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Rep. Snodgrass Statement on Charges Against Fake Electors in Wisconsin

MADISON - "Under state statute, it is illegal to attempt to forge legal records and public documents. We have these checks and balances to ensure the integrity of our government, the security of our elections, and the maintenance of our democracy. Any attempts to forge such documents must be taken seriously and this week we are seeing the consequences of tampering with these checks and balances in action.

Today, three individuals were officially charged in Dane County for their actions taken to allegedly forge legal records in Wisconsin relating to the 2020 Presidential Election. The alleged forging of these documents were an attempt to fraudulently cast electoral votes in favor of former President and convicted felon Donald Trump.

Wisconsin's secure elections, complete with checks and balances to ensure accuracy and integrity, have been verified through multiple audits and high level scrutiny. On the Assembly Committee on Campaigns and Elections, we have highlighted this fact time and time again. We know now, more than ever, that despite the misinformation running rampant, Wisconsin takes election integrity seriously and has proven the integrity of the process.

It was unprecedented and shameful to see such an elaborate scheme to overthrow election results in 2020 and I applaud Attorney General Josh Kaul for taking the necessary steps to hold the conspirators responsible for their actions. Today's actions are an important step for our state to move forward from an era of election deniers and hold any individuals who would tamper with the democratic process accountable."

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