ELECTION FRAUD
HOW BAD IS IT?

Election expert Dr. Douglas Frank tells *The New American* how he discovered the extent of election fraud in the United States, and offers solutions for regaining election integrity.

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D r. Douglas G. Frank is a physicist, chemist, mathematician, author, inventor, science consultant, computer builder, teacher — and election expert. He is the author/co-author of 60 peer-reviewed articles in scientific publications, including cover and feature articles in prestigious periodicals such as the *Journal of Physical Chemistry A*, the *Journal of Vacuum Science & Technology A*, and *Langmuir*.

Dr. Frank's Ph.D. is in surface-electroanalytical chemistry, which combines chemistry and physics techniques for the manipulation and analysis of molecules on surfaces. He left academia in 1996, and has since done extensive consulting, inventing, and technical manufacturing, building electronic microscopes, laser scanners, and precision manufacturing and control devices. In December of 2020, he put aside his businesses to devote his full-time effort to election-fraud/election-integrity issues. Since then, he has traveled to hundreds of counties, meeting with state and local officials (secretaries of state, attorneys general, state legislators, county commissioners, and county clerks), speaking to thousands of concerned citizens, and organizing grassroots election-integrity efforts. As such, he is one of the few election experts to possess not only the technical ability to assess the challenges of our digital elections and machine voting, but also the experiential knowledge that only comes from extensive, recent "boots on the ground" interaction with voters and public officials. In view of the upcoming 2024 election year, Dr. Frank, who is a speaker for The John Birch Society's Speakers Bureau, recently sat down for an interview with *The New American* to discuss the current state of election-integrity efforts.

As is to be expected in our present political climate, whenever Dr. Frank appears in a public forum or is interviewed, the corrupt politicians and their Big Media allies and social-media trolls go into attack mode, as they do against Donald Trump, MAGA Republicans, and all other Christians/conservatives/constitutionalists. In Dr. Frank's case, they often impugn his credentials, attempting to discredit him as a "Big Lie huckster," "election denier," "so-called scientist," and "self-proclaimed expert." How does he answer these attacks?

"Well, I *am* a scientist, a *real scientist*, and my specialty in the academic world is the combination of physics and chemistry and mathematics," he says. "I did that for 40 years. I have 60 scientific peer-reviewed publications in leading journals. I have all the math, science, and computer skills that one would need to have to look at elections."

So, by what twist of fate did this scientist leave the laboratory for the political realm? Turns out he has been an avid election follower, analyst, and modeler for 40 years. And for 20 years, in addition to his scientific work, he taught high-IQ students — mostly high-school juniors and seniors — advanced mathematics that included election modeling. "We used to model the elections every [election] year," he explains. "And I was teaching them to do that. So, we would do the calculations and we would make the predictions. And it was kind of a fun thing, but it was a way to apply advanced math."

Which "Big Lie"? The Biden Big Media choir has repeated endlessly that Donald Trump's claims of election fraud are a "Big Lie." But the real Big Lie is the Big Media Lie that claims of fraud are "baseless," "groundless," and "debunked."

Frank gained a reputation for uncanny accuracy in his predictions, especially after the 2016 elections, when he had gone contrary to all the major-media "experts." "For example," he says, "I predicted that Trump was going to win in 2016, and I said the odds were 2 to 1. This was 13 months in advance of the election, before he had officially even entered the race."

Then came 2020. It upended his election-prediction winning streak. "And I was telling everybody it's 20 to 1 that Trump is going to win," he recounts. "And people would say to me, yeah, but what if the opposite side cheats and I would say, there's no way the other side can cheat enough to overturn this election. This is a huge election in favor of Trump. So, I was quite surprised when the results came out."

But in science, he notes, one has to be ready to abandon one's hypothesis if the evidence doesn't support it. "So, I was ready to abandon my hypothesis," he says, "because I just can't believe there can be that much cheating in the election."

"But then something interesting happened" that changed everything. He recounts:

The state of Pennsylvania had seen some of my work and they and some of the candidates there asked me to look at the election data in Pennsylvania. And I did. And in one afternoon's work I uncovered tons of very

suspicious things. I showed those suspicious things to the Legislature there in Pennsylvania, and they invited me on to a team of six people.

And we were able to have access to anything we needed in that state. We can ask for the computer logs. We could ask for copies of the rolls. We can look at ballots, we could look at anything we wanted. And it only took us as a team about a week to uncover massive — and I'm not exaggerating — *massive* amounts of fraud.

For example, in the county that I was working in, Montgomery County — that's the county where there were the four Supreme Court cases from Pennsylvania after the election — that was my focus county, we showed that one in five of the ballots were not from the person you thought it was from. So, there were stuffed ballots. There were illegally stuffed ballots.

We call those phantom ballots. An example would be a dead person. You have a ballot from a dead person that can't be real. You have a ballot from somebody who has lived in the state for ten years and they're voting in another state. So that's the sort of thing. So, we uncovered so much fraud.

At that time, I confess I was naive. I'm a scientist. I believe in truth and logic and evidence. And

I thought that if we presented that evidence that they would address it. After all, the Pennsylvania state Legislature is majority Republican. So, of course, they would love to see this evidence and that they would act upon it. Well, they did act upon it, but not how I anticipated.

What happened next was the wake-up moment for him:

The way the elections were being stolen was primarily through the voter rolls. And we showed them that. And so they agreed. And the state of Pennsylvania threw out their state voter rolls. They just threw out the whole thing and said, yep, this is corrupted, we need to rebuild the rolls. They hired a new company to rebuild those rolls. That contract was awarded for $10 million on December 20th of 2020, and three days later the firm was bought by [Facebook/ Meta co-founder and CEO Mark] Zuckerberg. And I was surprised by that because we had shown that the Center for Tech and Civic Life — that's Zuckerberg's organization — had been responsible for a lot of manipulation in the rolls.

So, I was shocked by that. And I said to the officials ... I don't understand. Why are you putting the fox right back in the henhouse? I don't understand this. And what became clear to me is they weren't interested in fixing the problem. They were covering it up. So ... that was my first real kind of awakening "red pill" moment in all of this, to realize that some of the legislatures actually like the elections not being secure because it puts them in power and keeps them in power.

In other words, this is not a Republican versus Democrat issue. This is a "We the People" local elections versus central control, central-government control. And that's the oldest thing there is in government, right? Governments always seek to centralize power and centralize control. And once again, we're just relearning that lesson. We're essentially in a situation as a country where in every state

Zuckerbucks and fraud: Facebook billionaire Mark Zuckerberg's huge contributions to left-leaning nonprofits and election officials facilitated massive mail-in and Covid drop-box voting, enabling vote fraud on an unprecedented scale.

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in the country, the elections are now centrally controlled by the state.

Elections are not actually controlled locally anymore. So that's the situation we're in. And, you know, that began my odyssey. You're right. I've been in 800 counties now, boots on the ground, meeting with local people. I've met with hundreds of legislators, dozens of AGs, dozens of secretaries of state. My original strategy was thinking — once again, naively — that I could meet with all these leaders and I could save the country.

But no, there's no interest from the top down in fixing the problem. So that's what I did mostly during 2021. So 2022, I changed strategy. You know, I'm slow, but I get there. And [in] 2022 I started meeting with local grassroots teams all around the country, and that has been immensely successful. You may have heard about Shasta County, California, for example, [in] Northern California — an entire county that's basically taken back local control of their elections by not using any electronic systems, using paper poll books instead of electronic books, you know, paper ballots instead of voting machines, hand marked.

They hand count, hand tally, hand report. Why is that important? Because it puts control back at the county level. Doug Frank can't hack into their election from Ohio when they have it on paper. But if they have electronic machines, Doug Frank *can* hack into their election from Ohio. So that's why that's so important. I call it "voting Amish."

But, as any internet search result will show, if you type in "election fraud" you will get back, literally, millions of media responses claiming fraud concerns are "baseless," "groundless," "debunked," and "absurd." Dr. Frank disputes that Big Lie from Big Media and its political cronies, pointing specifically to Wisconsin, where an official investigation by former state Supreme Court Justice Michael Gableman uncovered huge fraud problems. However, mimicking Pennsylvania, Wisconsin officials — both Republican and Democratic — teamed up for a coverup. Frank explains his exasperation with the RINO GOP leadership:

I met with — not just me, but two other experts as well — with Wisconsin Assembly Speaker Robin Vos, and we showed him the fraud. I mean, in Wisconsin, they hired Judge Gableman to do an investigation. He

uncovered massive amounts of fraud. I mean, this is not speculation. This is not hypothesis. This is documented election fraud. And when we showed that to Speaker Robin Vos, he left that meeting, went into a public interview with 10 television cameras watching, and he said on camera to the world, yes, there is massive, widespread fraud in the state of Wisconsin, more than the margins. And when the journalists asked him what he was going to do about it, he said there's nothing we can do about it. In other words, they admit that the fraud is there, that it's widespread, that it's more than the margins.
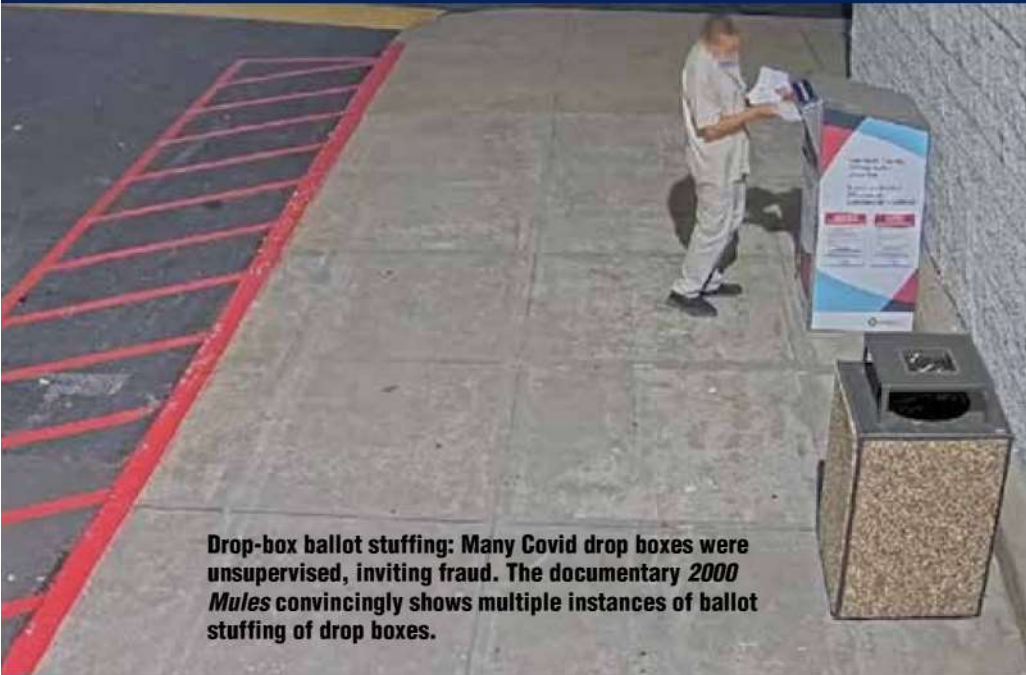
Dr. Frank says he's hopeful that the current effort in the Legislature to impeach Meagan Wolfe, the head of the Wisconsin Election Commission, will succeed. That would be a step in the right direction.

There are myriad ways that election fraud can occur. What does Frank think is the main area of concern?

A lot of people suspect the machines are flipping ballots, and there are four documented cases of that proven in court that that was taking place. But to me, that's the minority. What I find the majority to be is what people call "ballot stuffing."

So, the way that works is this: There are a lot of people in the voter rolls who are not real voters. And you just basically put in ballots using those names. And it's not just me saying this. Just this year, in February, Judicial Watch and the Election Integrity Project of California (EIPCa) sued election officials in Los Angeles County — and won. Los Angeles County was required to *remove 1.2 million people* out of 5.3 million people from their voter rolls because they were there illegally. In other words, that's not just me hypothesizing. This is *proven* in court over and over again. A comprehensive Judicial Watch study showed even before the 2020 election, for example, that 350 counties in the United States had more people in their voter rolls than they had voting age people! Clearly, the voter

Drop-box ballot stuffing: Many Covid drop boxes were unsupervised, inviting fraud. The documentary *2000 Mules* convincingly shows multiple instances of ballot stuffing of drop boxes.

screenshot from 2000 Mules/https://2000mules.com/

rolls are dirty, so that turns out to be the major way that the elections are stolen.

Judicial Watch is suing states for failing to comply with the National Voter Registration Act of 1993, which requires states to make "reasonable" efforts to clean up their voter rolls. It has won victories in Kentucky and Ohio, and has ongoing suits in Colorado, Pennsylvania, Illinois, and Maine. Want an example of how dirty voter rolls are exploited for election fraud? Here's one from Dr. Frank:

Let me explain one simple way that can happen. So, for example, in Los Angeles County, I was speaking to some of the students at UCLA, and they were being offered $200 a ballot by local NGOs, nongovernment organizations, who were out there harvesting votes.

They were saying, give us your ballot, we'll give you $200. Well, some of the enterprising students there go back to the dorm and they order absentee ballots for all their college friends. Okay. So, all these ballots show up at the dorm in a big box. That student just takes that box down to the local NGO and gets $200 per ballot. You can pay for tuition. So that's one way that ballot harvesting/ballot stuffing can take place. All those ballots are not

being completed by the actual people whose names are on the ballots. Somebody else completed that ballot, somebody else sealed it up, and then a ballot mule typically delivers it to a ballot drop box, as the movie *2000 Mules* showed.

So that's just one way. Another way is there's tons of ballots that are mailed out where there are bad addresses, undeliverable addresses. And when that happens, those ballots can be collected and harvested. When the printers, the big commercial printers that send out ballots, have bad addresses, those can also be collected. So those are just three ways. I just gave three simple examples.

In the state of Wisconsin, I testified on December 8 of 2021, along with three other people, and we showed copies of the contracts between the Center for Tech and Civic Life, CTCL, and five major counties in Wisconsin. And the contracts state explicitly, if you accept this money — they call it the Zuckerbucks — if you accept this money, you agree to put out *unsupervised drop boxes* in your community.

I mean, it's *that* blatant, right in the contract. So, what they're basically saying is, "We're

going to give you money. You have to give us your election."

Dr. Frank has also found that election software widely used in voting-machine systems across the nation has algorithms in place that are being used to inflate the voter rolls in a very sophisticated manner using U.S. Census data. The algorithms can insert excess "voters" and rig the election by fraudulently directing votes to the desired candidate. The uniformity with which this has occurred in hundreds of counties defies probability, he says, clearly demonstrating a coordinated fraud effort. This type of digital tampering is almost impossible to detect and prove, unless a forensic audit of the system is taken before the vote, during the vote, and after the vote. This is not being done anywhere.

In 2017, the Netherlands went back to paper ballots and counting by hand, largely spurred by fears of hacking by Russia or China. Dr. Frank points out that France and other countries have also dumped electronic voting and returned to paper ballots. Similarly, he notes, most countries demand voter identification and do not allow, or severely restrict, mail-in/absentee voting.

So what are his top recommendations for election integrity?

• Paper ballots (an auditable paper trail)
• In-person voting (no mail-in)
• One-day voting (no extended voting periods to multiply fraud opportunities)
• Voter ID laws
• Audit and clean voter rolls
• Prosecute and punish fraud
• Abolish Motor Voter (under which anyone with a driver's license or on public assistance, regardless of citizenship or residency status, may register to vote in federal elections)
• Abolish ballot drop boxes
• Transparency through citizen monitoring at small, local precincts ■