Montana Secretary of State

Potential Election Law Violation Report

Fields marked with an asterisk (*) are required fields.

LAST NAME*

FIRST NAME*

MIDDLE NAME

ADDRESS*

CITY*

COUNTY*

ZIP CODE*

PHONE*

EMAIL

DATE OF SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY*

LOCATION OF SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY*

COUNTY WHERE ACTIVITY WAS WITNESSED*

CITY/TOWN WHERE ACTIVITY WAS WITNESSED*

1) Did you report the incident to local law enforcement?* ☐ Yes ☐ No
2) Did you report the incident to the local election administrator?* ☐ Yes ☐ No
3) Did the incident involve signature gathering for a proposed ballot issue?* ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes," to 3), which ballot issue did the incident involve:

Please describe what you witnessed (use back page if necessary)

SIGNATURE* **TODAY'S DATE***

MONTANA ELECTION LAW CAN BE FOUND TITLE 13 OF THE MONTANA CODE ANNOTATED CHAPTERS 1-38

This form is available for Montana citizens to report suspicious election activity and/or any activity surrounding the collection of signatures for ballot measures. This completed report will allow the Montana Secretary of State to create a record of possible election violations, so that the office may document allegations and refer any questionable actions to the appropriate County Attorney, or the County Election Administrator. You may be contacted to provide additional information about the alleged incident. If this complaint involves signature gathering for a ballot issue, the sponsor of the ballot issue in question may be sent a copy of this complaint.

The Office of the Montana Secretary of State is not responsible for campaign or lobbying issues. A separate agency, the Commissioner of Political Practices, has jurisdiction over campaign finance and campaign activity. The commissioner also monitors and enforces laws relating to lobbying disclosure and ethical standards of conduct for legislators, public officers, and state employees. If your complaint involves campaign finance or campaign activity, the complaint should instead be filed with the Commissioner of Political Practices.

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Please describe what you witnessed (cont'd)