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Secretary of State,

I am writing to you to express my grave concerns regarding your attempt to change our voting rules. I have objections to the following:

Rules: 7.7.13a-How can the citizens who voted by sure the signature verification is accurate if the equipment is not tested prior to use??

8.10.2-8.13-If poll watchers are no longer able to challenge significantly discrepant signatures on mail in ballots or able to escalate for review, that means we can just accept any kind of signature on all mail in ballots? How is my signature going to be protected or having false signatures placed on ballots?? This is not acceptable and is NOT SECURE.

7.7.8-7.7.9-You are attempting to increase means to remove BIPARTISAN citizen signature verification election judges. How is having partisan reps. fair and just??

8.14-Attempts to remove trained poll watchers. What is the point in having poll watchers if they are NOT trained? How is this in the voter's best interests?? You are taking away our right to watch for irregularities. This is unconstitutional.

8.14.5-There should NOT be a gag order on poll watchers, IT is every citizen's right to know what goes on during an election when it OUR votes are involved.

9.2.2-One judge by one-party to challenge removing a DEAD person from the voter rolls is not BIPARTISAN and not should NOT be allowed after bipartisan judges have agreed to remove the dead voter from the rolls. How is this fair and just?? How is it ok that 1 person from 1 party should have the say in what dead people should be on a roll?? Why should ANY dead person be allowed to be on a voter roll, period.

2.13.2-Why should we turn over local control of county clerks to decide when inactive voter registration rolls should be cancelled and give it to one individual at a higher level of government?? Why are you trying to centralize this? That goes against our constitutional rights as being represented as a republic.

20.19.5-How is eliminating the log for administrators who use administrative functions to change votes that are accepted or rejected by tallying equipment?? We should know has access to these functions and what they have done for purpose of audits if we so choose as a voter's right.

7.3.2-7.3.5-Elimination of rules requiring ballot logs and tracking for electronic ballots. How can we be sure that the electronic ballots are accurate if they are not logged or tracked.

7.6-This suggests gutting checks and balances to prevent abuse of ballots for people with disabilities

7.7.8 and 7.7

20.11.2-Elimination of requirement to have chain of custody tracking logs or transfer logs of voting equipment left overnight in vote centers. How can the voters be sure the equipment has not been tampered with or been accessed by someone not apprroved??

20.19.5-Elimination of serial number tracing or seal on election voting equipment left overnight at vote centers? How can we be sure it is the same machine with the correct votes??

20.19-I oppose any removal of secrecy envelope. This violates my right to have my vote be private and protected. No one has the right to my vote choices.

10.1-10.3-The role of well trained bipartisan canvass board would be gutted. If there is discrepancy is found, canvass board members will NO longer identify, correct, and account for errors. They will no longer be able to pull ballots in question or contact election judges to address discrepancies or no longer be required to review the statement of ballots.

I DISAGREE to all proposals and you are TAKING OUR VOTING RIGHTS AWAY.....