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AG Kaul Raids Home of Mayor Diny, Abuses Power

Madison... This past Wednesday, DOJ officials raided the home and office of Wausau Mayor Doug Diny, taking electronic devices including Mayor Diny's wife's phone as part of a ridiculous investigation in to the Mayor's actions regarding the removal of a ballot drop box. Senator Cory Tomczyk (R-Mosinee) released the following statement regarding AG Kaul's actions:

"Last week, Mayor Diny and his family had agents from Josh Kaul's DOJ raid their home as part of their ridiculous political investigation into the Mayor. Mayor Diny moved an empty ballot drop box from the street into City Hall in order to secure it. That simple act has caused AG Kaul to begin an investigation and send his agents to the Mayor's home, terrifying his family.

"This is an infuriating abuse of power. It appalls me that we fund Josh Kaul's department to conduct politically motivated actions such as this. With all the issues our state has at the moment, this is what Josh Kaul has prioritized? Is there no more crime in Milwaukee? Have illegal immigrants stopped smuggling fentanyl into Wisconsin, killing our kids? Apparently Josh Kaul thinks those things have been dealt with and are not nearly as important as investigating a small town mayor moving a box.

"Josh Kaul is using his office as an arm of the Democrat party, so I shouldn't be shocked by his actions. This abuse of power should never be tolerated and I hope the taxpayers of Wisconsin take note. He is not fit for office.

"Once again - not leadership, not admirable – pure political, taxpayer funded bullshit. Wisconsin deserves better"

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