent possibly spreading it to others, wear a mask indoors in public if you are in an <u>area of substantial or high transmission</u>." We will have masks and hand sanitizer available for attendees. Other precautions in place will include one way lines, social distancing, frequent cleaning, served buffets, etc. The meeting rooms will look a little bit different too. For NASS Committee meetings and sessions in the lowa Ballroom we will not have a U-Shape or hollow square set-up. Instead, the first few rows of seating will be classroom style with microphones. These rows are **RESERVED for Secretaries of State or their proxy**. Classroom seating (without microphones) and theater seating behind the first few rows will be for general conference attendees. Please do not stand in the back of meeting rooms or block doorways.

The Marriott Des Moines Do wnto wnis approx 5 riles fro r<u>Des Moines International Arpor</u> (DSM). <u>Click here</u> for more information on groundtrans portation from Des Moines air port. Please arrange your own ground trans portation less you are a Secretary of State/Lt. Governor who has provided your flight information to NASS Valet parking at the Marri is \$26 daily. Nearby parking available for \$10 daily.

Attire for the conference is business casual. The evening event at the Capitol on Saturday, 8/14 is business attire. The evening event at the zoo on 8/13 and evening event at the State Fair on 8/15 are both casual. Your conference-issued name badge is absolutely necessary. Please **WEAR IT** while in the meeting space at the hotel, to board buses and at evening events. We will have law enforcement at the hotel and boarding buses. They will be looking for your conference badge to identify that you are a part of our group. Large bags, backpacks and totes are not permitted for evening events The weather forecast includes daytime highs in the low-80's and evening lows in the low-60's.

Everyone who registered for in-person registration will receive the login information for NASS virtual sessions, as well as ACR and NPA. Please be on the lookout for that information. WiFi in your hotel room at the Marriott if you are booked into the NASS room block is complimentary. The NASS WiFi code in the meeting space at the Marriott Des Moines is NASSIA21. Don't forget to download the NASS Conference app. MyEvents2Go is a free app available for Android, Apple and Windows. Search for NASS in the app to find info for the NASS 2021 Summer Conference. The password to view the event is IA2021SOS.

Safe Travels!

Stacy Dodd
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Sent: Friday, July 9, 2021 1:46:11 PM

To: <u>Dodd, Stacy</u>
Cc: <u>Reynolds, Leslie</u>;

Subject: NASS 2021 Summer Conference - Updated Information

Sensitivity: Normal Attachments:

agenda-nass-summer21-070921.pdf

Good Afternoon:

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Sent: Friday, July 23, 2021 3:01:33 PM

To: Dodd, Stacy

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Sent: Wednesday, August 11, 2021 6:39:57 AM

To: Dodd, Stacy

Subject: NASS 2021 Summer Conference - Virtual Login for NASS & NPA

Sensitivity: Normal

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draft-agenda-nass-summer21-08102021.pdf

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From: United States Access Board

Sent: Wednesday, October 27, 2021 9:32:33 AM

To: Tanner

Subject: NIST Seeks Public Comment on Recommendations for Promoting Access to Voting for People with Disabilities

Sensitivity: Normal



October 27, 2021

NIST Seeks Public Comment on Recommendations for Promoting Access to Voting for People with Disabilities

The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) requests public comments on the Draft of Promoting Access to Voting: Recommendations for Addressing Barriers to Private and Independent Voting for People with Disabilities. Under Executive Order 14019 on Promoting Access to Voting, NIST is directed to identify barriers to private and independent voting for people with disabilities, make recommendations to remove these barriers, and evaluate the steps needed to ensure that the online Federal Voter Registration Form is accessible to people with disabilities. The Draft is available in the Federal Register.

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Sent: Tuesday, August 8, 2023 12:06:16 AM

To: Tonia Tunnell

Subject: Reaction Daily Digest - Tuesday, August 8, 2023

Sensitivity: Normal

Microsoft Outlook







4 Amy Chan reacted to your message Mon 08/07/2023 14:59

RE: EO 14019 - Promoting Access to Voting

When I get out of classes this evening let me search my notes. I seem to recall this was exactly who we wanted to target and in that meeting I thought we discussed how it worked. Best regards, Tonia From: Amy Chan @azsos.gov> Sent: Monday

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Microsoft Corporation, One Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA 98052

From: Alex

Sent: Monday, March 11, 2024 1:52:09 PM

To: Amy Love;
Cc: Reem

Subject: Re: Response to Letter Regarding Federal Work-Study Funds and Nonpartisan Civic Engagement Work

Sensitivity: Normal Attachments:

7-27-Godlewski-SecCardonaLetter 2024-03-11 20_49_50.pdf

Here you go, Amy!



Alex Executive Assistant to the Secretary of State

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From: Amy Love @azsos.gov> Sent: Monday, March 11, 2024 1:46:28 PM **To:** Tonia Tunnell < @azsos.gov>; Luis @azsos.gov>; Angelek Larkins < @azsos.gov> Cc: Reem @azsos.gov>; C.Murphy Hebert < @azsos.gov>; Alex @azsos.gov>; @azsos.gov>; Lisa Marra < @azsos.gov>; Keely Varvel < Renada @azsos.gov> Subject: RE: Response to Letter Regarding Federal Work-Study Funds and Nonpartisan Civic Engagement Work

Could I get a copy of the original letter Sec. Fontes signed on to that prompted this response? My apologies if it is in the shared drive somewhere, I did a guick search but wasn't sure where to find it.

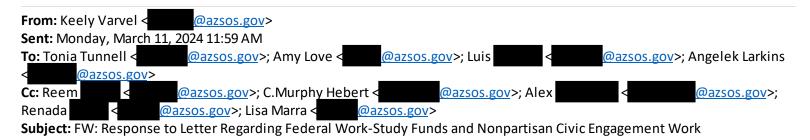
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Since we are using our ARPA funds for the fellowships, this is perhaps something we can keep in mind and share with counties in the case that they want to extend the time they have with fellows. This would be done separately from us,

but this is a mechanism they could possibly use.

Best regards,

Tonia



FYI – this is a response to a letter that Adrian signed on to with a bunch of other SOSs a long time ago but may be relevant now as we talk about getting students in to the Fellowship or as Temp workers. Please utilize this info as you deem appropriate. Thanks.

From: Stevens, Sharon < @ed.gov>

Sent: Monday, February 26, 2024 1:47 PM **To:** Admin SOS < @azsos.gov>

Subject: Response to Letter Regarding Federal Work-Study Funds and Nonpartisan Civic Engagement Work

Good afternoon. Please find the U.S. Department of Education's response to a letter from the Secretary of State regarding Federal Work-Study funds and their use to support nonpartisan civic engagement work.

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any further questions,

Sharon Stevens | Office of the Secretary | Executive Secretariat U.S. Department of Education O: | M: | @ed.gov

From: Adrian Fontes

Sent: Saturday, May 27, 2023 2:44:27 PM

To: Keely Varvel

Subject: Fwd: Work Study Voter Registration Funds

Sensitivity: Normal Attachments:

Godlewski Work Study Letter 5-23_final (1).docx niversity Letter.docx roups' Work Study & Civics Letter.pdf

Can we do this? Do we have time? ----- Forwarded message -----From: **Abbey Ford <** @demsofstate.org> Date: Thu, May 25, 2023 at 13:20 Subject: Work Study Voter Registration Funds @hotmail.com>, Gregg Amore < To: Steve Simon < <u>@verizon.net</u>>, Jeffrey Bullock <u>@gmail.com</u>>, Jena Griswold < @gmail.com>, Tahesha Way < @aol.com>, Robert @gmail.com>, Adrian Fontes < @electfontes.com>, Kimberly Bassett < @gmail.com>, Jocelyn @gmail.com>, Elaine Marshall < (a)nc.rr.com>, @barrio.co>, steve < @electhobbs.com>, Sarah Copeland Hanzas < Cisco Aguilar < @gmail.com>, @gmail.com>, Shirley Weber < Alexi Giannoulias < @cox.net>, Shenna Bellows @gmail.com>, Maggie Toulouse Oliver < @gmail.com>, Stephanie Thomas @votestephaniethomas.com>, Steve Hobbs < @gmail.com> @gmail.com>, Travis Brimm < @demsofstate.org>, Hannah Menchhoff CC: Sarah Godlewski < @gmail.com>

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From: Keely Varvel Sent: Saturday, May 27, 2023 4:57:25 PM To: Tonia Tunnell Subject: Fwd: Work Study Voter Registration Funds Sensitivity: Normal Attachments: Godlewski Work Study Letter 5-23 final (1).docx niversity Letter.docx roups' Work Study & Civics Letter.pdf Let's talk about this Tuesday Get Outlook for iOS **From:** Adrian Fontes < @electfontes.com> **Sent:** Saturday, May 27, 2023 2:43:02 PM To: Keely Varvel < @azsos.gov> Subject: Fwd: Work Study Voter Registration Funds Can we do this? Do we have time? ----- Forwarded message -----@demsofstate.org> From: **Abbey Ford** < Date: Thu, May 25, 2023 at 13:20 Subject: Work Study Voter Registration Funds To: Steve Simon < @hotmail.com>, Gregg Amore <</pre> @verizon.net>, Jeffrey Bullock

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From: Arizona Secretary of State Public Records
Sent: Thursday, March 14, 2024 11:53:24 AM

To: Amy Chan;

Subject: [Opened] Arizona Secretary of State records request #24-44 from Fred Lucas

Sensitivity: Normal

-- Reply ABOVE THIS LINE to post an INTERNAL message that will be sent to staff. Attach a non-image file to have it uploaded to the request as a staff-only document. --

Arizona Secretary of State Public Records

Record request #24-44 has been submitted and assigned to you. It currently has a due date of July 22, 2024.

Hello. I am making a public records request on behalf of The Daily Signal.

I would like to make a public records request for the following information.

- 1. Communications between federal employees and employees with the Arizona Secretary of State's office—including the Secretary—between March 1, 2021 to the present that relates to President Joe Biden's Executive Order 14019 on voting and elections.
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3. Documents or correspondents from federal employees of federal agencies regarding a "strategic plan" in relation to President Joe Biden's Executive Order 14019 on voting and elections between March 1, 2021 to the present.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Thank you.

View Request 24-44

https://azsos.nextrequest.com/requests/24-44



From: <u>Lansdale</u>

Sent: Wednesday, October 20, 2021 5:53:26 AM

To: Aaron Nevarez;

Cc: Casandra Hockenberry;

Subject: Colorado Springs Meeting Notes

Sensitivity: Normal **Attachments:**

OVIColoradoSpringNotes.pdf

OVI Working Group,

Good morning. We are still riding a wave of excitement from our convening a few weeks ago. Thank you again for a great meeting. Please see the attached notes. We're grateful for all of your guidance and will follow up soon regarding action items that you posed to us.

For those who intend on submitting a reimbursement, please get that to our team by Friday COB so that we can begin processing them. If you have any questions about how to fill those out, please reach out to myself or a member of the team.

Respectfully,

Taylor Lansdale Program Manager Overseas Voting Initiative/ Shared State Legislation office



From: Keely Varvel

Sent: Tuesday, March 12, 2024 10:48:37 AM

To: Amy Chan;

Subject: Fwd: Criminal Conduct of AZ Attorney General

Sensitivity: Normal

Attachments:

CIREF-1A.pdf G_INDICTMENT-2.pdf Z_1-County_Outside_Analysis.pdf

Not sure why this was sent to me. A "cc" I guess. FYI. Someone please make sure the AG and her security folks get a copy of this (if they didn't receive it directly). Thanks.

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From: Mark Thomas < @gmail.com>

Sent: Tuesday, March 12, 2024 10:44 AM

To: Mark Thomas < @gmail.com> **Subject:** Criminal Conduct of AZ Attorney General

https://www.politico.com/news/2024/03/06/donald-trump-2020-election-probe-arizona-00145377

To: AZ Attorney General Kris Mayes, Deputy Daniel Barr

Copies To: AZ Supreme Ct; SOS Fontes; Hobbs; Spkr. Toma; Sen. Pres. Peterson; Rep.

Biggs; Attorney General Merrick Garland; Other lawyers

RE: Arizona Donald Trump "2020 Election Investigation"

Priority: Very High March 12, 2024 11 pages

Introduction

Attorney General Mayes, I give you a very stern warning on the above subject to which you should pay close attention. If you intend to "investigate" President Trump for "overturning the 2020 AZ Election" without investigating and confirming the massive ballot and election fraud (by Biden) that occurred in Maricopa (MC), Pima (PC) Counties and elsewhere – you will end up in serious criminal trouble. I have studied and analyzed intensely for 3 years the Election, especially AZ and GA:

25K – 50K – 200K+ fraudulent ballots, ballot stuffing, ballot mules, algorithms, and \$350M+ Zuckerberg money (at least \$5.2M to AZ; \$45.6M to GA) all involved. Only a 10,457 Biden vote margin. You and Hobbs don't care about an overturned Election, do you? Only when you can frame and falsely accuse Trump of that in AZ.

Kris Mayes, before you proceed: you, Hobbs, Brnovich, Ducey, Hickman and Bronson have an absolute, indisputable obligation to produce an untainted, independent, under-oath certification of:

"All necessary information, documentation, evidence, and proof to clearly and conclusively show that Joe Biden lawfully won the State of Arizona (11 Electoral Votes) 2020 Election without fraud, ballot stuffing, algorithms, human ballot mules, missing, forged data, records or other forms of Election Fraud. The 10,457 Biden vote margin is true and correct."

In other words, who lawfully, conclusively won the AZ Election? You cannot provide this certification; it is impossible, the massive ballot fraud in AZ against Trump precludes this. Trump won AZ. Thus, your investigation against Trump and others is corrupt and criminal. End your investigation of Trump — or you could likely end up in prison, as others. Go after Ducey, Hobbs, Sellers and Hickman *et al.* You may not persist in this Fraud-on-the-Court. *Demjanjuk v. Petrovsky*, 10 F.3d 338, 348-50 (6th Cir. 1993); rehearing *en banc* denied (Feb. 1994); cert. denied, 513 U.S. 914 (1994). *Herring v. United States*, 424 F.3d 384, 386-87 (3rd Cir. 2005) Alito on panel.

Elements of Fraud-on-the-Court

- **1.)** "Conduct on the part of an officer of the court;
- 2.) Conduct that is directed to judicial machinery itself;
- **3.)** Conduct that is intentionally false, willfully blind to the truth, or in reckless disregard for the truth;
- **4.)** Conduct that is a positive averment or is a concealment when one is under a duty to disclose;
- **5.)** Conduct that deceives the Court." *Demjanjuk* at 348.

You should consider these overwhelming facts *before* you advance this fool's errand, risk your law license, your Indictment, prison and endeavor to indict Trump under false pretenses:

Criminality of AZ State Officials Stealing the 2020 Election

- To you, as AG, this is a Federal criminal matter because it involves:
 - o A massive Conspiracy by AZ State officials against the United States, 18 U.S.C. §§371; 372; "We unlawfully took what belongs to you, Pres. Trump, and the Nation and you can't stop us; we're Arizona." §241; the Statute of Limitations

has not yet begun to run; see, Smith v. United States, 568 U.S. 106, 109-114 (2013).

- o An agreement by State and Federal Officials (conspiracy), *Salinas v. United States*, 522 U.S. 52, 63-65 (1997), to cover up and block an Election Fraud and investigation in AZ, 18 U.S.C. §§1519; 371; 3
- o The criminal obliteration by AZ State Officials of Art. IV, Section 1, <u>Full Faith</u> and <u>Credit Clause</u> in AZ, Defrauding the United States, by overturning an Election 18 U.S.C. §371. Up to 200K − 300K *fake ballot records*. §4, <u>A Republican Form of Government</u>, with no Presidential Election Fraud: <u>Treason</u>, 18 U.S.C. §2381.
- o Perjury of one's Oath to support the *U.S. Constitution*, 18 U.S.C. §1621; (4 U.S.C. §101; 5 U.S.C. §3331)
- Mail and Wire Fraud in the processing, rigging and manipulation of the 2.9M±
 AZ absentee ballots and on-going digital voting results, 18 U.S.C. §§ 1341, 1342,
 1343, 1349
- o False (corrupt) Certification by AZ State Officials of an State Presidential Election to the January 6, 2021 Congress Official Proceeding, 18 U.S.C. §1512 (c)(1) (2)(k); see §1515
- Likely false testimony and concealment, under Oath to the J6 Committee by Rusty Bowers (and others) that there was no Election fraud, ballot fraud or irregularities in AZ 2020 Election, 18 U.S.C. §§1001, 372; Bowers' failure as the chief legislative official to look and ask further to determine if there was decisive, visible fraud against Trump §241, since Trump had won MC and AZ in 2016 by 91K votes. 52 U.S.C. §20511 (2)(A)(B)
- o The critical failure of Brnovich, Fann, Hobbs, (Runbeck), MC and PC to find and provide the missing AZ 100K − 200K ballots' chain of custody tickets proving the massive fraud in MC and PC − against a margin of only 10,457 votes.

Kris Mayes Indictable Criminal Conduct as an LEO Framing an Innocent Man by Using Lies and Perjured Statements

- Your action is *probable criminal*, Mayes, and a blatant attempt to interfere in the 2024 Presidential Election 18 U.S.C. §§ 372, 241, 242
- Your joining together and agreeing with others to investigate a "fake crime" against AZ
 and the United States (by Trump) is a Conspiracy 18 U.S.C. §371, 1621
- You are an Accessory after the fact, Kris Mayes, 18 U.S.C. $\S 3$ at least 5 15 years in Federal prison.
- Who is protecting you? Do you have promised protection from Hobbs? The FBI? DOJ? White House? AZ Judiciary? The State Bar Overseers? Tell us who is protecting you, to engage in this criminality?
- With whom have you coordinated this "investigation?" The DOJ? White House? Who are your Masters? Who has put you up to this scheme?
- What have you ever done, Mayes, that makes you integrity-qualified as AG to "investigate a stolen or overturned Election?" Nothing! It is either one or the other. You are a corrupt political hack. It was stolen!

"It's robust. It's a serious matter," Mayes, a Democrat, said of her ongoing investigation. "We're going to make sure that we do it on our timetable, applying the resources that it requires to make sure that justice is done, for not only Arizonans, but for the entire country." -Politio Nov. 10, 2023

- AZ is a very corrupt State, all three branches: Judiciary, Executive and Legislative all
 that corruption will be exposed especially Maricopa and Pima counties if you bring any
 kind of false Indictment against Trump.
- Many of the corrupt actors who stole and/or covered up the 2020 and 2022 Elections will be exposed and called to the witness stand and interrogated regarding their deceit and dishonesty: you, Hobbs, Ducey, Brnovich, Bowers, Fontes, MC, Hickman, Sellers, Gates, Richer, Jarrett, Lorick, Dul, Liddy, Valenzuela, staff, Runbeck, Fann, the McCain cabal. And the Feds, too. A massive conspiracy, where no one has come clean. Stunning!
- Are you condoning and suborning Perjury by these officials? Anyone you give immunity

to, will be impeached as to their untruthfulness.

• It is highly likely you and Hobbs hold Office illegally, winning only by 280 votes and 17,000 votes. Both rigged AZ 2022 Elections. And you're going to investigate Trump, who won clean and clear?

The Evidence of a Stolen Election (attached PDF)

ARIZONA 2020 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION - MARICOPA COUNTY & OUTSIDE *PIMA=OMC					
STATISTICS	USA	Maricopa Cty	OMC	Pima Cty*	AZ Totals
Population-2020	331,449,281	4,438,342	2,713,160	1,061,000	7,151,502
Population-2016	323,740,000	4,258,019	2,650,601	1,017,000	6,908,620
Reg Voters-2020	214,863,264	2,595,272	1,686,029	639,223	4,281,301
Reg Voters-2016	198,598,827	2,161,716	1,426,750	543,509	3,588,466
Biden 2020 Votes	81,282,916	1,040,774	631,369	304,981	1,672,143
Clinton 2016 Votes	65,853,514	702,907	458,260	224,661	1,161,167
Difference (New votes)	15,429,402	337,867	173,109	80,320	510,976
Trump 2020 Votes	74,223,369	995,665	666,021	207,758	1,661,686
Trump 2016 Votes	62,984,828	747,361	505,040	167,428	1,252,401
Difference (New votes)	11,238,541	248,304	160,981	40,330	409,285
B-T 2020 #Diff	7,059,547	45,109	-34,652	97,223	10,457
B-T 2020 % Margin	4.54%	2.22%	-2.67%	18.96%	0.31%
2020 Biden vote %	52.27%	51.11%	48.66%	59.48%	50.16%
2020 Trump vote %	47.73%	48.89%	51.34%	40.52%	49.84%
B-T 2020 Votes	155,506,285	2,036,439	1,297,390	512,739	3,333,829
C-T 2016 Votes	128,838,342	1,450,268	963,300	392,089	2,413,568
C-T 2016 #Diff	2,868,686	-44,454	-46,780	57,233	-91,234
C-T 2016 % Margin	2.23%	-3.07%	-4.86%	14.60%	-3.78%
% Incr. B-T Total Vote	20.70%	40.42%	34.68%	30.77%	38.13%
New B-T 2020 Votes	26,667,943	586,171	334,090	120,650	920,261
As % of Total Vote	17.15%	28.78%	25.75%	23.53%	27.60%
Biden's % on New Votes	57.86%	57.64%	51.82%	66.57%	55.53%
2016 Clinton Vote %	51.11%	48.47%	47.57%	57.30%	48.11%
2016 Trump Vote %	48.89%	51.53%	52.43%	42.70%	51.89%
Biden 16-20 vote increas	23.43%	48.07%	37.78%	35.75%	44.01%
Trump 16-20 vote increa	17.84%	33.22%	31.87%	24.09%	32.68%
				Pima very suspect	
Zuckerberg Money	\$400,000,000±	\$1,840,345	\$3,342,350	\$950,446	\$5,182,695
Zuckerberg paid per vote		\$0.90	\$2.58	\$1.85	\$1.55
Biden min. not-to-lose		46.58%	35.40%	31.00%	43.15%

There is powerful irrefutable evidence that AZ officials and Dem operatives rigged, manipulated and stole the 2020 Election and now Mayes thinks she will corruptly frame Trump for that injustice? Think again Mayes.

➤ In 2016, Trump won MC, Outside MC, and all AZ by 91K votes or 3.78%. In 2020, Biden, AZ Dems and RINOs were under enormous pressure to cheat. And they did. But they could only win by a *paltry* 10,457 votes.

- ➤ In 2020, Trump overwhelmed AZ with his voters, a 32.68% increase that's why Biden and the Dems had to cheat they were swamped with Trump votes. Statistics prove Biden did not do well in AZ; he had to cheat.
- ➤ On November 3, 2020 at 8:05, 8:06pm, there were (2) Biden-Trump dumps executed of 2,071,548 AZ ballots (Bi. 363K, 798K; Tr. 254K, 655K), where Biden netted 251.6K votes. They "claimed" 1.262M ballots were left to count. That was criminal because there is no place or possibility anywhere in AZ (either MC or PC) where Biden could have achieved that kind of result. As proof, there are 100K − 200K AZ "ballots" with missing chain of custody tickets; so says AG Brnovich and Cyber Ninjas. This appears to be stuffed ballots and digital algorithms applied. I am sure you fully investigated this huge scam, Mayes. Hah!
- ➤ The AZ SOS, Maricopa and Pima Counties have failed to tell AZ and the Nation where this composite 2.071M ballot dump came from geographically. That is fraud to withhold and conceal that critical information, yet hold it out to be authentic without any valid proof. Where did the remaining 1.262M ballots come from?
- ➤ Pima County (PC) claimed a 35.75% increase in Biden votes and took a 66.57% share of new votes coming into PC all unbelievable, unexplainable and certain cheating indicating at least 25K± excess, fake Biden ballots. All this far above national and BGS averages.
- ➤ MC claimed a 48.07% (337K) increase in Biden votes in 2020 after having lost MC by nearly 45K votes to Trump in 2016. That increase is unbelievable, unexplained and pure fraud. The highest increase in the Nation in any County; far above national and BGS increases. See Orange, San Diego, Harris and King Counties not even close. AZ claimed a 44.01% increase in Biden votes cheating. And if AZ and MC had not "recorded" 43%+ and 46%+ Biden vote increases over 2016, Biden easily loses all Arizona. Biden clearly cheated to win and avoid losing.
- ➤ In OMC, Biden *had to* claim a 37.78% increase in new votes just to criminally counter Trump's 31.87% increase. And if Biden gets less than a 35.4% increase in OMC he

would have lost all AZ. All this to cheat!

- ➤ MC claimed 53,124 "other votes." All of AZ claimed just 53,497. For MC that represents 2.5% of total votes; 1.2% of population; and 2.1% of registered voters. All those MC "other votes" are far above State, BGS and National averages. There is something extremely suspicious about MC "other votes." This analysis indicates 15K 20K excess "other votes" in MC with no plausible explanation for their existence.
- ➤ PC provides 14.83% of the AZ population; they supplied 15.38% of the AZ total votes. That is a certain indicator of some 18K excess votes.
- ➤ The corruption and criminality in MC and PC is unbridled. A national disgrace. But go ahead, Mayes, and make your outrageous, criminal avowal that, "Trump and Giuliani tried to corruptly overturn an Election, and Rusty Bowers is a trusted public official."
- AZ claimed 920K new votes coming into all AZ for 2020; Biden claimed 511K, Trump 409K. As a % of the total Election result of 3.334M votes that represents 27.20%, far over national and Battleground States' (BGS) norms of 17.15% and 17.91%. Biden's claim of 511K new votes (30.5% of his 1.672M vote total) is simply not true, as Biden's national average is 18.98%, (still too high). Biden-AZ new votes is at least 10-11% too high as a component % or composite % of the total votes. Biden deliberately cheated in AZ clearly indicating at least 225K fake ballots far over the Biden margin of 10,457. That is criminal fraud.
- There is massive cheating and documented excess ballots in AZ and fake Biden ballot increases of 40% that were needed to win. Without these mammoth, unexplainable increases all over AZ, Biden loses AZ!
- ➤ There is powerful statistical proof that Biden did not do well in AZ versus nationally....so poorly Biden had to stuff 200K 300K fake ballots, credibly explaining the 251K net ballots from the 2.071M 11/3/20 dump!

AG Kris Mayes, the Election fraud in AZ is massive, criminal and easily provable. The fact that you and Brnovich did absolutely nothing to expose it, and now you are attempting to indict Trump for "overturning an Election" is a criminal outrage and should put you in prison for the rest of your life.

Moreover, the fact you refuse to go after any of the corrupt, dirthag State Officials, who perpetrated this felony Election swindle on AZ and the Nation, is further atrocity as a lawyer. The Full Faith and Credit of Arizona has been destroyed. No one believes the results or the Biden increases. You, Hobbs, Ducey, Bowers and Lorick are a scandalous disgrace.

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Kris Mayes Indictable Criminal Conduct as an LEO Framing an Innocent Man by Using Lies and Perjured Statements

- Your action is *probable criminal*, Mayes, and a blatant attempt to interfere in the 2024 Presidential Election 18 U.S.C. §§ 372, 241, 242
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The Evidence of a Stolen Election (attached PDF)

ARIZONA 2020 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION - MARICOPA COUNTY & OUTSIDE *PIMA=OMC							
STATISTICS	USA	Maricopa Cty	OMC	Pima Cty*	AZ Totals		
Population-2020	331,449,281	4,438,342	2,713,160	1,061,000	7,151,502		
Population-2016	323,740,000	4,258,019	2,650,601	1,017,000	6,908,620		
Reg Voters-2020	214,863,264	2,595,272	1,686,029	639,223	4,281,301		
Reg Voters-2016	198,598,827	2,161,716	1,426,750	543,509	3,588,466		
Biden 2020 Votes	81,282,916	1,040,774	631,369	304,981	1,672,143		
Clinton 2016 Votes	65,853,514	702,907	458,260	224,661	1,161,167		
Difference (New votes)	15,429,402	337,867	173,109	80,320	510,976		
Trump 2020 Votes	74,223,369	995,665	666,021	207,758	1,661,686		
Trump 2016 Votes	62,984,828	747,361	505,040	167,428	1,252,401		
Difference (New votes)	11,238,541	248,304	160,981	40,330	409,285		
B-T 2020 #Diff	7,059,547	45,109	-34,652	97,223	10,457		
B-T 2020 % Margin	4.54%	2.22%	-2.67%	18.96%	0.31%		
2020 Biden vote %	52.27%	51.11%	48.66%	59.48%	50.16%		
2020 Trump vote %	47.73%	48.89%	51.34%	40.52%	49.84%		
B-T 2020 Votes	155,506,285	2,036,439	1,297,390	512,739	3,333,829		
C-T 2016 Votes	128,838,342	1,450,268	963,300	392,089	2,413,568		
C-T 2016 #Diff	2,868,686	-44,454	-46,780	57,233	-91,234		
C-T 2016 % Margin	2.23%	-3.07%	-4.86%	14.60%	-3.78%		
% Incr. B-T Total Vote	20.70%	40.42%	34.68%	30.77%	38.13%		
New B-T 2020 Votes	26,667,943	586,171	334,090	120,650	920,261		
As % of Total Vote	17.15%	28.78%	25.75%	23.53%	27.60%		
Biden's % on New Votes	57.86%	57.64%	51.82%	66.57%	55.53%		
2016 Clinton Vote %	51.11%	48.47%	47.57%	57.30%	48.11%		
2016 Trump Vote %	48.89%	51.53%	52.43%	42.70%	51.89%		
Biden 16-20 vote increas	23.43%	48.07%	37.78%	35.75%	44.01%		
Trump 16-20 vote increa	17.84%	33.22%	31.87%	24.09%	32.68%		
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Zuckerberg Money	\$400,000,000±	\$1,840,345	\$3,342,350	\$950,446	\$5,182,695		
Zuckerberg paid per vote		\$0.90	\$2.58	\$1.85	\$1.55		
Biden min. not-to-lose		46.58%	35.40%	31.00%	43.15%		

There is powerful irrefutable evidence that AZ officials and Dem operatives rigged, manipulated and stole the 2020 Election and now Mayes thinks she will corruptly frame Trump for that injustice? Think again Mayes.

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- o False (corrupt) Certification by AZ State Officials of an State Presidential Election to the January 6, 2021 Congress Official Proceeding, 18 U.S.C. §1512 (c)(1) (2)(k); see §1515
- o Likely false testimony and concealment, under Oath to the J6 Committee by Rusty Bowers (and others) that there was no Election fraud, ballot fraud or irregularities in AZ 2020 Election, 18 U.S.C. §§1001, 372; Bowers' failure as the chief legislative official to look and ask further to determine if there was decisive, visible fraud against Trump §241, since Trump had won MC and AZ in 2016 by 91K votes. 52 U.S.C. §20511 (2)(A)(B)
- o The critical failure of Brnovich, Fann, Hobbs, (Runbeck), MC and PC to find and provide the missing AZ 100K − 200K ballots' chain of custody tickets proving the massive fraud in MC and PC − against a margin of only 10,457 votes.

Kris Mayes Indictable Criminal Conduct as an LEO Framing an Innocent Man by Using Lies and Perjured Statements

- Your action is *probable criminal*, Mayes, and a blatant attempt to interfere in the 2024 Presidential Election 18 U.S.C. §§ 372, 241, 242
- Your joining together and agreeing with others to investigate a "fake crime" against AZ and the United States (by Trump) is a Conspiracy 18 U.S.C. §371, 1621
- You are an Accessory after the fact, Kris Mayes, 18 U.S.C. $\S 3$ at least 5 15 years in

Federal prison.

- Who is protecting you? Do you have promised protection from Hobbs? The FBI? DOJ? White House? AZ Judiciary? The State Bar Overseers? Tell us who is protecting you, to engage in this criminality?
- With whom have you coordinated this "investigation?" The DOJ? White House? Who are your Masters? Who has put you up to this scheme?
- What have you ever done, Mayes, that makes you integrity-qualified as AG to "investigate a stolen or overturned Election?" Nothing! It is either one or the other. You are a corrupt political hack. It was stolen!

"It's robust. It's a serious matter," Mayes, a Democrat, said of her ongoing investigation. "We're going to make sure that we do it on our timetable, applying the resources that it requires to make sure that justice is done, for not only Arizonans, but for the entire country." -Politio Nov. 10, 2023

- AZ is a very corrupt State, all three branches: Judiciary, Executive and Legislative all that corruption will be exposed especially Maricopa and Pima counties if you bring any kind of false Indictment against Trump.
- Many of the corrupt actors who stole and/or covered up the 2020 and 2022 Elections will be exposed and called to the witness stand and interrogated regarding their deceit and dishonesty: you, Hobbs, Ducey, Brnovich, Bowers, Fontes, MC, Hickman, Sellers, Gates, Richer, Jarrett, Lorick, Dul, Liddy, Valenzuela, staff, Runbeck, Fann, the McCain cabal. And the Feds, too. A massive conspiracy, where no one has come clean. Stunning!
- Are you condoning and suborning Perjury by these officials? Anyone you give immunity to, will be impeached as to their untruthfulness.
- It is highly likely you and Hobbs hold Office illegally, winning only by 280 votes and 17,000 votes. Both rigged AZ 2022 Elections. And you're going to investigate Trump, who won clean and clear?

The Evidence of a Stolen Election (attached PDF)

ARIZONA 2020 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION - MARICOPA COUNTY & OUTSIDE *PIMA=OMC							
STATISTICS	USA	Maricopa Cty	OMC	Pima Cty*	AZ Totals		
Population-2020	331,449,281	4,438,342	2,713,160	1,061,000	7,151,502		
Population-2016	323,740,000	4,258,019	2,650,601	1,017,000	6,908,620		
Reg Voters-2020	214,863,264	2,595,272	1,686,029	639,223	4,281,301		
Reg Voters-2016	198,598,827	2,161,716	1,426,750	543,509	3,588,466		
Biden 2020 Votes	81,282,916	1,040,774	631,369	304,981	1,672,143		
Clinton 2016 Votes	65,853,514	702,907	458,260	224,661	1,161,167		
Difference (New votes)	15,429,402	337,867	173,109	80,320	510,976		
Trump 2020 Votes	74,223,369	995,665	666,021	207,758	1,661,686		
Trump 2016 Votes	62,984,828	747,361	505,040	167,428	1,252,401		
Difference (New votes)	11,238,541	248,304	160,981	40,330	409,285		
B-T 2020 #Diff	7,059,547	45,109	-34,652	97,223	10,457		
B-T 2020 % Margin	4.54%	2.22%	-2.67%	18.96%	0.31%		
2020 Biden vote %	52.27%	51.11%	48.66%	59.48%	50.16%		
2020 Trump vote %	47.73%	48.89%	51.34%	40.52%	49.84%		
B-T 2020 Votes	155,506,285	2,036,439	1,297,390	512,739	3,333,829		
C-T 2016 Votes	128,838,342	1,450,268	963,300	392,089	2,413,568		
C-T 2016 #Diff	2,868,686	-44,454	-46,780	57,233	-91,234		
C-T 2016 % Margin	2.23%	-3.07%	-4.86%	14.60%	-3.78%		
% Incr. B-T Total Vote	20.70%	40.42%	34.68%	30.77%	38.13%		
New B-T 2020 Votes	26,667,943	586,171	334,090	120,650	920,261		
As % of Total Vote	17.15%	28.78%	25.75%	23.53%	27.60%		
Biden's % on New Votes	57.86%	57.64%	51.82%	66.57%	55.53%		
2016 Clinton Vote %	51.11%	48.47%	47.57%	57.30%	48.11%		
2016 Trump Vote %	48.89%	51.53%	52.43%	42.70%	51.89%		
Biden 16-20 vote increas	23.43%	48.07%	37.78%	35.75%	44.01%		
Trump 16-20 vote increa	17.84%	33.22%	31.87%	24.09%	32.68%		
				Pima very suspect			
Zuckerberg Money	\$400,000,000±	\$1,840,345	\$3,342,350	\$950,446	\$5,182,695		
Zuckerberg paid per vote		\$0.90	\$2.58	\$1.85	\$1.55		
Biden min. not-to-lose		46.58%	35.40%	31.00%	43.15%		

There is powerful irrefutable evidence that AZ officials and Dem operatives rigged, manipulated and stole the 2020 Election and now Mayes thinks she will corruptly frame Trump for that injustice? Think again Mayes.

- ➤ In 2016, Trump won MC, Outside MC, and all AZ by 91K votes or 3.78%. In 2020, Biden, AZ Dems and RINOs were under enormous pressure to cheat. And they did. But they could only win by a *paltry* 10,457 votes.
- ➤ In 2020, Trump overwhelmed AZ with his voters, a 32.68% increase that's why Biden and the Dems had to cheat they were swamped with Trump votes. Statistics prove Biden did not do well in AZ; he had to cheat.
- ➤ On November 3, 2020 at 8:05, 8:06pm, there were (2) Biden-Trump dumps executed of 2,071,548 AZ ballots (Bi. 363K, 798K; Tr. 254K, 655K), where Biden netted 251.6K votes. They "claimed" 1.262M ballots were left to count. That was criminal because there

is no place or possibility anywhere in AZ (either MC or PC) where Biden could have achieved that kind of result. As proof, there are 100K – 200K AZ "ballots" with missing chain of custody tickets; so says AG Brnovich and Cyber Ninjas. This appears to be stuffed ballots and digital algorithms applied. I am sure you fully investigated this huge scam, Mayes. Hah!

- The AZ SOS, Maricopa and Pima Counties have failed to tell AZ and the Nation where this composite 2.071M ballot dump came from geographically. That is fraud to withhold and conceal that critical information, yet hold it out to be authentic without any valid proof. Where did the remaining 1.262M ballots come from?
- ➤ Pima County (PC) claimed a 35.75% increase in Biden votes and took a 66.57% share of new votes coming into PC all unbelievable, unexplainable and certain cheating indicating at least 25K± excess, fake Biden ballots. All this far above national and BGS averages.
- ➤ MC claimed a 48.07% (337K) increase in Biden votes in 2020 after having lost MC by nearly 45K votes to Trump in 2016. That increase is unbelievable, unexplained and pure fraud. The highest increase in the Nation in any County; far above national and BGS increases. See Orange, San Diego, Harris and King Counties not even close. AZ claimed a 44.01% increase in Biden votes cheating. And if AZ and MC had not "recorded" 43%+ and 46%+ Biden vote increases over 2016, Biden easily loses all Arizona. Biden clearly cheated to win and avoid losing.
- ➤ In OMC, Biden *had to* claim a 37.78% increase in new votes just to criminally counter Trump's 31.87% increase. And if Biden gets less than a 35.4% increase in OMC he would have lost all AZ. All this to cheat!
- ➤ MC claimed 53,124 "other votes." All of AZ claimed just 53,497. For MC that represents 2.5% of total votes; 1.2% of population; and 2.1% of registered voters. All those MC "other votes" are far above State, BGS and National averages. There is something extremely suspicious about MC "other votes." This analysis indicates 15K 20K excess "other votes" in MC with no plausible explanation for their existence.

- ➤ PC provides 14.83% of the AZ population; they supplied 15.38% of the AZ total votes.

 That is a certain indicator of some 18K excess votes.
- The corruption and criminality in MC and PC is unbridled. A national disgrace. But go ahead, Mayes, and make your outrageous, criminal avowal that, "Trump and Giuliani tried to corruptly overturn an Election, and Rusty Bowers is a trusted public official."
- > AZ claimed 920K new votes coming into all AZ for 2020; Biden claimed 511K, Trump 409K. As a % of the total Election result of 3.334M votes that represents 27.20%, far over national and Battleground States' (BGS) norms of 17.15% and 17.91%. Biden's claim of 511K new votes (30.5% of his 1.672M vote total) is simply not true, as Biden's national average is 18.98%, (still too high). Biden-AZ new votes is at least 10-11% too high as a component % or composite % of the total votes. Biden deliberately cheated in AZ clearly indicating at least 225K fake ballots far over the Biden margin of 10,457. That is criminal fraud.
- There is massive cheating and documented excess ballots in AZ and fake Biden ballot increases of 40% that were needed to win. Without these mammoth, unexplainable increases all over AZ, Biden loses AZ!
- ➤ There is powerful statistical proof that Biden did not do well in AZ versus nationally....so poorly Biden had to stuff 200K 300K fake ballots, credibly explaining the 251K net ballots from the 2.071M 11/3/20 dump!

AG Kris Mayes, the Election fraud in AZ is massive, criminal and easily provable. The fact that you and Brnovich did absolutely nothing to expose it, and now you are attempting to indict Trump for "overturning an Election" is a criminal outrage and should put you in prison for the rest of your life. Moreover, the fact you refuse to go after any of the corrupt, dirtbag State Officials, who perpetrated this felony Election swindle on AZ and the Nation, is further atrocity as a lawyer. The Full Faith and Credit of Arizona has been destroyed. No one believes the results or the Biden increases. You, Hobbs, Ducey, Bowers and Lorick are a scandalous disgrace.

On November 4, 2020 President Donald Trump should have been awarded the Presidential

Election and 11 Electoral votes from AZ. They refused. We will hold you, Mayes, Biden, Garland, Wray, numerous AZ State officials, actors and operatives criminally responsible for <u>Defrauding the United States</u> and your Oaths, 18 U.S.C. §371, 1621. This is a vast swindle to which the <u>Statute of Limitations</u> has not yet begun.

I am requesting you deliver the attached (2) <u>Criminal Indictment Reports</u>, prepared by this writer, and <u>this email</u> to any and all AZ Grand Jury members and prosecutors on this Trump matter. Thus, they will see first-hand the massive chicanery in which AZ and other Government officials engage. There is massive proof the 2020 Election was stolen.

And you, Supreme Court of AZ (and CJ Brutinel), you witnessed two stolen AZ Elections in 2020 and 2022 right under your nose. You blocked Kari Lake; unlawfully, wrongly upheld Hobbs; kept thousands, of corrupt ballots hidden from forensic, signature review and disposition in both cases. Who trusts AZ Elections? No one! What is the purpose and effect of your existence to 7.1 million AZ citizens, when you allow this criminality? Do you think, merely because (many, or all of) you have uncontrollable animus for President Trump, (like Biden, Garland, Smith, Willis and Mayes), that if you bury and trample his constitutional rights – that will solve the problem. See, Canons 1, 2, 3; 18 U.S.C. §§ 372, 241. This massive, 100% certain stolen Presidential Election in AZ is an everlasting scandal and blight on the AZ Supreme Court, et al. You defrauded the Nation and AZ Full Faith and Credit. You did nothing to correct the stolen Election: read the public results and statistics herein. It is fully clear! No Judges may act this way. Our Country has been destroyed by AZ and its Public Officials (and by 5 other States). And according to my intensive review of 2022, the Governor's and AG's Office was highly likely stolen and sabotaged as well – to powerfully block (with these Offices) any investigation or reversal of the stolen 2020 Election. Outrageous! CJ Brutinel, per all the foregoing, why do all these lawyers still have licenses?

ACTION DEMANDED

There needs to be an immediate investigation by the AZ Legislature of: 1.) How and why the AZ Supreme Court allowed two major, stolen elections to occur in Phoenix, Maricopa County right under their noses, without consequence; 2.) Why AG Kris Mayes is seeking to indict an innocent man,

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Fani Willis has done the same thing in GA: she indicted an innocent man, Trump, who won GA overwhelmingly by 75K - 300K votes, with an 11,779 "Biden margin." Is Kris Mayes in collaboration and conspiracy with Willis to do the same?

Kris Mayes, **we demand** you publicly answer **now:** the AZ Supreme Court; the Legislature; and the Governor's Office: are you going to indict the AZ officials who rigged, manipulated and stole the 2020/2022 Elections? And tell the DOJ, WH and Fani Willis to go pound sand? **Answer us!** The next step is a petition to SCOTUS.

•This letter is neither a threat, nor obstructing an "investigation." This is an American citizen calling out the massive 2020 criminal Election corruption in Arizona, and in the WH, DOJ and FBI. Please note 18 U.S.C. §§ 4, 1513(e), 1512(e).

Respectfully, firmly, truthfully, /s/ Mark A. Thomas – Summit, NJ

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Ex-Felon Voting Rights: Analysis by the Marshall Project found that only a small number of thousands of formerly incarcerated people whose voting rights were restored in time for the 2020 election made it back on to the voter rolls in four key states – Nevada, Kentucky, lowa and New Jersey. According to the analysis, At least 13 states have expanded voting rights for people with felony convictions between 2016 and 2020. As a result, millions of formerly incarcerated people across the country are now eligible to vote. Yet none of the states analyzed registered more than 1 in 4 eligible voters who were formerly incarcerated. That's significantly lower than the registration rate among the general public, where almost 3 in 4 eligible voters registered in each state. According to USA Today, many people working to register newly eligible voters said the low registration numbers for formerly incarcerated people reflect more than apathy and political alienation. Most don't even know they now have the right to vote. None of the states in the analysis required corrections departments or boards of elections to notify newly eligible voters of their rights. The task was left to political organizers, already stretched thin by get-out-the-vote efforts amid a pandemic. To coax the newly enfranchised back onto the voter rolls, they've had to dispel the widely held fear that voting could mean going back to prison.

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Research and Report Summaries

Michigan's Senate Oversight Committee released a report on the state's 2020 elections this week. The report, Report on the November 2020 Election in Michigan, summarizes findings from the committee's investigation into claims of election fraud, impropriety, mismanagement, and error in the elections. The report concludes that "while there are glaring issues that must be addressed in current Michigan election law, election security, and certain procedures, there is no evidence presented at this time to prove either significant acts of fraud or that an organized, wide-scale effort to commit fraudulent activity was perpetrated." The report presents the investigation's findings regarding claims of voting by deceased individuals and non-residents, implausible turnout, results manipulation in Antrim County, as well as alleged irregularities surrounding absentee ballots and applications, signature verification, the functioning of tabulators and precinct computers, and the use of private funds for election administration.

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Legislative Updates

Illinois: Gov. J.B. Pritzker signed into law an election package that moves next year's March 15 primary to June 28, makes the general election day in November a state holiday and allows voters to permanently cast ballots by mail. In signing the elections bill, Pritzker painted the new law as a sharp contrast to efforts in other states to curtail voting rights. "With attacks on voting rights on the rise in states across the nation, Illinois is proud to stand up for a strong, secure, and accessible democracy," Pritzker said in a statement. The new law builds off election changes imposed during the pandemic. It makes curbside voting permanent and sets up voting centers on Election Day where anyone within the election's jurisdiction can vote, regardless of the precinct of their residence. Election authorities will send out a notice of the availability of vote-by-mail applications as well as a new registry allowing people to permanently vote by mail. People who move or die would be removed from lists based on address data and death certificates. The measure also allows county sheriffs statewide to set up polling places in their jails for people who are awaiting trial and have not been convicted, similar to what Cook County already does. In addition, due to a previous hacking of the Illinois State Board of Elections, the law requires the state's 108 election authorities — primarily county clerks and boards of election — to conduct monthly vulnerability risk scanning.

Vermont: The House of Representatives voted to override Gov. Phil Scott's vetoes of two bills that would allow noncitizens in Montpelier and Winooski to vote in local elections. By a vote of 103 to 47, representatives mustered the two-thirds vote necessary to force the bills into law over the governor's objections. The 30-member Senate is expected to follow suit later this week. The residents of the two cities had already voted overwhelmingly to change their charters to allow noncitizens to vote in local — but not statewide or national — elections. The Vermont legislature must approve all proposed local charter changes, and it did so in these cases. But Scott vetoed both measures earlier this month. "This is the local control that Vermont champions," Rep. Hal Colston (D-Winooski) said. "This is the local democracy that other states covet." In his veto message, Scott argued that a "highly variable town-by-town approach" to local voting effectively creates "separate and unequal classes.

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Legal Updates

Indiana: The U.S. Supreme Court <u>declined to hear an appeal</u> of a lawsuit seeking to require Indiana to offer mail-in voting to all residents. The lawsuit argued Indiana's requirement that absentee voters be at least 65 years old violates the 26th Amendment: "The right of citizens of the United States, who are

eighteen years of age or older, to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of age." By declining to hear the case, the Supreme Court allows a federal appeals court's ruling in favor of the state to stand and keeps the absentee voting requirements in place. The appeals court ruled the requirements for mail-in voting do not violate the 26th Amendment because they don't prevent anyone from exercising their right to vote. The legal battle will be remitted back to the Southern District court where it started.

Tennessee: A split 6th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals panel reinstated a Tennessee law requiring <u>first-time voters</u> in the state to appear in person to vote. The panel overturned a lower court's ruling that blocked the restriction on absentee voting ahead of the 2020 general election. Judge Julia Smith Gibbons reasoned in part that the COVID-19 pandemic is "unlikely to pose a serious threat during the next election cycle." In dissent, Judge Karen Nelson Moore wrote that it's hard to tell how the pandemic will evolve over months and years. The law requires first-time voters to vote in person or show ID at the local election office to vote by mail.

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Upcoming Events

Ballot Battle: How much do you really know about elections?: Georgia, Arizona, and Texas are among the states passing bills that will restrict local voting laws. These laws will make changes to registration polls, early voting, absentee voting, and voter ID requirements. Michigan, Pennsylvania, and North Carolina are positioned to follow suit — but what does this actually mean for voters? Join Votebeat for Ballot Battle to test your knowledge about how voting and elections work. There will be a quiz, an expert panel, and you might even win a prize! Hosted by Votebeat's editorial director, Jessica Huseman. Our panelists are Paul Gronke, Professor of Political Science at Reed College and the Director of the Early Voting Information Center, Maurice Turner, the Cybersecurity Fellow at the Alliance for Securing Democracy (ASD) at the German Marshall Fund of the United States (GMF), and Michael Miller, Assistant Professor of Political

Science at Barnard College. Please RSVP for this event so we're able to provide streaming information. This virtual event is free to attend, but we do offer the option for a donation to Votebeat to support our nonprofit journalism and events like this. Votebeat is a nonpartisan news organization covering voting access and election integrity year-round. **When:** June 29 from 7 to 7:45 p.m. **Where:** Online.

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Job Postings This Week

Chief Deputy County Clerk, Summit County, located in Utah, is seeking candidates with administrative professional experience for Chief Deputy Clerk. The Chief Deputy Clerk performs a variety of professional administrative and supervisory duties related to organizing, directing, and coordinating the various legally required functions of the office of the County Clerk. In the absence of the County Clerk, assumes all statutory authority and responsibility of the department. Works in close relationship with the Clerk. Appointments to this position are politically exempt from protection under county personnel policies and procedures; as such employee works at the will and pleasure of the clerk. May provide close to general supervision to Deputy Clerk(s) and Elections Clerk. We are a drug free workplace conducting preemployment drug testing. We are an equal opportunity employer and encourage women, minorities, and the disabled to apply. Salary: \$75,000. Application: For the complete job listing and to apply, click here.

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NIST releases RIF on accessibility

RIF focuses on 20 specific types of information

By M. Mindy Moretti electionline

Following the 2020 election, the U.S. Election Assistance Commission (EAC) and Rutgers University conducted a <u>survey of accessibility for voters with disabilities</u>.

The study found that the difficulties voting among people with disabilities declined markedly from 2012 to 2020, the last time the survey was conducted. However despite the improvement, one in nine voters with disabilities encountered difficulties voting in 2020 which is double the rate of people without disabilities.

Changes to state election policies have many advocates in the disability community worried that some of those changes may have <u>negative impacts on voters with disabilities</u> and erase the advances made since 2012.

In response to some of the state-level election policies, in President Joe Biden issued <u>Executive Order</u> (EO) 14019 on Promoting Access to Voting.

Among other things, the EO tasked the National Institutes of Standards and Technology (NIST) with

evaluating the steps needed to ensure that the online Federal Voter Registration Form — also called the National Mail Voter Registration Form — is accessible to people with disabilities. It also states that NIST will work with U.S. agencies including the Department of Justice and the EAC to analyze barriers to private and independent voting for people with disabilities, including access to voter registration, voting technology, voting by mail, polling locations and poll worker training.

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In Their Own Words

Military and overseas civilian voters have lost a great champion and hero.

Former Senator John Warner (R-Virginia) died on May 25 in northern Virginia at the age of 94. President Biden lauded his "principled stances" on important issues facing our nation during his five terms in the US Senate from 1979 until 2009. Former Senator Warner also served as Secretary of the Navy between 1972 and 1974.

In 1988, Senator Warner led the effort to approve the Uniformed and Overseas Civilian Absentee Voter Act P.L.99-4120 (UOCAVA), which was signed into law by President Reagan on August 28 of that year. UOCAVA assures the rights of covered citizens to register to vote and to vote by absentee ballot in all federal elections for the following classes of American citizens:

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"We received 387 relevant comments from 64 different respondents to the draft," said Kerrianne Buchanan, a NIST social scientist and one of the report's authors. "It was a diverse group ranging from disability advocacy groups to voting technology vendors. We also heard from about 20 individuals who shared their experiences with the voting process."

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Election Security Updates

News from CISA: In partnership with the FBI, CISA released the <u>Security Resources for the Election</u>

Infrastructure Subsector: "Everyday election security officials face far-ranging risks – from protecting their networks and systems from bad actors to maintaining physical security of election facilities and workers, and debunking false information. As part of our mission to enhance the security and resilience of election infrastructure, CISA offers services, guidance, and support to election security officials across the country. The fact sheet released today by CISA and our partners at the Federal Bureau of Investigation is an interagency catalog of of physical security guidance documents, tools, services, and other resources to help election officials secure their physical safety particularly focusing on tools to help them protect their offices and staff. It's one of many resources we make available to election security officials and can be found at CISA.gov/election-security." For this product and additional election resources, visit: CISA.gov/election-security-library

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Arkansas: Pulaski County Circuit Judge Wendell Griffen struck down four new voting restrictions passed by Republican lawmakers, finding the measures unconstitutional. Griffen issued a permanent injunction against the new voting laws at the end of a four-day trial in a challenge brought by the League of Women

Voters of Arkansas, Arkansas United and five voters over the restrictions. The measures struck down include a change to the state's voter ID law that removes the option for someone to sign an affidavit affirming their identity if they don't present a photo identification at the polls. The other measures would prevent anyone other than voters from being within 100 feet of a polling place, require an absentee voter's signature on a ballot to match the signature on their voter registration application, and move up the deadline for voters to return absentee ballots in person. Griffen, who ruled from the bench, said he planned to issue a more detailed order later. Attorney General Leslie Rutledge said the state will appeal.

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CISA on Social Media: CISA has launched a new MDM social media series, Optical Illusions, to raise public awareness of MDM and more specifically, on malinformation. Malinformation is based on fact, but used out of context to mislead, harm, or manipulate. Through a series of images and animations, this engaging communications campaign, will help the audience learn how to build long-term resilience to MDM. "CISA strives to develop innovative methods – from graphic novels to Rumor Control and now optical illusions – to help Americans recognize and avoid mis-, dis-, and malinformation (MDM) operations targeting our democracy. Online information consumption can be understood through illusions: often there is more than meets the eye. Through a series of images and animations, the optical illusions series will help Americans identify and combat MDM," said National Risk Management Center Acting Assistant Director Mona Harrington Check it out at @CISAgov and retweet to spread awareness on the actions we can all take to reduce the risks of MDM.

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Social Media's Free Speech Problem: The problem of misinformation on social media has ballooned over the last few years, especially in relation to elections. The result has been further polarization of our already divided country. There has been a boisterous debate about the de-platforming of former president Donald Trump, but how else are social media companies able to combat those deliberately spreading false information? How do we control this false speech while protecting the First Amendment — and our democracy? Join us for a live discussion with one of the country's leading experts on election law, Richard L. Hasen, author of the upcoming book Cheap Speech: How Disinformation Poisons Our Politics — and How to Cure It, for a look into how social media companies can solve this problem without shutting down the essential free flow of ideas and opinions. When: March 24, 6pm. Where: Online

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Welcome to this second article in this three-part series from the <u>Elections & Voting Information Center</u> (<u>EVIC</u>) at Reed College highlighting developments in election science and the individuals conducting this critical work helps us to understand, improve, and advance the work of local election officials (LEOs).

Researchers <u>Grace Gordon</u>, policy analyst with the <u>Elections Project at the Bipartisan Policy Center</u> (<u>BPC</u>), and <u>Paul Manson</u>, visiting assistant professor of political science at Reed College and research director at EVIC, are the subjects of this week's article which recaps our recent chat about how they got involved in elections work, policy lessons from their recent research, and the value of "qualitative data" (non-numerical information drawn from first-hand observation, personal interviews, focus groups, and text responses from surveys) for helping us learn more about the people who conduct elections in the United States.

Daily News and Weekly Temporary Schedule Changes

OK, we're going to give this a try once more...

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Federal Legislation: Republicans on Wednesday blocked the Senate from starting debate on a voting rights bill named after the late Rep. John Lewis (D-Ga.), marking the latest setback for Democrats in their push for new elections legislation. Senators voted 50-49 on whether to bring up the bill, falling short of the 60 votes needed to move forward. Vice President Harris presided over part of the vote. Senate Majority Leader Charles Schumer (D-N.Y.) voted no, a procedural step that lets him bring the bill back up in the future for another vote. Unlike this year's previous failed election reform votes, which were on bills that stretched well beyond bolstering the Voting Rights Act, Democrats picked up a GOP supporter: Sen. Lisa Murkowski (Alaska). All Senate Democrats except Manchin introduced the bill in October to update the 1965 Voting Rights Act (VRA) to strengthen sections that were gutted by the Supreme Court's 2013 Shelby County v. Holder decision, which focused on Section 5 of the VRA and its required Justice Department preclearance before some states could change voting laws, and this year's Brnovich v. Democratic National Committee decision, which advocates believe weakened Section 2, which is focused on racially targeted voting policies. The revised bill that Republicans blocked on Wednesday includes changes such as what factors courts can consider when determining if Section 2 of the VRA has been violated. The bill also drops a requirement for localities with growing minority populations to get preclearance for changes on offering food or drinks to people waiting in line to vote. The change has been included under the earlier version of the bill's new requirement for "practice-based" preclearance.

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Election Officials Made Democracy Happen in 2020

A newreport from the Center for Tech and Civic Life

By <u>Keegan Hughes</u>, senior impact & learning manager Center for Tech and Civic Life

It's been one year since the November 2020 elections, which also means it's been one year since the Center for Tech and Civic Life's <u>COVID-19 Response Grant program</u>. You may recall the grant program — it's the one that distributed approximately \$350 million to <u>nearly 2,500 jurisdictions</u> across 49 states, in order to provide emergency funding during a pandemic.

CTCL wasn't a grantmaking organization before 2020, so we had to learn fast. Luckily, the grant process was straightforward: we awarded funding to every local election office that applied and was verified as legitimate, and they could spend the money on election-related costs that helped them administer the 2020 elections in a safe and secure way.

Awarding grants to 2,500 jurisdictions means we heard stories from 2,500 perspectives. Stories about what grantees were most proud of accomplishing with the funding, what 2020 would have looked like without it, and what grantees could accomplish if their election budgets permanently doubled. The stories were sometimes hopeful, sometimes heartbreaking, and always wildly passionate about serving voters

and keeping everyone safe.

Here at CTCL, we believe that these stories belong to the people who shared them. Each individual provided a tiny glimpse into their world, but collectively their stories burst with common themes, goals, challenges, frustrations, hopes, and dreams. We brainstormed ways to "close the loop" between the individual stories and the collective story of the grant program. We decided to curate the stories, memorialize them in a designed report, and mail a physical copy to every grantee.

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Few snags for Election Day 2021

Voters and officials test out newpolicies and procedures

By M. Mindy Moretti Electionline.org

Voters in 30 states <u>headed to the polls</u> on Tuesday and faced a variety of new laws, new equipment and greater scrutiny fomented by 2020. What they found, was a fairly typical Election Day. Of course there were some technical issues—especially in New Jersey where new equipment was being used for the first time—but there were <u>no major issues</u> and so far (although it's still early), losing candidates and their supporters seem to be accepting the fact that they lost.

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Texas: Disabled, elderly and non-English speaking voters risk disenfranchisement under Texas' new voting law passed by the GOP-controlled Legislature earlier this year, the U.S. Department of Justice claims in a lawsuit filed challenging the legislation known as Senate Bill 1. The suit, filed in San Antonio federal court, argues that both provisions "will curtail fundamental voting rights without advancing any legitimate state interest." "These vulnerable voters already confront barriers to the ballot box, and SB 1 will exacerbate the challenges they face in exercising their fundamental right to vote," the suit argues, saying that the law would negatively impact voters with disabilities, elderly voters, members of the military who are deployed, voters with limited English proficiency and voters residing outside of the country. "There is a history of discrimination against voters with disabilities in Texas," the lawsuit claims, noting estimates that 28% of Texans have conditions impairing their mobility, cognition or vision. The suit also takes aim at SB 1's new rules for mail-in voting. Texas traditionally has placed more limits on mail-in voting than other

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Runbeck Election Services announced it has purchased two W+D 410 Easy Envelopers to bring all of the company's vote-by-mail services within their production facility. With the addition of this new envelope converting machinery, Runbeck will be able to oversee each step in the process of producing vote-by-mail packets for their customers. "Envelopes are a critical part of the vote-by-mail process, whether we are mailing a ballot to a voter, or a voter is mailing their completed ballot for tabulation. We are pleased to be able to bring this final piece of the process under our control for the first time in our company's history," said Bryan Dandurand, Vice President of Operations at Runbeck. Runbeck expects the new W+D 410's to be fully installed by the end of 2021 and ready for the 2022 midterm election cycle.

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Foxes and Henhouses: Restoring Oversight and Accountability A Year After the 2020 Election: As we approach the one-year anniversary of the 2020 election, advocates and lawmakers are still debating how best to protect our democratic institutions and promote accountability for executive branch transgressions. Some are particularly concerned about the role that the Department of Justice and its Office of Legal Counsel (OLC) played in undermining congressional oversight during the Trump years, when it issued opinions that arguably distorted the separation of powers by brooking no recognition for Congress's

prerogatives as a co-equal branch. Others are focused on the need to protect and strengthen the roles of Inspectors General after former President Trump fired four IGs in the span of six weeks in what some called a "dangerous pattern of retaliation" against federal watchdogs. Recognizing that transparency and oversight is key to democratic survival, what are the best ways to achieve accountability for executive branch transgressions? What role should the Office of Legal Counsel play in reigning in executive branch illegality? And what reforms to the Inspector General system are needed so that these watchdogs can provide the independent nonpartisan oversight they are legislatively required to deliver? Moderated by Josh Gerstein, senior legal affairs reporter with Politico and featuring welcoming remarks from former Sen. Russ Feingold. **When:** Nov. 18, 2pm Eastern. **Where:** Online.

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presenting to the public; Partner and provide professional consultation to City leadership, departments, and other partners, internal and external to the City enterprise; Research, and respond to Mayor and Council Member inquiries and issues independently, including complex requests from policy-makers, the media, and the public involving significant amounts of data or sensitive data; Manage multiple competing projects of varying complexity across the department and enterprise; Oversee and ensure the Implementation of program goals and objectives; Work with the City Clerk regarding support, discipline. and discharge of staff from the department, and when handling controversial or politically sensitive issues; Provide leadership of department-wide initiatives and City-wide initiatives, and oversight of financial decisions for the City Clerk's Office; Establish and enforce administrative policies, procedures, and standards for the Office; and Act as the City Clerk as assigned. **Salary:** \$112,139.04 – \$132,934.88.

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State of Military Voter and State of Overseas Voter Updated

An estimated 47% of active duty military and 8% of U.S. citizens abroad voted in 2020, compared to 46% and 8% in 2016 respectively.

These findings and more are part of the recent update of the Federal Voting Assistance Program's (FVAP) <u>State of the Military Voter (SOTMV)</u> and <u>State of the Overseas Voter (SOTOV)</u> data, examining post-election research from the 2020 General Election.

UOCAVA voters face unique challenges compared to local voters. FVAP again found the ability to receive and submit an absentee ballot on time can be an obstacle, made more complex in 2020 by the COVID-19 pandemic.

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When expanded audits are considered in tandem with the nearly universal use of paper ballots and bolstered cybersecurity, 2020 was the <u>most secure election in U.S. history</u>. Even still, this year an increasing number of states have considered additional extralegal, unofficial election reviews examining the presidential election.

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Georgia: A <u>court settlement</u> requires the Georgia secretary of state's office to improve its responsiveness to records requests after a government watchdog organization alleged it failed to turn over public election documents. The agreement resolves a lawsuit filed by American Oversight that said state election officials stalled or ignored requests for information about an absentee ballot fraud task force, communications with the Republican National Committee, coronavirus response and election operations. Secretary of State Brad Raffensperger's office must produce readily available records within three business days of open records requests, improve training, require prepayment only when records retrieval costs exceed \$500 and make a \$35,000 payment to American Oversight, according to the Oct. 20 settlement agreement in Fulton County Superior Court. "The secretary of state's office cannot ignore Georgia's robust open records law," said Austin Evers, executive director of American Oversight. "This agreement includes much-needed reforms designed to remedy the inconsistencies, delays and breakdowns in communication that prevent records requesters from accessing what is rightfully theirs." State election officials said last year that responses to open records requests were at times delayed because American Oversight didn't accept estimated charges in a timely manner. "We hold ourselves to the principles of transparency," Deputy Secretary of State Jordan Fuchs said. "Our team will continue to answer requests as quickly as possible and believe that we would have won this case if the state had chosen to expend its limited resources to fight this frivolous lawsuit."

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More Choice, Less Overwhelm

Introducing Ranked Choice Voting in NYC

By Charlotte Levitt

Director of Marketing & Digital Communications, New York City Campaign Finance Board

On June 22, New York City held its largest local primary election in a generation, with over 500 candidates running for office. NYC also became the largest locality in the United States to adopt Ranked Choice Voting. For the first time, New Yorkers could list their top five candidates for local offices, in order of preference, instead of choosing just one.

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Sent: Monday, August 7, 2023 1:32:22 PM

To: Amy Chan; Cc: Keely Varvel

Subject: RE: EO 14019 - Promoting Access to Voting

Sensitivity: Normal

That would be brilliant!

From: Amy Chan < @azsos.gov> Sent: Monday, August 7, 2023 1:30 PM

To: C.Murphy Hebert < @azsos.gov>; Celina Olivas < @azsos.gov>; Tonia Tunnell < @azsos.gov>

Cc: Keely Varvel < @azsos.gov>

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What a fantastic idea!! Happy to do over teams. Let me review the email & attachments & I can work with you to formalize it. We can get Colleen's final say when she's back later this week if that timing works?

Amy B. Chan (She | Her | Hers)

General Counsel

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From: C.Murphy Hebert < @azsos.gov>

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To: Celina Olivas < @azsos.gov>; Tonia Tunnell < @azsos.gov>; Amy Chan < @azsos.gov>

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Hi folks, Celina and I are following up on the meeting we had with the ACLU about designating the Native Health Spaces as voter hubs (request attached). There is so much alignment on this project that I hope it will come together quickly. While I was out on Friday, Josh from HIS, sent over some materials that have been used in the past to set up this designation.

Celina and I can take the lead on getting this set up but we would need information about how to make the designation official

What's the best way to have this conversation? Should I find a time for us to meet or is this something we can hammer out on email/teams?

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Sent: Friday, August 4, 2023 2:37 PM

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To: Marshall, Joshuah (IHS/HQ)

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Hello Murphy,

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Sensitivity: Normal

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Thanks Josh

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Sent: Thursday, August 17, 2023 2:53 PM

To: Marshall, Joshuah (IHS/HQ) < @ihs.gov>

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Thank you.

Best, Celina

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Let me check with our nonprofit partners if they came across examples in other states regarding this work.

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From: Tonia Tunnell

Sent: Thursday, August 10, 2023 12:40:25 PM

To: <u>C.Murphy Hebert</u>; Cc: Keely Varvel

Subject: RE: EO 14019 - Promoting Access to Voting

Sensitivity: Normal

We (I think George, Keely, SOS and me-I can't remember who all were there) had a meeting with the ACLU's Darrell Hill about this issue on July 6th. At that meeting we identified the Native American health organizations as perfect partners for this. I think the "how to make it official" requires an agreement between our two offices. Amy?

Best regards,

Tonia

From: C.Murphy Hebert < @azsos.gov>

Sent: Monday, August 7, 2023 1:27 PM

To: Celina Olivas < @azsos.gov>; Tonia Tunnell < @azsos.gov>; Amy Chan < @azsos.gov>

Cc: Keely Varvel < @azsos.gov>

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Hi folks, Celina and I are following up on the meeting we had with the ACLU about designating the Native Health Spaces as voter hubs (request attached). There is so much alignment on this project that I hope it will come together quickly. While I was out on Friday, Josh from HIS, sent over some materials that have been used in the past to set up this designation.

Celina and I can take the lead on getting this set up but we would need information about how to make the designation official.

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To: Marshall, Joshuah (IHS/HQ)

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Sensitivity: Normal

Sounds good, thanks! □

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Sent: Thursday, August 17, 2023 11:59 AM **To:** Celina Olivas < @aasos.gov>

Subject: RE: EO 14019 - Promoting Access to Voting

Hello,

I am trying to get a response from the NPO partners. We have a meeting tomorrow afternoon, but I hope we can get it before then. I share Susan's enthusiasm.

Thanks Josh

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To: <u>@wisconsin.gov;</u>

Cc: Keely Varvel

Subject: FW: Federal Work Study DOE letter

Response requested: No Sensitivity: Normal

Attachments:

DOELetter.docx roups' Work Study & Civics Letter final.pdf niversity Letter 5-23.docx

With Hannah's corrected email address.

From: C. Murphy Hebert

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From: Alex

Sent: Thursday, June 15, 2023 12:15:42 PM

To: Angelek Larkins

Subject: FW: Federal Work Study DOE letter

Response requested: No Sensitivity: Normal

Attachments:

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From: C.Murphy Hebert < @azsos.gov>

Sent: Thursday, June 15, 2023 12:05 PM

To: @wisconsin.gov; Alex < @azsos.gov>

Cc: Keely Varvel < @azsos.gov>
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With Hannah's corrected email address.

From: C. Murphy Hebert

Sent: Thursday, June 15, 2023 12:02 PM

<u>@wisconsin.gov</u>; Alex < <u>@azsos.gov</u>>

Cc: Keely Varvel < @azsos.gov>
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Hi Hannah,

Thanks for sending these over. Keely is out of the office today, so I am looping in Alex who will make sure you get the electronic signature later today.

Thanks again, Murphy



From: Menchhoff, Hannah - SOS <

@wisconsin.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, June 14, 2023 8:30:00 PM

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Sent: Thursday, June 15, 2023 8:40:11 AM

To: C.Murphy Hebert

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Sensitivity: Normal

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Could you talk to Adrian about this and send the signature if you all decide it's ok? Tonia may be able to help if you're busy but I know she's been busy with the EOC training this week (and planning for next week's in Flag) so didn't want to put this on her plate if I didn't have to.

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From: Federal Voting Assistance Program

Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 6:06:27 AM

To: Tanner

Subject: FVAP Releases 2020 Post-Election Report to Congress

Response requested: No

Sensitivity: Normal



Voting assistance for Service members, their families and overseas citizens

FVAP Releases 2020 Post-Election Report to Congress

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Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 6:11:51 AM

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Sensitivity: Normal



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