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Re: Submission of Report to Legislature – Report of Suspected Election Fraud, Irregularities, or Violations pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 7.15(1)(g)

Chief Clerks Blazel and Hale:

Attached to the email transmitting this letter, please find the Wisconsin Election Commission's report to the Legislature of suspected election fraud, irregularities, or violations as reported to the Commission by municipal clerks pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 7.15(1)(g). This report is submitted to your offices pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 13.172(2) and notice of this report is to be included in the journals of each respective house, with distribution of the report to members of the Legislature upon request.

Report Notes

The report provides the Legislature with four key pieces of information: date on which the Commission received information from the municipal clerk about the referral, the county in which the referral was made, a brief description of the suspected election fraud, irregularity or violation, and the election during which the event occurred. Additional details concerning the type of activity reported or multiple instances of the same type of activity are noted in parentheses. In some cases, the activity did not pertain to a particular election or pertained to multiple elections.

This report includes notices of referrals received from municipal clerks between July 1, 2023, and September 12, 2024. The report is limited to information sent to the Commission by Wisconsin's municipal clerks, and it is possible that other suspected election frauds, irregularities or violations were referred by municipal clerks who did not also notify the Commission. It is also possible that citizens or organizations have filed complaints directly with a District Attorney, which the Commission has no way of knowing or tracking. For most types of referrals,

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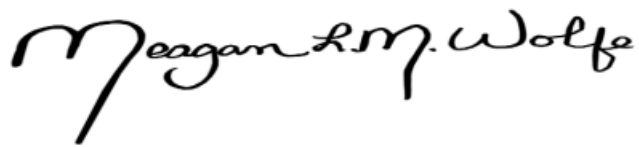
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Meagan Wolfe

the Commission has no information about whether the District Attorney found enough evidence to file charges or whether any charges resulted in a conviction.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact the Elections Helpdesk at 608-261-2028 or elections@wi.gov.

Sincerely,

WISCONSIN ELECTIONS COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Megan Wolfe". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Meagan Wolfe
Administrator

Cc: Wisconsin Elections Commission

Enclosure



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Report of Suspected Election Fraud, Irregularities, or Violations

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 7.15(1)(g), the Wisconsin Elections Commission (WEC) submits to the Wisconsin Legislature the following report of “suspected election fraud, irregularities or violations” based on information submitted to the WEC by municipal clerks. This report is submitted to the chief clerks of each house of the Legislature per Wis. Stat. § 13.172(2).

The WEC received the information in this report between July 1, 2023 and September 12, 2024. Please see the transmittal letter to the chief clerks which accompanies this report that describes the contents and limitations of this report.

Date	County	Suspected Election Fraud, Irregularity or Violation	Related Election
8/18/23	Polk	Voting in Wisconsin after subsequently registering to vote in another state	2023 Spring Election
1/22/24	Pepin	Felon signing a declaration of candidacy stating that they have not been convicted of a felony	2024 Spring Election
3/13/24	Ozaukee	Distributing election fliers to mailboxes while allegedly impersonating another person	2023 Spring Primary
4/19/24	Douglas	Voting twice in same election (in-person and in-person absentee)	2024 Spring Election
4/19/24	Douglas	Discrepancy between write-in candidate totals between municipal and county election results, incorrect grouping of un-registered write-ins in a group of “All Others” instead of counting each individually by name	2024 Spring Election
5/15/24	Milwaukee	Voting twice in same election (in-person and absentee by mail or in-person absentee) (7 instances)	2024 Spring Election
7/3/24	Columbia	Voting while registered at an address the voter no longer lives at	2024 Spring Election
8/5/24	La Crosse	Felon registration	2022 General Election
8/6/24	Calumet	Voting twice in same election (in-person absentee twice)	2024 Partisan Primary
8/9/24	Kenosha	Felon registration (6 instances)	2024 Spring Election
8/26/24	Milwaukee	Voting twice in same election (in-person and absentee by mail or in-person absentee) (7 instances)	2023 Spring Election

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9/6/24	Kenosha	Voting twice in same election (in-person in different municipalities)	2024 Spring Election