

What's Wrong with Our Elections?

*Of the people, by the people,
for the people.* —John Wycliffe

Our country was conceived and established based upon the principles that *We the People* are the sovereigns, that *We* would be religious and virtuous, and that *We* would govern ourselves accordingly. That we would regularly select representatives of high moral character from amongst ourselves to operate a limited government that would make the critical decisions to protect our God-inspired liberty and the public interest. Our founders gave us a republic — *if we can keep it.*

Only a virtuous people is capable of freedom. — Benjamin Franklin

For several decades our culture has become increasingly depraved and apathetic, relegating some of our most critical civic responsibilities to *others*. We now pay *others* to run our governments, *others* to teach our children, and *others* to operate our elections. The consequences are obvious, as centralized political power has grown stronger and more corrupt.

One of the penalties for refusing to participate in politics is that you end up being governed by your inferiors. — Plato

For two-hundred years, citizens operated our elections locally at the precinct level, where the integrity of every ballot could be maintained. We completed our elections on a single day, almost entirely in-person, with photo ID, hand-counting and auditable reporting. Today, our elections are centrally controlled by each state, and are no longer transparent, auditable, nor reconcilable.

Our citizens no longer trust the election process.

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Seven Steps



Taking Back Our Elections

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*This magnificent one-hundred year old mosaic is featured in the dome of the Wisconsin state capitol building. It features Lady Liberty pointing toward **heaven** with one hand (because heaven is the source and inspiration for our liberty), and with her other hand she is protecting the **ballot box** (because that is how we protect our liberty).*

*The image succinctly captures the essence of the problem with our elections, illustrating why we are steadily losing our liberty: **we are no longer protecting the ballot box.***

The Seven Steps

The following Seven Steps are a proven roadmap for success in the first phase of your local battle for local empowerment so that you can **take back your elections**. The Steps organize wisdom from successful active grassroots teams around the country. We encourage you to engage a serious process that yields powerful evidence in the short term while building a lasting foundation for long-term reform.

Step 1. Get Connected

To make a significant difference, *please don't go it alone*. Time is short, and there are too many lessons to learn. Avail yourself of the experiences and resources that other patriots are willing to share so that you can avoid the common pitfalls.

Step 2. Get Organized

Start by assembling a small local team of selfless, like-minded patriots who believe strongly in the team objectives. You need at least seven core people: a team leader, data person, promoter, recruiter, researcher, strategist, and archivist. Meet together in person to strategize and begin developing a local plan.

Step 3. Implement the Plan

Every local situation has nuances that can be exploited. Starting local, identify which officials are likely to be supportive and which will oppose your efforts. Acquire election data, research your state and local laws, and begin developing relationships with key local officials. Get training from other patriots already engaged in this national effort.

Step 4. Do the Work

Hold regular meetings, analyze data, and begin testing neighborhood canvassing strategies. Continue researching official records, laws, and affidavits. Plan and promote monthly events to report progress and create public awareness.

Key Concepts

- You need unassailable evidence of *election fraud* in order to build a credible local movement.
- Building a local movement capable of empowering citizens requires a small team of committed patriots.
- There is no silver-bullet; it requires a long-term commitment.
- Don't go it alone! Get advice, training, and coaching from other experienced patriots.

Step 5. Build the Movement

Success in this effort begins with unassailable evidence of local fraud obtained by your team. That evidence allows you to build a credible local *movement*. You won't win this battle with mere evidence; you need your citizens to engage the *movement*. You are not going to relinquish control of your effort to any court or any official. This is *your* investigation; *you* are fulfilling your government role as our constitution intended.

Step 6. Review Progress

Once you have collected a significant amount of unassailable evidence of election fraud (typically one-hundred cases), then you are ready to have your progress and strategies reviewed by others in the national movement so you can proceed to the last step.

Step 7. Local Empowerment

Obtaining official validation of your credible evidence accelerates the growth of your movement and empowers local citizens to demand reform from their elected officials.