

Interim Report One-Pager

- Report on or about Nov 8, with coordinated rollout and preview by relevant offices
- Possible criminal referral to state / federal authorities and possible referral to IRS re: c3 electioneering, teased in report, likely prior to December 31. Possible technical audit of sampled machines prior to December 31.
- Report focuses on three areas:
 - Administrative agency Wisconsin Election Commission
 - Machine operations, promise to analyze
 - Most importantly: the influence of outside money on the election
- Conclusions: Many questions are raised in these three areas. Who runs Wisconsin elections? Can companies be involved in running Wisconsin elections? How can the public be confident in our elections?
- Messaging:
 - Not an "audit" as there is no common definition
 - Not to overturn election results
 - Prospective: want full confidence in the elections going forward
 - Public has a right to know
 - NO PROMISES: no preconceived notions
 - If there is a promise, though, it is to fully investigate all reasonable concerns
 - No political axe to grind: Gableman not running for office
 - Open-door policy to all lawmakers and public comment
 - Positive about Wisconsin clerks
 - NO named individuals at this stage: inappropriate for a pending investigation

Recommendations will NOT come in interim report

- Likely recommendations in final report will include
 - Eliminate WEC
 - Reassert clerk authority
 - Free access to election data on same terms as big \$\$ groups
 - Private right of action to those who can demonstrate election fraud / violation of election code
 - Strong firewall between those who are election officials and the general public

- Increased funding for election administration AND banning of outside \$\$ in elections
- Notice-and-comment or other transparency requirements for election machines and certification
- Limited or eliminated absentee ballots
- Eliminate indefinitely confined