



Shocking Election Vulnerabilities Exposed: America Must Secure Elections with the Gold Standard

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The Trump administration's Office of the Director of National Intelligence and Department of Homeland Security have sounded the alarm: our electronic voting systems are vulnerable to foreign and domestic manipulation, threatening the very foundation of our republic. As President Trump and Markwayne Mullin have emphasized, the risk of intrusion by foreign adversaries is real and growing. Since the passage of the Help America Vote Act (HAVA) in 2002, which ushered in the widespread use of electronic voting, these vulnerabilities have eroded public confidence in the integrity of our elections.

Americans deserve unwavering trust that their votes are counted accurately, free from sophisticated schemes that could silence their voices. The current election ecosystem—centralized, reliant on foreign-made components, and entangled with third-party contractors—creates multiple points of potential infiltration, from voter registration to the reporting of results.

Under Executive Order 13873, election infrastructure is designated as “critical infrastructure,” empowering federal and state authorities to overhaul equipment and procedures. This directive includes the Department of Commerce's authority to prohibit the use of voting equipment developed or supplied by foreign adversaries. The time is now to restore a transparent, secure, and verifiable voting system that truly reflects the will of the people.

The Gold Standard team at goldstandardelections.com is leading the charge to rebuild trust in our elections. Our **Gold Standard method**, detailed in our comprehensive whitepaper, prioritizes four pillars: **accessibility**, **security**, **transparency**, and **verifiability** across every phase of the election process. We are committed to:

- **Educating and Training:** Equipping election officials, volunteers, voters, and candidates with the knowledge to implement secure voting practices.
- **Developing a Robust Standard Operating Procedure:** Ensuring the Gold Standard is executed efficiently and cost-effectively.

The **Gold Standard and SC Safe Elections teams** stand ready to partner with counties nationwide to make secure, trustworthy elections a reality.

Together, we can protect the sanctity of the vote and ensure our elections are truly **for the people, by the people**. Join us at goldstandardelections.com to learn more and support this critical mission.

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