



WISCONSIN LEGISLATURE

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Senator Devin LeMahieu, Chair
Senate Committee on Elections & Utilities
Room 323 South
State Capitol

Dear Chairman LeMahieu,

In light of the recent call for an extraordinary session to take up Assembly Bill 947, we request that you hold a public hearing in the 1st Senate District and the 42nd Assembly District, the citizens of which are most directly impacted by this legislation.

The people currently unrepresented in the State Senate and State Assembly deserve the opportunity to have their voices heard. Every day that this election had been stalled after December 29, 2017, is a day these voters are deprived of a voice in the Wisconsin Legislature.

The right to vote is one of the most fundamental to Americans. Any attempt to infringe upon that, whether it be by law changes aimed at preventing eligible voters from their constitutional right, or by ignoring court ordered elections is wrong. It is our responsibility to ensure Wisconsinites' constitutional rights.

Thank you for considering our request. We look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

Senator Mark Miller
16th Senate District

Senator Fred Risser
26th Senate District

CC:

Senator Van Wanggaard
Senator Chris Kapenga