

Re: RGJ - election fallout story

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I would be interested to know if these people donated to a campaign, knocked on a door for a candidate(s), or did anything to help ensure their neighbors vote counted legitimately.

We often find people who complain actually produce little to nothing more than words.

I am very proud of what we did and are doing.

I can sum up all these questions in one sentence:

Republicans we're told were outspent in Nevada 5 to 1 and our election results are far from truthful.

Ok but I'll elaborate more for you as follows:

- Spent money and other resources in Democratic strongholds where Republican candidates were unlikely to win.

Why do they care how I personally spend my money or how our PAC spends its money? Not a penny came from these whiners. Additionally, I trust zero numbers, statistics, or what party supposedly has a stronghold if it comes from the Washoe ROV reporting. Their data is the furthest from trustworthy.

- Did not spend money and other resources in up-for-grabs races where Republican candidates could have won because they weren't sufficiently on Team Beadles.

I'd love an example, and again, it's not their money. If they're so passionate about helping, why don't they pony up the money? We spent the PAC money and my money on candidates we believe in. Period.

- Kicked out Republicans from the county party, passed resolutions censuring them, and through your Nevada Liberty website, allowed fellow Republicans to be attacked as clowns, groomers, and RINOs.

I have zero to do with Nevada Liberty, never have, people continue to lie about me as they are with this fiction.

My site is operationsunlight.com I sign my work. I wouldn't post anonymously.

I had zero to do pushing any motions to remove, or censure anyone, I literally have one vote as does every member.

- Spent time and effort on claims of widespread election fraud despite concerns from fellow Republicans that such “hair on fire” outrage was turning off independents and center-right voters needed to win.

It's sad, all parties now KNOW there are election issues. The true election deniers are those who deny we have election issues. You won't believe how many Democrats, Independents, Republicans, etc all tell me now they know I was right all along. Our elections are a disgrace and until they are cleaned up no results can be trusted in Nevada. Additionally, all the people who say you need to promote candidates, not election integrity, I say you must do both. All the promotion in the world by itself won't matter without integrity in our elections. As we now see.

Here are my questions (feel free to send separate responses on each if easier):

- Some say personal attacks work at the state and national level, but usually backfire at the local level. Do you think your attack mailers through The Franklin Project PAC helped Republican candidates? If so, why?

We simply tell the truth about people. We don't see that as attacking. They lie about me, that's attacking.

- Why didn't you spend more effort on promoting why people should vote for your preferred candidates instead of against their opponents?

I disagree, we did both around 50/50. We try to show the problem and then the solution.

- I heard from multiple candidates that civic groups would not support them if they were affiliated or backed by you. Do you think you personally helped or hurt candidates?

I would ask who these civic groups are. For fun, if you know, look to see who these groups actually supported and how did they support them. I think you will quickly see the groups who did the most financial supporting of candidates were on the Democrat side and typically tied to George Soros.

- Multiple Republicans said early on that emphasizing rigged elections would keep voters home, especially independents needed by Republican candidates to win. This seems to be borne out by the data. Do you agree or disagree?

Again, the data is the furthest from trustworthiness. I believe people should have as much knowledge as possible. For instance, again, the elections are completely untrustworthy, people need to know this, more now than ever do. People need to call it out. Not sit it out!

I was very clear, people still must show up and vote yet push for election transparency and accountability.

The data your looking at from the ROV again is completely untrustworthy. You can't say Republicans didn't vote or Independents didn't vote based on the ROV reporting. It's complete fiction.

Take their list of people they say voted, it's right on their website, even their phone numbers. Call these “voters” and you'll quickly see more than 30% of the people the ROV says voted, will swear under penalty of perjury, they DID NOT!

So full stop, 30% of the reported voters and their votes are completely wrong! These candidates they say won, in many cases DID NOT. It's the Washoe County ROV data, not mine, our teams, it's the ROV's, call these people for yourself and you'll see I'm right, once again.

- Why wasn't more money/effort put into door-knocking and encouraging people to vote?

I and our PAC knocked most every voter's door in Washoe, we additionally touched most voters 6-8 times. Show me the complainers and what they did, nothing. They complained that's it. I know our candidates won, it's not based on delusion or a gut feeling it's based on the data. What the ROV reports, vs what we find when we analyze it proves it. I could write a book on the fiction the ROV is putting out for you all to consume. You really should look into the ingredients of what you eat, vs just taking their or the media's word for it.

- One claim is that you've basically taken over the county party and are purging of it people not closely aligned with you. Do you think that's a fair statement? Why?

That's absurd. I am but one vote and voice. The people are party, not me. It's their party, not mine. I could point out so many incredible things they've done as a party and committee, that was them not me. I'm proud to be a part of the people and our movement to get back to the America we all knew and loved.

It's peculiar, I was one of the darlings of Reno until I pointed out what you all know or will know soon, our elections have massive issues.

Why is pointing out the truth so divisive? Maybe its because the ones who benefit from it are doing all they can to protect their way of keeping control over us and our money.

Me pushing the desire for free and fair elections for all, I make zero dollars from. This isn't a hustle, this isn't a business model, it's simply the truth, some people can't handle it.

The old saying goes, its easier to fool someone than to convince them they've been fooled.
Anyone believing the ROV data has been seriously fooled.

Wake up and say enough before it's too late.

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----- Original Message -----

On Tuesday, November 22nd, 2022 at 3:05 PM, Robison, Mark <MDRobison@reno.gannett.com> wrote:

I'm working on a story about election fallout that is critical of your role in the Washoe County Republican Party. Below are questions I'm seeking responses on. Feel free to respond by text or email if those are your preferred methods, but I'm happy to talk, too. The deadline for replies is noon Wednesday (tomorrow). So you know where I'm going, the gist of the story is that the Washoe County Republican Party:

- Spent money and other resources in Democratic strongholds where Republican candidates were unlikely to win.
- Did not spend money and other resources in up-for-grabs races where Republican candidates could have won because they weren't sufficiently on Team Beadles.
- Kicked out Republicans from the county party, passed resolutions censuring them, and through your Nevada Liberty website, allowed fellow Republicans to be attacked as clowns, groomers and RINOs.
- Spent time and effort on claims of widespread election fraud despite concerns from fellow Republicans that such "hair on fire" outrage was turning off independents and center-right voters needed to win.

That's what numerous people I've talked to have told me. Obviously there's another side and so that's what I'm seeking from you. I've also emailed the story summary and similar questions to Bruce. **The story gets submitted at 1 p.m. Wednesday.**

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- Why didn't you spend more effort on promoting why people should vote for your preferred candidates instead of against their opponents?
- I heard from multiple candidates that civic groups would not support them if they were affiliated or backed by you. Do you think you personally helped or hurt candidates?
- Multiple Republicans said early on that emphasizing rigged elections would keep voters home, especially independents needed by Republican candidates to win. This seems to be borne out by the data. Do you agree or disagree?
- Why wasn't more money/effort put into door knocking and encouraging people to vote?
- One claim is that you've basically taken over the county party and are purging of it people not closely aligned with you. Do you think that's a fair statement? Why?

If easier to talk (I think it is!), let me know a good time to talk between now and noon Wednesday. I'm available on my landline at [REDACTED].

P.S. I'm sending questions and the story summary to Bruce, too.

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