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## **Rep. Mark Spreitzer Calls for Comprehensive Investigation into 2020 Spring Election Absentee Ballot Issues**

BELOIT - Today, State Representative Mark Spreitzer (D-Beloit) called on the United States Postal Service and the Wisconsin Elections Commission to conduct a joint investigation of irregularities related to mail-in absentee ballots in Wisconsin's 2020 Spring Election:

"In the midst of a pandemic, Wisconsin was forced to have a disastrous election that has shaken the faith that we put in our electoral system," Rep. Spreitzer said. "There have been widely reported irregularities across the state, and it is critical that the Postal Service and Elections Commission investigate those issues. We must quickly identify and address these issues in order to ensure that voters are able to reliably vote by mail during the three remaining elections in 2020.

"That is why I have sent the Elections Commission and the Postal Service a list of nineteen questions that they must publicly answer in order to ensure that Wisconsin voters understand what went wrong in the 2020 Spring Election, and how these two organizations will be improving their work together moving forward.

"I thank Senator Tammy Baldwin and Senator Ron Johnson for their leadership on this issue, and I hope that the answers we receive will help restore faith in our state's electoral system."

A copy of the letter sent to Administrator Meagan Wolfe of the Wisconsin Elections Commission and Inspector General Tammy Whitcomb of the United States Postal Service accompanies this release.

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