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Secretary Williams –

Elections are a function of Government and there is no reason to outsource this. In fact there are innumerable reasons to not do it.

- It is difficult enough for the state to monitor its own elections system to outsource it to a private company would not lower cost in the long run it will raise costs.
- You will have to pay for the companies work and for oversight.
- Wouldn't it be less expensive to get a system that works and have the state run it?
- This off site balloting is not a way to go as the possibility of fraud is way too great.
- Not asking for ID is bad enough, not even having to face an individual is and have them hand you a ballot after checking your signature is asking for fraud.
- You now have no control over the balloting. Rules for years have stated that electioneering cannot be done within the perimeter of a voting location. This was done for a reason, to allow a person to have privacy and not have their voting process interfered with.
- This can't be done with mail in balloting!!! You have delegitimized all the elections if mail in voting is allowed. You have no idea what is happening while a person is filling in a voting petition. There is no supervision, you really don't even know who is voting at all.
- There is a reason that the voting system is the way it has been for years. These new changes have increased the possibility for corruption of the system exponentially.
- Moving it into private hands will only exacerbate that.

Please contact me if you wish to discuss this further although if the person that are requesting the outsourcing of this are getting this email I would doubt you will ever see this email

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