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## Wimberger Comments on Green Bay Spring Primary Election Issues

**MADISON**, **WI** — Senator Wimberger released the following statement on the Green Bay Spring Primary Election held on February 15, 2022:

"First, the mayor closed polling locations and refused National Guard help in the spring of 2020. Then, he took private donations from a liberal organization and used its designated staff illegally to administer the fall 2020 election instead of the clerk. Today we learn that ballots were counted illegally in a manner where no witness might observe ballot tampering. Green Bay deserves a better and more competent administration than it has," said Wimberger.

"The current administration has repeatedly failed to meet even the most basic expectations of the office. With tremendous community concern on election integrity since at least 2016, I expected particular attention to detail in election administration. The Mayor's continued failure indicates gross incompetence or deliberate rule avoidance. Either way, the community is left without confidence the vote tally reflects the votes cast," said Wimberger.

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Senator Eric Wimberger represents the 30<sup>th</sup> Senate District, which includes portions of Brown, Oconto, and Marinette Counties