

AGENDA MATERIAL

DATE 2-15-22 ITEM NO. RA 15

Corrie Cotugno

From: helen moulton [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 1:34 PM
To: District1; DIST2; District3; District4; District5; COB_mail
Subject: Voter suppression

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I am dismayed at the proposal to reduce Pima County polling places and use E-pollbooks. These moves seem designed to keep voters from voting. E-pollbooks are a security disaster. They connect to the internet, can easily be hacked, and they frequently malfunction. These policies are the definition of voter suppression. Please do not approve this! Please read my comments into the official record.

Thank You,
Helen Moulton
7007 N Ina Pl
Tucson, AZ 85718

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Corrie Cotugno

From: M [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 1:38 PM
To: COB_mail
Subject: Fwd: Proposal by PCElectionsDept., PCRecorder'sOffice Feb15 Agenda: Voting changes

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*This letter is meant to be read into the record at the next PimaCounty BOS meeting. Thank you,
Martha Bloch
5328 n paseo de la Terraza
Tucson, AZ85750

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: M [REDACTED]
Date: February 9, 2022 at 13:34:26 MST
To: district2@pima.gov, district3@pima.gov, district4@pima.gov, district5@pima.gov, COB_Mail@pima.gov, District1@pima.gov
Subject: Proposal by PCElectionsDept., PCRecorder'sOffice Feb15 Agenda: Voting changes

Dear PC Supervisors,
This is sheer madness. It is not to enhance but in fact will REDUCE...1)confidence, 2)access, 3)locations!
In a time when MAJORITY NUMBERS of Voters DISTRUST that we have FAIR/HONEST Elections, these minority of persons wish to CHANGE our established systems. Making them more vulnerable through electronic breaches, placement for access to vote issues, and increase wait times to vote□
I observed this new proposed system as a Poll Watcher at Vail, last School Board election. A place designated for Ballot drop off, did also entertain drop IN voting.
The printers, clearly showed up on my WiFi-scan and I heard the poll-workers discuss when they were "connected" to the internet. Then, pretty much every person walked in, with any reason for their not casting their DELIVERED MAIL IN BALLOT, had one issued at a printer, after a check on the voter rolls. These became 'provisional' ballots. Not counted on site but sent on to a counting center where WHO KNOWS if properly reconciled. Such an invitation for more errors. Also, Ballots were CLEARLY issued to addresses for not current or reconciled voter lists, and some of these were voted illegally. This is shown in the Pima County canvas.
Do you have the data FROM the Pima canvas.
Shameful.
Please reject these attempts. Truly, rushing knowingly, self-servingly or blindly ignorant, each is wrong! PLEASE do not collaborate in the destruction of our Arizona way of life. Honest, fair, hardworking, open, caring and STRONG.

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Do not vote for these obviously, poorly thought out and LATE measures.

Sincerely,

Martha Bloch

PC239, LD18, GOP

Hard voter, engaged.us .

Sent from my iPad

Corrie Cotugno

From: Kellie Hurdel [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 1:39 PM
To: District1; DIST2; District3; District4; District5; COB_mail
Subject: I am horrified by this proposal

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With the 2020 election fraud fiasco in Arizona and elsewhere, you want to open the doors further to fraud? How can you even propose these changes to the way that we vote? An outside agency in charge of our vote? No, this cannot happen. We need to find out who is really behind this proposal, we don't want any part of this. We want our votes to count, every legal vote, and we did not have this with the last election. This is wrong, we can't let this happen. See you on the 15th.

Kellie Hurdel
A legal vote.

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Corrie Cotugno

From: A. Sostarich [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 1:52 PM
To: COB_mail
Subject: No suppressing Pima County's vote!

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Please read my comments into the official record at the next Pima County Board of Supervisors Meeting.

Please do not disenfranchise Pima County voters by adopting E-Pollbooks and "Voting Centers."

Research shows consolidating polling places suppresses voter turnout, particularly among minority and low-income voters.

E-pollbooks will make elections less trustworthy since they are connected to the internet and thus hackable.

We need to stick with paper pollbooks and paper ballots. Paper is secure, doesn't malfunction, does not require batteries, and is not hackable as electronic devices are.

We need to keep our election process decentralized, accessible, and accountable, as the writers of the Constitution of the United States intended.

Annette Sostarich

Marana, AZ

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Corrie Cotugno

From: Maggie Michel [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 2:14 PM
To: District1; DIST2; District3; District4; District5; COB_mail
Subject: Voter supression

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Please read my comments into the official record. Voting Centers cause confusion on where to go, and it will force voters to by standing in long lines and in crowded conditions. Voting Centers disenfranchise all in-person voters but hurts minority and low-income voters the most. These groups often have limited transportation options, and less time or flexibility to vote. There are many problems with E-Pollbooks: they're connected to the internet, have no uniform standards and are easily hackable. E-Pollbooks have contributed to chaos in multiple states with their malfunctions, which has caused excessive delays, preventing people from voting. Voting Centers and E-Pollbooks separately or together equal the definition of Voter Suppression.

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"Silence in the face of evil is itself evil: God will not hold us guiltless. Not to speak is to speak. Not to act is to act."
Deitrich Bonhoeffer

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Corrie Cotugno

From: Paul Fitch [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 2:24 PM
To: District1; DIST2; District3; District4; District5; COB_mail
Subject: Voter suppression is bad for Pima County and our Republic

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Dear Board of Supervisors,

Free and fair elections are the heart and soul of our Republic. Anything that makes it more difficult to vote is one more step down the road to totalitarianism and loss of freedom.

I implore you to not change our current system of voting at this time. With the redistricting, it will just make it harder for citizens of Pima County to find the right place to vote.

Regards,

Paul Fitch
911 W. Via Alamos
Green Valley
[REDACTED]

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Corrie Cotugno

From: Rich & Linda Ulery [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 2:33 PM
To: District1; DIST2; District3; District4; District5; COB_mail
Subject: Voting Centers

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As a resident in Pima County, I ask each of you to defeat this proposal to consolidate our voting into voting centers. This will suppress the opportunity to vote! We need a polling place in every precinct. Many elderly people love to vote in person, but, in many cases will not vote at all, if they are required to drive a distance to a voting center. I know that many senior citizens did not vote in my community when the polling place was taken from our community in 2020. You defeated a proposal to reduce the number of precincts in 2021. Please give more access to voters, not less.

I also respectfully request that you reject Electronic Poll Books. Connection to the internet with our voting registration records is an open invitation to illegal intrusion. I request that my comments be officially entered into county records. Thanks to each of you.

Richard Ulery
1036 N. Grand Canyon Drive
Green Valley, AZ 85614

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Corrie Cotugno

From: Michael Addington [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 2:45 PM
To: District1; DIST2; District3; District4; District5; COB_mail
Subject: Voting Proposal

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I request that my email be read into the official record.

The changes you are being asked to approve will not improve voting in Pima County. Reducing voting locations and utilizing technology will only raise concerns for those that already have concerns that our voting officials don't have a clue. Our elections are intended to be as local as possible. Paper ballots managed properly at a precinct level with proper oversight will get us where we need to be.

When you ask a group that has already failed us to fix something, you get an answer that is good for them, not voters.

Please vote "no" on their proposal and come up with solutions that help us!!

Mike Addington
1232 E Placita Oro Fino
Oro Valley, AZ 85755
[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPad

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Corrie Cotugno

From: SANDY GIBSON [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 3:00 PM
To: DIST2; District1; District3; District5; District4; COB_mail
Subject: NO on E-Poll Books in Pima County

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Please read my comments into the official record. I ask you to NOT disenfranchise Pima County voters with centralized Voting Centers and E-Pollbooks. Consolidating polling places suppresses voter turnout. Is that what you are looking for? This is particularly true for minority and low-income voters. E-Pollbooks are a disaster: they're connected to the internet, easily hackable, and frequently malfunction. Did we not have enough questions about the validity of our last elections? Do you want us questioning all of our future elections? Some of us might wonder if you are trying to control our elections and not let our voices and votes be heard! This is the United States of America. Just because I live in Pima County, it does not mean that I want the government or any other entity taking my right to vote and be heard away from me.

Elections in the United States were purposely structured to be decentralized, accessible, and accountable. Pima County needs to earn back the trust of voters by ensuring our local precinct voting locations aren't consolidated, and there's no change to our paper Pollbooks

Let's work together to make America Strong,
Dr. Sandra Gibson

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Corrie Cotugno

From: Bruce Stone <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 2:57 PM
To: District1; DIST2; District3; District4; District5; COB_mail
Subject: This comment is requested to be read into the record at the next Pima County Board of Supervisors Meeting.

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I request that you do not disenfranchise voters in Pima County by use of centralized voting locations as well as E Pollbooks.

Voting Centers cause confusion on where to go, and it will force voters to put their health and safety at risk by standing in long lines and in crowded unsafe conditions. Voting Centers disenfranchise all in-person voters but hurts minority and low-income voters the most. These groups often have limited transportation options, and less time or flexibility to vote.

There are many problems with E-Pollbooks: they're connected to the internet, have no uniform standards and are easily hackable. E-Pollbooks have contributed to chaos in multiple states with their malfunctions, which has caused excessive delays, preventing people from voting. Voting Centers and E-Pollbooks separately or together equal the definition of Voter Suppression.

I thank you in advance for reading this into the record at the next BOS meeting, February 15th.

Sincerely,

Bruce Stone

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[REDACTED]

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Corrie Cotugno

From: Beth Hopkirk [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 1:07 PM
To: COB_mail; DIST2; District3; District4; District5
Subject: Centralized voting centers and E-Pollbooks

Categories: Orange Category

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Beth

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