

Lazar campaign: Fundraising surges with “grassroots army,” raising nearly \$200,000 in just four weeks

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[Waukesha, Wis] — Judge Maria Lazar’s campaign for the Wisconsin Supreme Court announced today a massive acceleration in momentum, raising nearly \$200,000 in just the last four weeks. This surge is fueled by a rapidly expanding grassroots network of citizens seeking an independent, common-sense voice on the bench.

Judge Lazar is currently crisscrossing the state every week, engaging with voters in every corner of Wisconsin. Her strategy is designed to bring “lost” voters back into the fold by prioritizing face-to-face dialogue and personal outreach over expensive TV attack ads and the influence of political machines.

“While our opponent relies on a year-long head start from the same old political machines, Judge Lazar is building a new style of campaign focused on the voters who feel left behind by a polarized system,” said campaign spokesperson Nathan Conrad. “Raising nearly \$200,000 in a single month, with an average donation of \$525 among the 357 new campaign donors, proves that we are winning on the ground with people who want a justice who follows the law, not a political agenda.”

- **Explosive Growth:** Raising nearly \$200,000 in just four short weeks shows a trajectory that the establishment didn’t see coming.
- **Grassroots Power:** With 357 new donors since the start of the year, the campaign is building a “grassroots army” one voter at a time.
- **Targeted Outreach:** The campaign is successfully winning back women voters and independents who feel alienated by partisan extremes and want a justice who

prioritizes the Constitution.

About Judge Maria Lazar Judge Maria Lazar currently serves on the Wisconsin Court of Appeals. A graduate of Georgetown University Law Center, she has dedicated her career to the rule of law and ensuring that the judicial system remains fair, neutral, and independent. To learn more about the campaign, please visit JudgeMariaLazar.com