



The Wisconsin Republican Assembly a Chartered Affiliate of the National Federation of Republican Assemblies

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Resolution to Restore Election Integrity in Wisconsin

WHEREAS, Wisconsin voters demand immediate and comprehensive election reform to restore public confidence, transparency, and accountability in the electoral process;

WHEREAS, Wisconsin's current election procedures must be modernized to reflect the highest standards of security and accuracy, ensuring that only legally eligible voters participate in elections;

WHEREAS, election integrity is fundamental to maintaining a constitutional republic, ensuring that each legal vote is counted and protected from potential fraud; and

WHEREAS, secure, transparent, and efficient election processes are necessary to uphold public confidence in electoral outcomes and prevent manipulation or undue influence; and

WHEREAS, to achieve these goals, Wisconsin must adopt the following reforms:

- ✓ **Single-day elections** conducted on a secure and transparent basis, eliminating prolonged voting periods that increase risks of ballot manipulation and chain-of-custody concerns, make **Election Day a Holiday**;
- ✓ **Hand-counted, irreproducible, secure, and auditable paper ballots**, printed exclusively by Wisconsin-owned vendors, ensuring election materials remain under state control and are not subject to external tampering or influence;
- ✓ **Mandatory voter photo ID and proof of U.S. citizenship** at the time of registration and voting, closing any potential loopholes that could allow illegal voting by non-citizens or synthetic identities;
- ✓ **Absentee voting strictly limited** to military personnel, first responders, and permanently disabled or bed-stricken individuals, with rigorous verification, tracking, and auditing procedures to prevent fraudulent ballot harvesting;
- ✓ **Elimination of same-day voter registration**, as the lack of adequate verification time for clerks increases the risk of fraudulent votes being cast. Once an election is certified and ballots are combined, fraudulent votes cannot be identified or removed;
- ✓ **Elimination of voting centers and centralized counting centers**, as these facilities mix ballots from multiple precincts and wards, making recounts more difficult and reducing transparency. Precincts should be no larger than 1,500 registered voters, ensuring quality control, chain of custody, and local oversight by clerks; and
- ✓ **Eliminate the use of absentee ballot drop boxes** due to the inability to maintain a secure and verifiable chain of custody. Ballot drop boxes prevent full compliance with State and Federal election laws and undermine the constitutional principle of one person, one vote.

WHEREAS, restoring control of elections to local clerks enhances trust in the electoral process and ensures that election procedures remain transparent, verifiable, and accountable;

WHEREAS, replacing costly electronic voting machines with hand-counted paper ballots would save Wisconsin taxpayers an estimated **90% in election expenses**, reducing reliance on error-prone and potentially compromised voting systems;

WHEREAS, these reforms will strengthen public trust by ensuring transparency, eliminating vulnerabilities, and deterring illegal votes, thereby upholding the principle of **one legal vote per legal voter**;

WHEREAS, an educated and engaged electorate is essential to a **Constitutional Republic**, and the establishment of a "**Student Accredited Civic Duty Program**" will allow students to participate in ballot counting, providing hands-on experience, and fostering a deeper understanding of the electoral process;

WHEREAS, international examples such as **France (39 million voters) and Taiwan (23+ million voters)** demonstrate that elections can be **securely and efficiently conducted in a single day** using hand-counted paper ballots, strict voter identification, and proof of citizenship;

WHEREAS, county and municipal clerks, as the **legally designated custodians of election integrity**, must be solely responsible for maintaining **accurate and up-to-date voter rolls**, ensuring that only **active eligible voters** are listed and that a **newly updated paper poll book** is created before each state and federal election;

WHEREAS, to prevent election fraud and improper access, all **deceased, moved, duplicate, suspended, administratively removed, and felon voter registrations** must be securely archived in a separate, auditable database, entirely distinct from **active** voter registration records;

WHEREAS, Wisconsin must **withdraw from the Electronic Registration Information Center (ERIC)**, which currently **inflates voter rolls** by including ineligible and inactive voters, while charging fees per registration, even though **only approximately 3.8 million out of almost 8.3 million** total registrations are actively used, leaving approximately **4.4 million registrations as placeholders for potential fraud**;

WHEREAS, evidence suggests that **Wisconsin's voter rolls are centrally controlled** outside the direct authority of local clerks, **limiting** their ability to maintain the accuracy and integrity of voter lists, despite their sworn duty under Wisconsin law to ensure fair and legal elections;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Wisconsin adopt these election integrity reforms to safeguard the fairness, security, and transparency of elections; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that local election clerks be granted full authority and responsibility over the administration and security of elections within their jurisdictions; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that these measures be enacted to ensure Wisconsin elections remain free, fair, and secure, upholding the rights of all legal voters and preventing fraud or manipulation.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the **Wisconsin Republican Assembly (WRA)** strongly supports these essential election integrity reforms and urges **Wisconsin Governor Tony Evers, the Wisconsin Legislature, and Wisconsin Senate** to immediately adopt these measures in alignment with **President Donald J. Trump's Election Integrity Policy**;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Wisconsin Republican Assembly affirms its commitment to upholding free, fair, and transparent elections that reflect the will of **legal Wisconsin voters** and ensure that every legal vote is counted while eliminating opportunities for fraud and manipulation;

WITNESS our hand and seal verifying this resolution, adopted by unanimous vote, as revised this 29th day of January, 2026.

Respectfully Submitted,

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