

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)

3 SENATE CONCURRENT  
4 RESOLUTION 1

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 A Concurrent Resolution urging audits and recounts of  
8 the 2020 General Election in states where fraud has  
9 been alleged; encouraging state legislatures to use  
10 their power for appointment of electors; encouraging  
11 the U.S. Supreme Court to follow the law regarding  
12 the dates to receive ballots; encouraging the U.S.  
13 Congress to pass national voter ID and paper ballot  
14 measures for Congressional elections; and directing  
15 distribution.

16 WHEREAS, the Oklahoma election system has been referenced as a  
17 model of efficiency, inclusivity, and security in the conduct and  
18 management elections across our state; and

19 WHEREAS, the election systems in several states have been called  
20 into question in the 2020 General Election regarding their ability  
21 to prohibit fraud; and

22 WHEREAS, the judiciary in several states has ruled contrary to  
23 state law, federal law, and the U.S. Constitution by allowing  
24 ballots to be counted after the election date set in law; and

25 WHEREAS, the foundation of the Union of States established by  
26 the U.S. Constitution requires strong security and integrity of

1 elections to be firmly established for the preservation of our  
2 Republic; and

3 WHEREAS, the Founders empowered the state legislatures with the  
4 manner of appointment for presidential electors in clause 2 of  
5 Section 1 of Article 2 of the U.S. Constitution; and

6 WHEREAS, the Founders empowered the state legislatures with the  
7 power to prescribe the time, place, and manner of holding elections  
8 for U.S. Senators and U.S. Representatives, but also included a  
9 provision empowering the Congress to make or alter such regulations  
10 at any time in clause 1 of Section 4 of Article 1 of the U.S.  
11 Constitution.

12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 1ST SESSION  
13 OF THE 58TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
14 CONCURRING THEREIN:

15 THAT this legislature urges the members of the legislature in  
16 any state who had not completed and reported their election results  
17 on November 3, 2020, to use their legislative authority to call for  
18 full audits, recounts, and any other options at their disposal to  
19 expose any fraud or abuse used in their elections.

20 THAT this legislature urges the members of the legislatures in  
21 such states to utilize the powers in clause 2 of Section 1 of  
22 Article 2 of the U.S. Constitution for establishing the manner of  
23 appointing electors as fraud or abuse is discovered in their  
24 elections.

1            THAT this legislature urges the members of the legislatures in  
2 such states to use their legislative powers to constrain the actions  
3 of the judicial branches in their states who have not followed the  
4 law by issuing opinions allowing for the receiving and counting of  
5 ballots after the election date set by law.

6            THAT this legislature urges the members of the United States  
7 Supreme Court to follow state law, federal law, and the U.S.  
8 Constitution and to reverse the judicial opinion allowing additional  
9 ballots to be received after the election date in violation of the  
10 deadline set in state law and federal law.

11           THAT this legislature urges the members of the United States  
12 Congress to use Section 4 of Article 1 of the U.S. Constitution to  
13 make or alter such regulations regarding the elections of U.S.  
14 Senators and U.S. Representatives to protect the security and  
15 integrity of future elections by at a minimum requiring photo  
16 identification in order to cast a ballot in such elections and  
17 requiring all voting systems being used in such elections to include  
18 the use of paper ballots for the use of audits and recounts.

19           THAT a certified copy of this resolution be transmitted to the  
20 President of the Senate of the United States, the Speaker of the  
21 House of Representatives of the United States, the President and  
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1 Vice President of the United States and to the Oklahoma  
2 Congressional Delegation.

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