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## Sen.Wimberger: Election Officials Should Run Our Elections, Not Out-of-State Billionaires

**Madison**, **WI** —Senator Eric Wimberger (R – Green Bay) issued the following statement following the passage of SJR 78:

"This proposed constitutional amendment is aimed to stop private entities and out-of-state billionaires from circumventing campaign finance laws, directly buying off cities, and using the government entity as a targeted Get-Out-The-Vote effort."

"Madison has already signed a 1.5 million agreement with a billionaire-funded 'project', effectively binding elections officials to partisan contracts drawn up by out-of-state interests."

After passing both chambers, this proposal will be on the ballot in April of 2024 for voters to decide.

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Senator Eric Wimberger represents the 30<sup>th</sup> Senate District, which includes parts of Brown, Oconto, and Marinette Counties