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FLASHBACK, 2019: HBO's John Oliver Warns About Unsecure Voting Machines

Warren, Klobuchar, Wyden, and Pocan Investigate Vulnerabilities and Shortcomings of Election Technology Industry with Ties to Private Equity

Three private equity-owned election technology vendors serve 90% of eligible voters but fail to sufficiently innovate, improve, and protect deteriorating voting systems; Election security experts have noted for years that our nation's voting systems and election infrastructure are under serious threat

Dominion Voting Systems Asks Court to Ban Inspection of Machines in 2020 Election Probe

Voting system manufacturer Dominion Voting Systems filed paperwork on Monday to prevent inspections of its machines as Republican lawmakers in Pennsylvania move forward with a proposed audit of its systems.

Judge Seals Report on Voting Machine Vulnerability

It's the kind of report that could be weaponized by those looking to cast doubt on U.S. election results: a cybersecurity analysis that found flaws in Georgia's voting machines and warns about the potential for future attacks. But a federal judge has sealed the report, and her attempt to shield the public from bad faith efforts to undermine the 2020 election could instead fuel the conspiracy theory dumpster fires—and keep the voting machine maker from figuring out how to fix it.

The Vulnerabilities of Our Voting Machines

A few weeks ago computer scientist J. Alex Halderman rolled an electronic voting machine onto a Massachusetts Institute of Technology stage and demonstrated how simple it is to hack an election.

In a mock contest between George Washington and Benedict Arnold three volunteers each voted for Washington. But Halderman, whose research involves testing the security of election systems, had tampered with the ballot programming, infecting the machine's memory card with malicious software. When he printed out the results, the receipt showed Arnold had won, 2 to 1. Without a paper trail of each vote, neither the voters nor a human auditor could check

for discrepancies. In real elections, too, about 20 percent of voters nationally still cast electronic ballots only.

ICS Advisory (ICSA-22-154-01)

Vulnerabilities Affecting Dominion Voting Systems ImageCast X

This advisory identifies vulnerabilities affecting versions of the Dominion Voting Systems Democracy Suite ImageCast X, which is an in-person voting system used to allow voters to mark their ballot. The ImageCast X can be configured to allow a voter to produce a paper record or to record votes electronically. While these vulnerabilities present risks that should be mitigated as soon as possible, CISA has no evidence that these vulnerabilities have been exploited in any elections.

Exploitation of these vulnerabilities would require physical access to individual ImageCast X devices, access to the Election Management System (EMS), or the ability to modify files before they are uploaded to ImageCast X devices. Jurisdictions can prevent and/or detect the exploitation of these vulnerabilities by diligently applying the mitigations recommended in this advisory, including technical, physical, and operational controls that limit unauthorized access or manipulation of voting systems. Many of these mitigations are already typically standard practice in jurisdictions where these devices are in use and can be enhanced to further guard against exploitation of these vulnerabilities.

Whistleblower Exposes Security Threats, Felonies at Supervisor of Elections

A whistleblower is making bombshell claims that have exposed serious security threats, election integrity concerns and potential felonies taking place under Orange County Supervisor of Elections Bill Cowles. The revelations are raising big concerns just ahead of another major election and casting doubt on the longtime local Democrat Supervisor of Elections.

The damning allegations from the whistleblower against Supervisor Cowles include unaccounted thumb drives of sensitive elections information, possible data exfiltration of confidential information, pirated software on Supervisor of Elections systems, a cybersecurity investigation stopped by Cowles himself, staff accessing emails of top SOE officials, and potential identity theft, among other serious security and election integrity concerns.

Federal indictment alleging Iranian hack further erodes narrative of perfect 2020 election

During the dizzying days after the November 2020 election, the Homeland Security cyber-security chief was fired by a frustrated President Donald Trump, then went on national TV to insist the election was fully secure.

"There was no indication or evidence that there was any sort of hacking or compromise of election systems on, before or after November 3," ex-Cyber-Security and Infrastructure Agency Chief Chris Krebs declared on "60 Minutes."

On Thursday, nearly a year later, federal prosecutors in New York unsealed a dramatic indictment that conflicts with that clean bill of health.

The indictment stated that two Iranian hackers successfully hacked into a state computer election system, stole voter registration data and used it to carry out a cyber-intimidation campaign that targeted GOP members of Congress, Trump campaign officials and Democratic voters in the November 2020 election.

Taking Advantage of the COVID Pandemic to Change the Way We Vote

Rahm Emanuel, the former mayor of Chicago and chief of staff for President Barack Obama, famously said in 2008 that you should never let "a serious crisis go to waste" because it is "an opportunity to do things that you think you could not do before." Liberals in 2020 took Emanuel's political tenet to heart and used the COVID-19 pandemic to try to implement through litigation and executive actions by state government officials the reckless changes in voting and election procedures that they had been wanting for years.

That effort involved voiding basic security protocols on election procedures, including absentee ballots, and pushing for the equivalent of all-mail elections, which would give their activists a free hand in pressuring, coercing, and influencing voters in their homes in ways they are unable to do in polling places. To force these changes, they ended up filing more election-related lawsuits than had ever been filed in an election year in U.S. history. The prior record was almost 200 lawsuits before and after the 2000 election when George W. Bush beat Al Gore; by late October 2020, more than 400 election-related lawsuits had been filed across the nation, the overwhelming majority by the Left.

EXCLUSIVE: Ballot Mules Funded by Obama-Linked NGOs Pouring Billions Into 'Local Insurgencies'

Liberal dark-money group linked to 2020 election donated more than $400M

A liberal dark-money group is alleged to have furnished more than $400 million in 2020 to help Democrats unseat then-President Donald Trump, as well as to help Democrats capture the Senate Majority.

"Altogether this is absolutely one of the largest fundraising machines I have ever come across," said Robert Maguire, an expert in political nonprofits. "I am really struggling to think of any other group, especially recently, that could rival it." He compared the amount of money to the Republican-leaning Koch brothers' network at its height.

Prosecutors: U.S. election firm gave Chinese workers 'superadministration' access to election data

A U.S. election technology company currently embroiled in scandal gave Chinese subcontractors high-level security access to American election data, according to a warrant filed by prosecutors this week in Los Angeles.

Authorities earlier this month arrested Eugene Yu, the CEO of the election software company Konnech, on charges of grand theft and embezzlement related to his work with that firm. Controversy has also swirled over Konnech's alleged storage of poll worker data in servers located in the People's Republic of China.

Konnech says on its website that it offers its PollChief "election logistic software" to nearly three dozen clients across the United States. The warrant for Yu's arrest, meanwhile, made startling allegations related to the handling of sensitive data for those clients.

The charging document, filed in the Superior Court of the State of California for the County of Los Angeles on Thursday, claims that a project manager in August "wrote that any employee for Chinese contractors working on PollChief software had 'superadministration' privileges for all PollChief clients."

Lawsuit filed against Michigan for over 25,000 suspected dead registered voters still on rolls

The Public Interest Legal Foundation has filed a lawsuit against the Michigan secretary of state alleging tens-of-thousands of deceased registered voters are on state voter rolls.

Th suit filed Wednesday alleges "25,975 potentially deceased registrants."

The foundation says it has identified registered voters – those who were listed as "active" and "inactive" – on the rolls who are in fact dead, according to the Social Security Death Index.

More Than 8,000 Double-Registered Voters Found on New Jersey Rolls

New Jersey voter registration records contain more than 8,200 duplicate names, making it possible for one person to cast two ballots, plus another 61 triplicate registrations, seven quadruplicates, three pentaplicates, and one sextuplicate, according to the Public Interest Legal Foundation (PILF).

"New Jersey's voter registration system, like nearly every other studied by PILF, can be tricked into registering a person multiple times with extremely similar biographical data inputs at the same addresses," states the PILF analysis published on June 6.

"These serve as an administrative challenge to be resolved as we see more automation to vote-by-mail. Otherwise, 'John Public' and 'John Q. Public' could each vote once, while the actual John is voting twice.

Report: Fulton County ordered more than 1 million absentee ballots in days prior to Nov. election

In the days prior to the Nov. 3, 2020 election, Fulton County ordered over 1 million absentee ballots knowing that they would never be mailed out, a report noted.

On Oct. 24, an order of 770,210 of the ballots from Runbeck Election Services was delivered to Fulton County, while the county ordered an additional 288,700 ballots from Fidlar that were shipped on Oct. 20, Kevin Moncla reported for UncoverDC on Oct. 25.

"Combined, the two orders total a whopping 1,058,210 ballots," Moncla noted.

"With just 10 days until the November 3rd election, there was literally no way to sort, prepare, fold, stuff and mail out the ballots before the election. Especially considering there were no envelopes ordered. This fact alone removes any possibility that they intended to mail the ballots."

Missing ballots found in New Jersey county

The missing ballots from four voting districts in New Jersey were found on Thursday at the Mercer County Board of Elections, where they had been sitting since Election Day.

Ballots were found from three districts in Princeton and one in Robbinsville, which officials earlier said were lost after being shuttled from the voting place to the election board. Paper ballots had to be used after a software glitch rendered the Dominion electronic voting machines unusable.

DOMINION VOTING MACHINES STOP WORKING IN NEW JERSEY COUNTY

19,000 Late, Invalid Ballots Were Counted in Arizona 2020 Election: Report

With the 2022 midterm elections around the corner, scrutiny of the 2020 voting results continues to raise questions, including a newly identified anomaly in Maricopa County, [Arizona](#), that was discovered by an election integrity group.

Arizona law requires that, to be considered valid, ballots must be received by the county no later than 7 p.m. on Election Day.

But newly uncovered records documenting the Maricopa County 2020 general election show that while more than 20,000 ballots were transported from the U.S. Postal Service after Election Day, Maricopa County only rejected 934 late ballots on its "Early Voting Rejections Summary" document.

This means more than 19,000 late, invalid ballots should have been rejected. That's significant because it's enough to potentially sway the Arizona results in the presidential election, which ended with Joe Biden winning the state with 10,457 more votes than Donald Trump.

Whistleblower letter alleges thousands of fraudulent votes in Pima County, Arizona

A letter written last year by an anonymous whistleblower in Pima County, Arizona and addressed to the DOJ was read into the record at an "ad hoc" election integrity hearing in Tucson on Monday.

The letter, dated Nov. 10, 2020, and addressed to the Criminal Division of the Justice Department, describes a plan orchestrated by the Pima County Recorder and Democratic Party to add approximately 35,000 fraudulent votes to the vote total of each Democratic candidate on the ballot in Pima. The text of the letter, which Just the News confirmed was read at the hearing by state Rep. Mark Finchem, reads as follows:

Study Raises New Questions About 2020 Election Results in 6 States

At least 255,000 excess votes were cast in the 2020 presidential election across six battleground states, according to a [new study](#) that examined individual voting precincts.

Economist [John Lott](#), president of the Crime Research Prevention Center, is the author of the peer-reviewed study, which looked at precincts in Arizona, Georgia, Michigan, Nevada, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin.

The study, set to be published in the academic journal Public Choice, compares precincts where there were allegations of voter fraud to similar precincts in neighboring counties that had no fraud allegations. In each comparison, the two precincts examined fall on opposite sides of a county line—in some cases across the street.

Precincts are county-level election subdivisions, usually with fewer than 1,000 voters. Precincts in counties with fraud allegations had significantly higher voter participation than adjacent precincts in counties without alleged fraud, the study found.

"Precincts are generally small, homogeneous areas, and when two areas are adjacent and similar to each other, why would one precinct have far many more votes?" Lott asked The Daily Signal in an interview. "If you have a get-out-the-vote campaign, you care about winning the state, [and are] not focused on the precinct."

Lott's study found that at least 255,000 excess votes were cast—and possibly as many as 368,000—for Democratic nominee Joe Biden in six states: Arizona, Georgia, Michigan, Nevada, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin.

Biden beat then-President Donald Trump, the Republican nominee, by a total of [313,253](#) votes in the six states.

Head of Wisconsin election probe accuses two big-city mayors of cover-up, stonewalling

A former Wisconsin Supreme Court justice who is leading one of the investigations into the state's 2020 elections says it's clear to him there is a cover-up going on.

Former Justice Michael Gableman told the Assembly's Committee on Elections on Wednesday that the state's Elections Commission, its administrator, and the mayors of Madison and Green Bay have refused to answer any of his questions about the Mark Zuckerberg-funded Center for Tech and Civic Life, and continue to refuse to cooperate with the subpoenas issued in the case.

"[Green Bay Mayor] Eric Genrich and [Madison Mayor] Satya Rhodes-Conway have chosen to ignore the subpoenas issued by the Wisconsin Assembly because they have no intention of answering uncomfortable questions about what they did with the millions of dollars in Zuckerberg money that they took."

Wisconsin Elections Commission to face allegations of potentially illegal behavior

The Wisconsin Elections Commission will soon answer the charges from an [October audit](#) that found dozens of instances when the commission didn't follow the state's election laws.

Commissioners are scheduled to meet Wednesday morning to provide an official response to the audit's questions, and Rep. Janel Brandtjen (R-Menomonee Falls) is very interested to hear what the Commission has to say.

"The audit is damning," Brandtjen told The Center Square on Tuesday. "It makes it very clear that WEC is not doing its job."

Racine County Sheriff to file charges against Wisconsin Election Commission members

The Racine County Sheriff's Office announced that it will file criminal charges against five of the six members of the Wisconsin Election Commission.

[Sheriff Schmaling recommended charges](#) to Racine County District Attorney Patricia Hanson for Commissioners Margaret Bostelmann, Julie Glancey, Ann Jacobs, Dean Knudson, and Mark Thomsen. The charges for each commissioner include two felonies and three misdemeanors.

According to the sheriff department's Facebook post, the charges include misconduct in public office, election fraud, and other alleged crimes.

Soros-Funded Wisconsin DA Bragged About Bail Reform Before Releasing Waukesha Christmas Parade Terrorist Who Plowed Into Children

Democrat official in Michigan charged with ballot tampering, misconduct in 2020 election

A former Michigan county township clerk has been charged with ballot tampering and official misconduct in connection with an expected recount in her own August 2020 primary election.

Michigan Attorney General Dana Nessel announced the charges on Friday against ex-Flint Township Clerk Kathy Funk, a Democrat who will face trial in Genesee County District court.

Funk is accused of intentionally breaking a seal on a ballot container so the votes could not be counted in an anticipated recount. Funk was running for reelection, and narrowly prevailed in the unofficial count, Nessel said.

Funk also was serving at the time as an election official. A recount did not happen. Funk later resigned her township job and took a job as Genesee County election supervisor.

WI Sheriff: AG Refused Election Crime Evidence in March

A Thursday press conference by the [Racine County Sheriff's Office](#) accused the government officials in charge of administering Wisconsin's election laws of breaking those election laws. The Sheriff and his lead investigator said that the state Attorney General's office has known about the case since March but decided there is "nothing to see here."

Sheriff Christopher Schmaling and the lead investigator Sergeant Michael Luell answered questions and presented documentation which is hosted for the public in a [dropbox folder called 'Election Integrity.'](#) That link was posted to Facebook along with the [Livestream video of the conference](#). The documentation includes a [complete timeline](#) of the potentially criminal events and a [slideshow presentation](#) of the facts of the investigation.

Soros-Backed Michigan AG Targets Pro-Trump Alternate Electors

([Headline USA](#)) After persecuting [pro-Trump attorneys](#) who dared challenge the Left's corrupt election outcomes in the 2020 race, Michigan's [alcoholic](#) attorney general now wants federal prosecutors to go after "fake" GOP electors.

Kari Lake's Former TV Station Declares Lake's Opponent Winner 2 Weeks Before Election

The television station that used to employ [Arizona](#) Republican gubernatorial nominee [Kari Lake](#) on Oct. 27 called the race for Lake's opponent, despite the fact the election won't be held until November.

A graphic displayed by Fox 10, the TV station, said that [Katie Hobbs](#), the Democrat nominee, won the election with 53 percent of the vote.

The graphic was shown during a newscast at about 5:50 p.m. local time.

Fox 10 acknowledged airing the graphic, blaming what happened on a test gone wrong.

Azerbaijan releases election results… before the polls even open

Electoral commission accidentally publish results showing a victory for Ilham Aliyev, the country's long-standing President, a day before voting